

**Premium - AKC All Breed Agility Trials**

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

**Twin Cities Obedience Training Club (TCOTC)**

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

- Friday, May 10, 2024—STD/JWW (Ex/Mas Only), FAST (All Levels), Premier STD & JWW  
Event# 2024017607**
- Saturday, May 11, 2024—STD/JWW/FAST (All Levels) & Premier STD  
Event# 2024017608**
- Sunday, May 12, 2024—STD/JWW (All Levels), Premier JWW, T2B  
Event # 2024017609**

**To Be Held At:  
TCOTC Building  
2101 Broadway St. NE.  
Minneapolis, MN 55413**

**Trial Information:**

**Trial Hours:** Friday (8:30AM-5PM), Sat/Sun (7:00AM-5PM)

**Surface:** Trials will be held indoors on Mats with a Padded Structural Poles spaced every 20 ft. (68'X120')

**Crate Set Up:** Friday at 8:30AM

**Judging Will Start:** Friday (10:00AM), Sat/Sun (8:00AM)

Electronic Timing will be used at these trials

**Entries will be chosen by: Random Draw**

**Entries Open: Wednesday March 20, 2024 at 8:00AM**

At the Trial Secretary's address

Any Entries received before this date/time will be returned.

Entries must waive signature requirements or they will be returned to sender.

**Draw Close Date: Wednesday April 3, 2024 at 6:00PM**

**Draw Date: Thursday April 4, 2024 at 5:00PM**

**Location: 7060 Innsdale Ave S, Cottage Grove, MN 55016**

**Final Closing Date: Friday April 24, 2024 at 6:00PM**

**Entry Limits: 330 runs available each day**

**Judge:**

**Cynthia Blanton—3247 W Carter Rd, Phoenix, AZ 85041-6227**

**Twin Cities Obedience Training Club (TCOTC)  
Attn: Michael Teh, Event Secretary  
7060 Innsdale Ave S  
Cottage Grove, MN 55016**



**This Event is Accepting Entries for Dogs  
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program**

**Online Entries**

**Now Available  
Through  
LabTestedOnline.com**

**More Information  
-See Page 5**



American Kennel Club Certification  
Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.  
Gina DiNardo, Secretary

Mail entries with fees (checks only) payable to  
**Twin Cities Obedience Training Club (TCOTC)** to  
**Michael Teh, TCOTC Event Secretary**  
**7060 Innsdale Ave S., Cottage Grove, MN 55016**

Questions about Entries:

E-mail: xtremek9trialsec@gmail.com or Phone: 612-387-4311

(Maximum of ten (10) dogs may be submitted per envelope of entries)

### Entry Fees

\$19 for **1st & 2nd** run of each dog each day (includes AKC recording fee)

\$15 for **3rd, 4th, & 5th** run for the same dog that day (includes AKC recording fee)

(There will be a \$25.00 service charge for any returned checks.)

Entry form changes, additions, corrections, and cancellations MUST be received in writing prior to the final closing date, be legible, and include the AKC number, or no refund will be issued. No telephone changes accepted. E-mail changes are welcomed.

### Twin Cities Obedience Training Club Officers & Members at Large

**President:** Julie Steenerson

**Vice President:** Liz Danielson

**Secretary:** Joyce Carlson-Rioux - PO Box 18417, Minneapolis, MN 55418

**Treasurer:** Maddie Hansen

**Members:** Diane Steele, June Mendoza

### Event Committee

**Trial Chair:** Sara Zislin, E-Mail: 89bluejetta@gmail.com

**Trial Committee:** Jane Jacobsen, Anne Schenk, Lorrie O'Neal, Any Mueller

### Veterinarian On Call

University of MN Veterinary Hospital  
 1365 Gortner Ave., St. Paul, MN 55108  
 (612)-625-9711

Directions: Turn Left from TCOTC parking lot onto Broadway. Turn right onto Industrial. Turn left onto Hennepin, which becomes Larpenteur. Turn right onto Gortner. Go 1/2 mile and the clinic is on your right.

