

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON **July 1, 2023 8:00 AM PDT** at the Trial Secretary's address. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON **Sept 8, 2023 11:30 PM PDT** 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

Three AKC Licensed ALL Breed Agility Trials

Welcome and thank you for entering our trial.

This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs

Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program SM

Spokane Agility Club

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



Sept 22, 2023 Friday Event # 2023718107

Sept 23, 2023 Saturday Event # 2023718108

Sept 24, 2023 Sunday Event # 2023718109

TWIN WILLOWS FARM

4980 S Wallbridge Road

Deer Park, WA

ENTRY LIMITS

350 runs per day, Entry method – First received

Indoors, 1 ring 99X100 on packed dirt.

Trial Hours: Friday, Saturday & Sunday – 7:00 am to 6:00pm

Friday- All Levels STD & JWW, FAST

Saturday-All levels JWW, STD Premier JWW and Premier STD

Sunday- T2B, All Levels STD & JWW

Judge: Darryl Warren, No 43191

Paramus, New Jersey

CERTIFICATION

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



OFFICERS OF THE SPOKANE AGILITY CLUB

President.....Kate Samuelson
Vice President.....Kayla Murfin
Secretary.....PO Box 9930, Spokane, WA. 99206Remi Mundschenk
Treasurer.....Heather Thompson
Member at large.....Cathy Lursen

www.spokaneagilityclub.org

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON & EMERGENCY COORDINATOR	TRIAL SECRETARY & CAMPING COORDINATOR
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Chief Course Builders: Chris and Jessica Draper, Jon and Debbie Powell, Kari Manning and Laurie Kruger

Chief Ring Stewards, Coleen Scott, Remi Mundschenk, Kate Samuelson

Awards, Carolyn Herrity and Kayla Murfin

EVENT COMMITTEE

Trial Chair – Terri DeJong, MaryJane McCall, Remi Mundschenk, Katt Peterson, Kate Samuelson and any other SAC members present.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL OR EMERGENCY

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

Pet Emergency Clinic and Referral Center

21 E Mission Ave

Spokane, WA

509-326-6670

Hours: Mon – Friday 5 pm to 8 am

Weekends 5 pm Friday to 8 AM Monday

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police

911

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES & TENTATIVE CLASS ORDER

Day	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Check In	7:00 AM	7:00 AM	7:00 AM
Judging Starts	8:00 AM	8:00 AM	8:00 AM
Height Order	TALL TO SMALL	SMALL TO TALL	TALL TO SMALL
	FAST -All Levels	Premier JWW	T2B
	STD EX/Masters	JWW EX/Masters	STD EX/Masters
	STD Open	JWW Open	STD Open
	STD Novice	JWW Novice	STD Novice
	JWW EX/Masters	Premier STD	JWW EX/Masters
	JWW Open	STD EX/Masters	JWW Open
	JWW Novice	STD Open	JWW Novice
		STD Novice	

Start times may change resulting from weather.

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 owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Generally, all dogs competing in agility must possess an official AKC Jump Height Card. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** if present. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" or 26" height division. **Our judge is a VMO.**

When filling out the entry form, there is a section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog needs to be officially measured. Please check the box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured List*.

DOG 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 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

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee).....	\$20
Additional entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee).....	\$15
Junior Handler entry fee (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)	\$10

E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form.

Mail entry forms and fees to: Heather Thompson, PO Box 19366, Spokane, WA 99219. Please make checks payable to [Spokane Agility Club](#). Please don't staple checks to entries. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to [Heather Thompson](mailto:heathergailagility@gmail.com) at heathergailagility@gmail.com. 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.

ONLINE ENTRIES: This trial does accept online entries through AKC Online Entry (www.akc.org). During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries will be designated as follows: Online entries 120; Paper entries 230. 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 the online or paper limits accordingly. No hand deliveries will be accepted in the first twenty-four hours following the opening date and time.

CATALOGS

Advance catalog sales may be ordered and prepaid on your entry form for \$10. A limited number of catalogs will be available for sale at the trial site for a cost of \$15.

TWIN WILLOWS RELEASE

A Signed TWIN WILLOWS RELEASE form must be included with your entries unless you have already signed one this calendar year.

