

PREMIUM LIST

AKC All-Breed Agility Trials

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

Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

**February 25-26, 2023****B&D Creekside Activity Center**

501 Avenue B
Latrobe, PA 15650

This event will be held indoors on sports turf

Two rings - 100' x 90' each

Jump height order will be **Low to High** both days

Limited to 660 Runs per Day

Judges:

Ronald McClelland**Victoria MacVicar****Judging will not begin before 8:00 AM**

Trial Hours: 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Entry Method: First Received

Entries Open Wednesday, 12/28, 2022 at 8:00 AM (EST) at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received prior to that date and time, will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. Hand deliveries within the first 24 hours of trial opening are not allowed.

Entries Close, Wednesday, February 8, 2023 at 7:00 PM (EST) - 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.

**AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB****AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by The American Kennel Club, Inc. for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.
Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club**Officers**

President Cecilia Daly
Vice President John Ackerman
Treasurer Denise Halcomb
Corresponding Secretary 1322 Foxwood Drive; Monroeville, PA 15146 Barbara Blanchfield

Agility Trial Chair	Agility Trial Secretary	Agility Trial Committee
Sandy Crighton 673 Grange Drive Apollo, PA 15613 724-422-7098 crighton673@comcast.net	Barbara Blanchfield 1322 Foxwood Drive Monroeville PA 15146 412-373-3339 poodles4me@verizon.net	Barbara Blanchfield Sandy Crighton Kris Meighan Julie Swamer Mellissa Voll-Stouffer

Judges and Assignments**Ronald McClelland (70507)**

3183 Basil Western Road
Baltimore, MD 43105

Saturday: All JWW classes & All FAST classes

Sunday: All Standard classes and T2B

Victoria Mac Vicar (70506)

15638 Mahoney Drive
Spring Hill, FL 34610

Saturday: All Standard classes and T2B

Sunday: All JWW classes & All FAST classes

Classes Offered

Standard	Jumpers With Weaves	FAST	T2B
Premier, Premier P	Premier, Premier P		T2B, T2B P
Master, Master P	Master, Master P	Master, Master P	
Excellent, Excellent P	Excellent, Excellent P	Excellent, Excellent P	
Open and Open P	Open and Open P	Open and Open P	
Novice A, B, P	Novice A, B, P	Novice A, B, P	

Class Order**Both days****Ring 1:** Premier Standard, Master/Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard, T2B**Ring 2:** Excellent FAST, Open FAST, Novice FAST, Novice JWW, Open JWW, Master/Excellent JWW, Premier JWW**Jump height order will be low to high all days.****Veterinarian On Call****Ridgeview Animal Clinic**

295 Bergman Rd; Derry, PA 15627; 724-537-7359 and 734-694-9100

AVETS

Specialty 24 Hour Emergency/Critical Care; 4224 Northern Pike; Monroeville, PA 15146; 412-828-7719

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

Emergency Services

Hospital: Latrobe Hospital, **Police:** Pennsylvania State Police, **Ambulance Service:** Mutual Aid Ambulance Service
911

Additional copies of the Premium and entry form may be downloaded from: <http://www.wcotc-dogs.com>

The WCOTC February 2023 Covid-19 Guidelines are available on the WCOTC Agility Trial Information site
<https://sites.google.com/view/wcotcagilitytrial/home>

Entries

Entry fee per dog each day, includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee **\$24.00**
Entry fee for additional class/same dog, same day, includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee **\$15.00**

Make All Checks and Money Orders payable to: **WCOTC**

Mail all entries to: **Barbara Blanchfield; 1322 Foxwood Drive; Monroeville, PA 15146**