## American Kennel Club Move-Up Form

**Twin Cities Obed. Training Club (TCOTC)**

**Show Dates: May 10-12, 2024**



**Mail Form To:** Michael Teh  
 7060 Innsdale Ave S  
 Cottage Grove, MN 55016

**Or e-mail move-up information to:** xtremek9trialsec@gmail.com

**Move-Up Regulations: If a dog earns an agility title before this event it can be advanced to the next level of competition. However, written notice must be given to the Trial Secretary, no later than 6:00 PM on Monday, May 6, 2024 or at the close of the trial Friday/Saturday which will be considered the awarding of ribbons for the last class of that day. Move-ups will be added to the end of the running order of the class they move up to. Every effort will be made to accommodate handlers running multiple dogs in the same class. No verbal changes can be accepted.**

<b>Trial Date</b>		<b>Jump Height</b>	
<b>AKC Reg #</b>			
<b>Call Name</b>			
<b>Breed</b>			
<b>Owner Name</b>			

<b>Regular Standard</b>	<b>Regular JWW</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A to Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A or B to Open <input type="checkbox"/> From Open to Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent to Master	<input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A to Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A or B to Open <input type="checkbox"/> From Open to Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent to Master
<b>Preferred Standard</b>	<b>Preferred JWW</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> From Novice P to Open P <input type="checkbox"/> From Open P to Excellent P <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent P to Master P	<input type="checkbox"/> From Novice P to Open P <input type="checkbox"/> From Open P to Excellent P <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent P to Master P

## Hotels/Motels

- Kimpton Grand Hotel**  
615 2nd Ave S., Minneapolis, MN 55402.....612-373-0407
- Red Roof Inn**  
2401 Prior Ave N., Roseville, MN 55113.....651-636-8888
- Motel 6**  
2300 Cleveland Ave N., Roseville, MN 55113.....651-639-3988
- Residence Inn by Marriott**  
2985 Centre Pointe Dr., Roseville, MN 55113.....651-636-0680

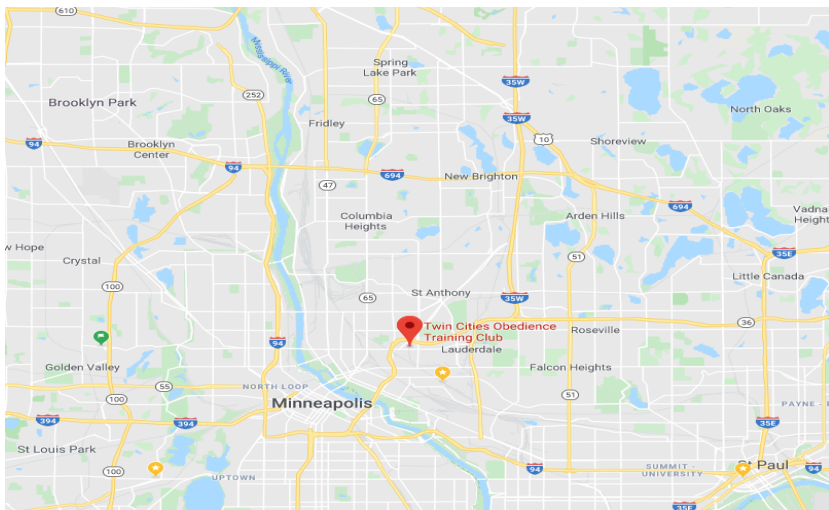
Most of the hotels will assess a pet fee.  
Please check on dog acceptance policies and pet fees when making  
your reservations. Policies do change.  
Please clean up after your dog and do not leave dogs unattended in motel rooms.

## Directions To The Trial Site

**From the North or South:** Take I-35W to Steinson Blvd Exit. Turn south on Steinson and continue to Broadway. Turn right at Broadway and go about 1 block to the first driveway on right after the “BREDE” sign. Entrance is in the lower level of the back of the building.