All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial site during trial hours except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.



MOVE-UPS

Move-ups as a result of titles earned after entries close must be submitted in writing or email so that Heather (Trial Secretary) receives them by **6:00 PM PDT on Monday, Sept. 18, 2023**. Include dog's call name, owner's name, class you are moving from, and class you are moving to (replying to your final CONFIRMATION EMAIL is an ideal way to complete a move-up). If you do not receive an acknowledgement of your move-up request within 24 hours of sending, please contact Heather to make sure that it was received. No phone move ups accepted. Day-to-day move-ups will be accepted at the trial.

Move-ups for Saturday and Sunday must be submitted in writing no later than 30 minutes after the conclusion of the last class on Friday and/or Saturday. For allowed changes from Novice A to Novice B, refer to Chapter 1, Section 21 of the Regulations for Agility Trials.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

REFUNDS

100% of entry fees will be refunded for any reason if written (or email) request is received by the trial secretary on or before closing.

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. As such, the club will refund all entry fees for bitches unable to compete for this reason. Notification must be received by the Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial or cluster of trials.

Sick or injured dogs, sick or injured handlers will receive a refund of entry fees less \$5.00 per run/day if written (e-mail) notification is received by the Trial Secretary 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial.

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 Spokane Agility Club, the Trial Secretary and Twin Willows Farm 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 Spokane Agility 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 Spokane Agility Club or any official thereof.

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.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

CLASS CHANGES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2021

ENTERING A MIXTURE OF REGULAR AND PREFERRED CLASSES WITHIN THE SAME TRIAL WEEKEND – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day

Effective January 1, 2021, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. 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.

ENTERING FOR EXHIBITION ONLY (FEO)

As of January 1, 2021, For Exhibition Only will be offered. 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. FEO will be of value to new exhibitors or exhibitors that are having difficulty with a specific obstacle and/or ring environment. Competitors must enter in T2B and/or FAST. 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

COVID OR OTHER COMMUNICATIVE DISEASES

SAC will follow the state and federal medical requirements in place at the time of the trial. By signing the entry form you agree to abide by the requirements. Exhibitors agree to hold the host club, Twin Willows and the AKC harmless in respect to these rules. Exhibitors entering these trials do so at their own risk.

FIX AND GO ON (FNG)

As of January 1, 2021, Fix and Go On will be offered. FNG 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 FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Course maps will be posted, emailed and available online after 12 PM the day before each trial.

Judge's briefing and course walk-throughs will occur prior to each class. 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. Injured handlers may walk with their substitute handler. 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.

Walk throughs will be split if needed to have groups of less than 30 walking at one time.

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. Use is limited to 3 minutes per dog/handler combination.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

<i>First Place</i>	<i>Blue</i>
<i>Second Place</i>	<i>Red</i>
<i>Third Place</i>	<i>Yellow</i>
<i>Fourth Place</i>	<i>White</i>
<i>Qualifying Score</i>	<i>Dark Green</i>

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH/PACH rosette and decorated MACH/PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH/PACH. PAX Title Rosettes will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing their PAX title. If you are close to earning an award, please let the [Trial Chair or Trial Secretary](#) know so that the club is prepared to celebrate with you.

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

Qualifying stickers will be placed in holders and posted by handler last name.

Maps will be emailed after midnight the night before each trial. Maps will not be printed. A copy will be posted at the trial.

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 a packed dirt surface. Ring size will be 99X100.

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.

Best Western Plus - North, 9601 N Newport Hwy, Spokane, WA (509) 468-5020

Apple Tree Inn, 9508 N Division St, Spokane, WA (855) 213-0582 – (Pitbulls not accepted.)

Roadway Inn North, 20 West Houston Ave, Spokane, WA, (509) 461-5965

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

SITE: TWIN WILLOWS FARM, 4980 S Wallbridge Rd, Deer Park, WA

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO Twin Willows Farm

Be advised if you are using Google, it may send you to Happy Home Church same address but 1.4 miles away. Try using just the name Twin Willows Farm or 4980 Wallbridge Rd.