**From the East:** Take I-94 to Hwy 280. Go north to Larpenteur Ave/Hennepin Ave and go west. Go north (right) on Stinson Blvd. Turn left on Broadway St. Look for “BREDE” sign. Entrance is in the lower level of the back of the building.

**From the West:** Take I-394 to I-35W North. Take I-35W to Stinson Blvd exit. Turn south on Steinson and continue to Broadway. Turn right at Broadway and go about 1 block to the first driveway on right after the “BREDE” sign. Entrance is in the lower level of the back of the building.



## Running Order

<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
<b>Height: Tall to Short</b>	<b>Height: Short to Tall</b>	<b>Height: Tall to Short</b>
All Levels of FAST	All Levels of FAST	T2B
Ex/Master STD	Ex/Master JWW	Premier JWW
Premier STD	Premier STD	Ex/Master JWW
Ex/Master JWW	Ex/Master STD	Ex/Master STD
Premier JWW	Open STD	Open STD
	Novice STD	Novice STD
	Open JWW	Open JWW
	Novice JWW	Novice JWW

## Volunteer Information

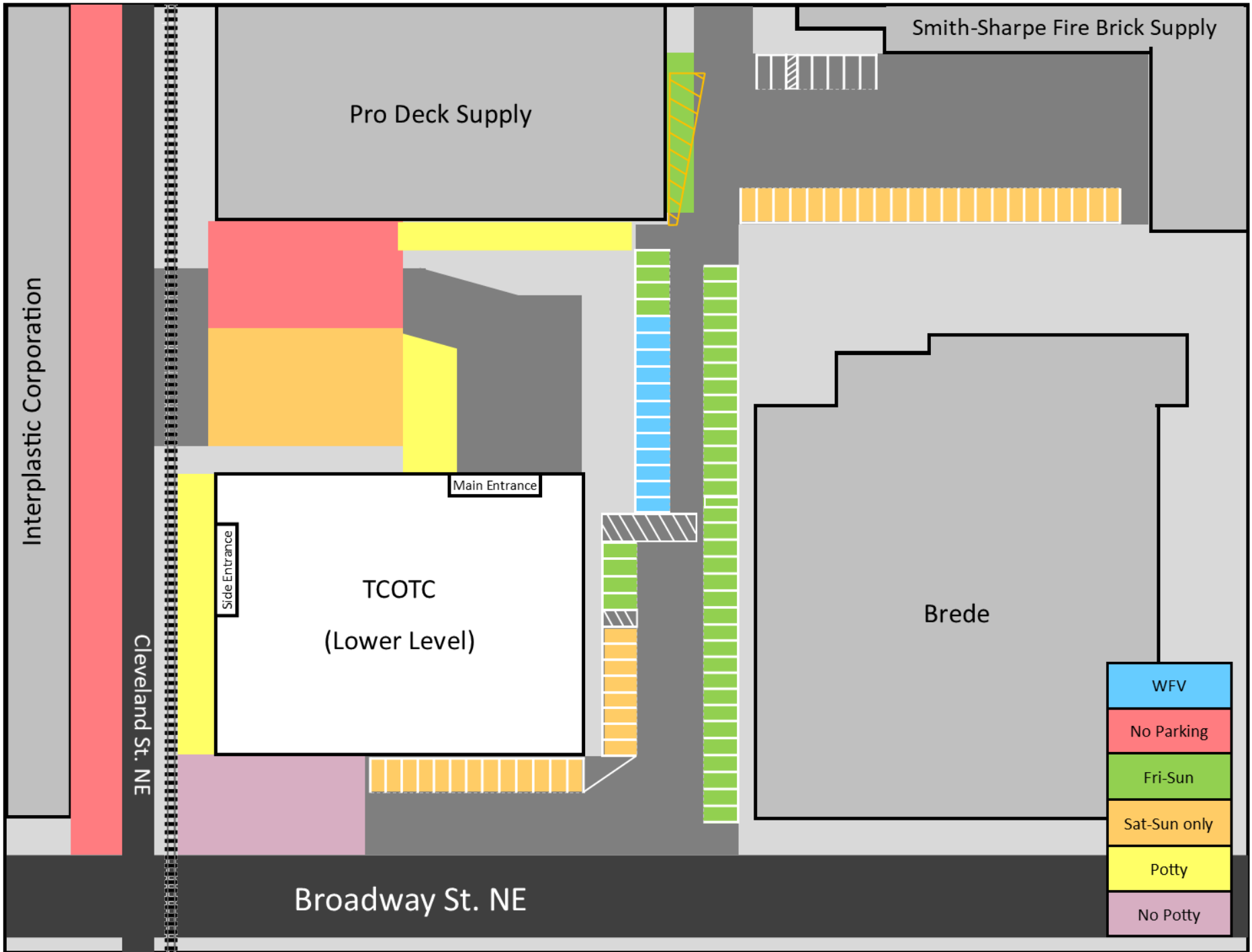
TCOTC depends on volunteers to make this a great event. Anyone (whether a TCOTC Member or not) is eligible to help at the trial and no experience is necessary.

Per AKC Regulations, Random Draw allowed the club to guarantee 35 worker sports. To be considered a guaranteed worker, you need to submit your entry prior to the Random Draw Closing Date.

To volunteer, please use the following link:

<http://tinyurl.com/TCOTCMay24>

# Parking Map



Smith-Sharpe Fire Brick Supply

Pro Deck Supply

Interplastic Corporation

Cleveland St. NE

Side Entrance

Main Entrance

TCOTC  
(Lower Level)

Brede

Broadway St. NE

- WFV
- No Parking
- Fri-Sun
- Sat-Sun only
- Potty
- No Potty

## Information For Exhibitors

**Food:** Food will not available for workers only at these trials. There are several restaurants around the show site.

**Obstacles:** Obstacles will conform to current requirements of the Regulations for Agility Trials.

**Warm-Ups:** A warm-up area in the Star Room, consisting of a regulation agility jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

**Ringside:** Dogs are not required to be at the trial until the scheduled time of judging. All dogs not needed for further judging are excused. The owner/handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when the class is to be judged. Please help your fellow competitors, the trial workers, and the judge by checking in with the gate steward well ahead of your run, and being prompt at the line when your turn comes to run.

**Dogs Eligible to Enter:** As it states in the Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 1, Section 3, 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) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate except bitches in heat, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. Dogs or register able breeds with accepted foreign registration numbers are eligible to participate.

**Height Divisions:** Owners are responsible for entering the proper height division.

**Regular Titling Classes:**

- 8 Inches—For Dogs 11 Inches and under at the withers.
- 12Inches—For Dogs 14 Inches and under at the withers.
- 16 Inches—For Dogs 18 Inches and under at the withers.
- 20 Inches—For Dogs 22 Inches and under at the withers.
- 24 Inches—For Dogs over 22 Inches at the withers.
- 26 Inches—May Be Entered at Owner's discretion.

**Preferred Titling Classes:**

- 4 Inches—For Dogs 11 Inches and under at the withers.
- 8 Inches—For Dogs 14 Inches and under at the withers.
- 12Inches—For Dogs 18 Inches and under at the withers.
- 16 Inches—For Dogs 22 Inches and under at the withers.
- 20 Inches—For Dogs over 22 Inches at the withers.

**Prize and Awards:** Ribbons will be awarded to the 1st through 4th place dogs in each Standard and Jumpers with Weaves class. A green qualifying ribbon will be awarded to all dogs earning a qualifying score. A MACH/PACH bar and Rosette will be awarded to each team earning MACH/PACH. The club reserves the right to substitute prizes of equal or greater value. All awards and prizes must be claimed at the show as none will be mailed.

## Information For Exhibitors Cont.

**Refunds:** A veterinarian certificate *may be required* for females that come into season or ill and injured dogs after the closing date. In this situation, entry fees will be refunded for the weekend (minus a \$ 15.00 administrative fee per day). A full refund is to be reimbursed to any entrant whose entry is replaced by a Wait-Listed entry. Refunds will not be given for refund amounts of \$ 5 or less. No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by vet or judge, or barred from competition by action of the trial committee.