From East or West:

Take I-90 to the Maple Street Bridge exit (#280) and go north on Walnut St, a one-way street that turns into Maple St and finally into Country Homes Blvd. Turn left onto Division St./Hwy 395 and continue north on Hwy 395 to Deer Park. After you reach Deer Park, turn left (west) on Monroe Rd at the third exit (Monroe/Crawford). Go approximately 1 mile and turn right on Antler Rd. Turn left onto Wallbridge Rd and continue for approximately .5 miles to the trial site on the right."

From the North

Take Hwy 395 south to Monroe Rd and turn right (west). Go approximately .5 miles and turn right on Antler Rd. Turn left onto Walbridge Rd and continue for .3 miles to the trial site on the right.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

SITE and BUILDING HOURS: Exhibitors can set up in the arena starting at 5:30 PM Thursday. The arena will be set up at 5:00 PM. If the arena layout is done earlier, the club will allow exhibitors to set up at an earlier time. The arena will be open to exhibitors at 7:00 AM Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The Trial Committee reserves the right to consolidate or move setups if necessary, to ensure crating space is available for all and access to the ring and practice jump is maintained.

VOLUNTEERS: Volunteers are the back bone of every trial. We will use a white board to sign up for most jobs. Please sign up early and often.

People who volunteer to help will be given priority crating indoors.

Dust Control: Twin Willows Farm indoor arena is a horse arena. We have been advised that Magnesium Chloride Hexahydrate has been used in the past, mixed in with the dirt to control dust. This is not the same strength that is used on roads to melt ice. Safety Data Sheet available upon request of trial secretary.

FOOD AT THE TRIAL: There will be no food provided for this trial. Fast food restaurants are located in Deer Park.

Please clean up after your dogs on the show grounds (and at your motel)!

WATER: NO potable water is available on site. Please be prepared by bringing your own for yourself and your dogs.

There are two privately run campgrounds near Deer Park:

- Spokane RV Resort @ Deer Park Golf Club, 1205 N. Country Club Dr, Deer Park, WA 877-276-1555
- Wild Rose RV Park, 23106 N. Hwy 395, Colbert, WA 509-276-8853

UPCOMING TRIALS 2023 AND 2024

October 20-22, 2023 - Our judge will be Carole Lynn Evans from Frankton, Colorado

April 12-14, 2024 – Our judge will be Danielle LaGrave from West Jordan, Utah

June 28-30, 2024 - Our judge will be Zach Davis from Jersey City, New Jersey

September 20-22, 2024 Our judge will be Craig Jostling from Eudora, Kansas.

October 18-20, 2024 Our judge will be Torka Poet from West Richland, Washington

**RV Parking SAC Trial
Sept 22-24, 2023, Twin Willows Farm**

PARKING is \$10.00 per night. Prepayment is greatly appreciated. ALL PARKING IS AT YOUR OWN RISK. The Spokane Agility Club and Twin Willows Farm assume NO responsibility for fire, theft, and/or damage to any vehicle or its cargo. The Agility Club reserves the right to withdraw the privilege of parking on the grounds from any person who feels that he or she cannot abide by the rules and instructions or who resorts to abusive language or other tactics.

HANDICAP PARKING – Handicap parking is to provide suitable surface to the rings, not necessarily close to the rings. Handicap parking space is VERY LIMITED. All handicap vehicles must have a handicap license plate. Please indicate on your parking form so we can reserve a space for you.

RULES AND REGULATIONS – Parking will be self-serve. The area will be designated with signs; if you have any questions, check with Betty Knight. If you have any special needs please indicate on your parking form so we can reserve a spot for you. Group parking is first come, first serve. The first person in your group may hold a few spots around them for those coming. When parking, please be respectful of the roadway space and your neighbors.

Please bring exhaust diverters if you plan on running a generator.

All overnight camping (including tents and autos) will be charged the same rate.

No potable water is available on site.

Grounds will not be available until 3:00 PM on Thursday.

Please make separate checks for camping payable to:

Spokane Agility Club (SAC)

send reservations with remittance to:

Heather Thompson

PO Box 19366

Spokane, WA 99219

Questions? Betty Knight - knightholm@gmail.com -208-610-5183

**Spokane Agility Club
AGILITY TRIAL PARKING RESERVATION FORM**

Name

PhoneCell phone

E-mail address

RV License Plate

Special Needs or Requests?

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NIGHTS: Thursday Friday Saturday