**Safety/Behavior:** The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rule and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. All dogs present must be on leash or confined to their crates except when being judged or when using the warm-up jump.

**Liability:** It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitors 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 trial site. In such cases, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Twin Cities Obed. Training Club (TCOTC) and its agents, employees, ect. will not assume responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.

**Crating:** There is ample crating and chair space in the ring room. Bring as many crates as you want! No crates or personal chairs in the annex, kitchen, or Star Room. Spectator seating will be provided in the annex. Crates may be left overnight; however Twin Cities Obed. Training Club (TCOTC) will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

**Annex Line-Up Area:** Please help us keep the gate area in the annex clear of congestion and potentially undesirable dog-to-dog interactions. It is a very close quarters area and should only contain dogs that are running or getting in the queue to run.

**Entry Fees:** Exhibitors must submit entries with checks drawn on US accounts or with international money orders payable in US funds.

**Online Entries**

This trial is accepting online entries through LabTestedOnline.com. All entries submitted online will be accepted until the draw closes. After the draw is completed, if there are runs available, the Trial Secretary will have the option to continue to accept entries online. Any online entries that are not accepted into the trial from the draw will be put on the waiting list.



# OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

## Twin Cities Obedience Training Club (TCOTC)

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org)

**\$19** for **1st & 2nd** run of each dog each day (includes AKC recording fee)  
**\$15** for **3rd, 4th, & 5th** run for the same dog that day (includes AKC recording fee)

Mail entry with fees payable to: **TCOTC** to: Michael Teh, TCOTC Event Secretary  
 7060 Innsdale Ave S., Cottage Grove, MN 55016

Date	STD	JWW	FAST	T2B	Premier STD	Premier JWW
Day 1: Fri May 10	<input type="checkbox"/> Ex/Mas	<input type="checkbox"/> Ex/Mas	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/O	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day 2: Sat May 11	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/O	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/O
Day 3: Sun May 12	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/O	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/O	<input type="checkbox"/>

### AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this 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 lesser 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 there from, 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 the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person.

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, INTERPRETATION 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** SM program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

**Junior Handlers** should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. 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 above on this 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 foregoing 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: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT</b>		<b>ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes</b>			
<i>Circle one jump height, and circle class selections /Only one selection per class (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)</i>			
<b>REGULAR Classes</b>		<b>PREFERRED Classes</b>	
Jump Ht <b>8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 24C</b>		Jump Ht <b>4" 8" 12" 16" 20"</b>	
<b>STD</b> Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master PRM		<b>STD</b> NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP PRM P	
<b>JWW</b> Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master PRM		<b>JWW</b> NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP PRM P	
<b>FAST</b> Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master		<b>FAST</b> NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP	
<b>T2B</b> T2B		<b>T2B</b> T2BP	
<del>NON-REGULAR AGILITY CLASSES: INTERNATIONAL SWEET STAKES CLASS OTD JWW 14" 18" 20"</del>			
<b>This Dog Needs To Be Measured</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		SEX	HEIGHT at Withers
BREED	VARIETY	CALL NAME	
AKC Registered Name (Include AKC titles only)			
AKC REG NO. Enter Complete Registration Number Below		DATE OF BIRTH	
[ ] ILP. [ ] PAL [ ] FOREIGN REG NO. & COUNTRY		PLACE OF BIRTH USA CANADA FOREIGN	
Breeder			
Sire			
Dam			
ACTUAL OWNERS			
OWNERS ADDRESS		NEW ADDRESS ? [ ]	
CITY, STATE & ZIP + 4			
HANDLER		(if junior handler please enter # below)	
<b>Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions..</b>			

## Class Changes Effective January 1, 2020

### **Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within 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. 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, 2020, For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. 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

### **Fix and Go On (FNG)**

As of January 1, 2020, Fix and Go On will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. 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.