- Entries received without fees or correct fees** will be returned to sender. Credit cards cannot be accepted. Make fees payable in US FUNDS. Trial secretary assumes no responsibility for cash sent through the mail. Post-dated checks and returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- No entry shall be made** and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.
- Exhibitors will pay** all bank charges for bounced checks. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a **CASH ONLY** basis.
- Declination of Entries.** Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club may decline any entries and may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness, or other cause and no one shall have any claim against WCOTC, or any official thereof.
- Express mail entries** must include signature waiver permitting them to be left at the Show Secretary's address. Mail requiring signatures will be returned to sender. Faxed or e-mailed entries cannot be accepted. **No online entries will be taken for this trial.**
- Entries must be on the Official AKC Agility Entry Form for Agility Trial.** Entry forms without the AKC agreement, attached to the entry form, are NOT ACCEPTABLE and will be returned to the exhibitor. Unsigned, and incomplete entries are not acceptable and dog cannot be entered in the trial. (AKC Rule Ch 14, Sec 4)
- Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor.
- Entry form changes**, additions or corrections must be received in writing prior to the February 8, 2023 closing date and time.

If you provide a valid, legible, unblocked email address, your entries will be acknowledged via email when received. To receive a confirmation by US mail, Please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Final confirmation and judging program will also be sent via email after the trial closes. If you do not provide an email address, your conformation letter and judging program will be mailed to the address provided on your entry form. If you have not received your confirmation five days before the trial, please contact the Trial Secretary.

Refunds

- No refund for duplicate entries.** Every effort will be made to find all duplicate entries; however, if an entry has been processed, no refund will be made.
- Owners are responsible** for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date.
- A dog withdrawn** from the trial after the event's closing date and time due to a change of judge will receive a refund specifically for any runs under that judge only.
- Entry fees shall not be refunded** in the event that the dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee.
- 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.
- A refund of entry fees less \$20 per day** for injured/incapacitated dogs will be made if entrants provide an excuse from their vet on formal letterhead stating that the dog is unable to run. This excuse must be presented to the Trial Secretary no later than the day of the trial.

Dogs Eligible to Enter

- This trial is open** to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds. Mixed breed dogs that have been listed with AKC Canine Partners may participate provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry form. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate.
- Dogs with Purebred Alternative Listing (PAL)**, Indefinite Listing Privileges (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 that are blind or deaf** shall not be eligible and neither are 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 bandaged or taped in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes.
- Puppies under four months** of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.
- Bitches in season** are not eligible to compete. Bitches in season are eligible for a full refund with veterinarian confirmation. This certificate must be presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial or cluster of trials. Refunds will be mailed.

Important Exhibitor Information

WCOTC is delighted to hold its February 2023 agility trials at B&D Creekside Activity Center. By entering these trials, I have read and agree to abide by the WCOTC Covid-19 Guidelines which and any county or state guidelines that are in effect at the time of the trials. Exhibitors not complying with these guidelines will be asked to leave and not issued a refund.

To the best of my knowledge, at the time of the trial if I have Covid-19 or its symptoms, I agree to refrain from attending these trials. I agree that I am attending these trials entirely at my own risk and assume all risk and full responsibility for my own health and safety.

Safety, Behavior and Liability

- 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 Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Westmoreland County Obedience Training 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 Westmoreland County Obedience Training Club or any official thereof.
- The safety of the dog is our primary concern.** By entering these trials, 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.
- All Dogs** present at the site must be on leads or confined to crates or x-pens when not being judged, except when in the exercise area or designated warm-up area. No exceptions. A designated exercise area is provided.
- This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.**

Notice to Exhibitors

- 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.
- A limited amount of Catalogs** will be available at the trials at \$6.00 per catalog.
- WCOTC will not be responsible** for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.
- 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/>.

Move-Ups

- If a dog earns an agility title** before this event, it can be moved up to the next level of competition. However, written notice MUST be given to Trial Secretary no later than 6:00 PM, Monday, February 20, 2023. Move-ups can be faxed to 412-373-3339 or emailed to poodles4me@verizon.net. No verbal move-ups will be accepted.
- Move-ups** will be accommodated from Saturday to Sunday. If a title is received on Saturday, then the dog can move up. Move-ups for Sunday will not be accepted at the trial if the dog is not entered on Saturday. Move-up forms must be given to the Trial Secretary no later than one half hour after the completion of the trial.

Ring, Obstacle and Warm-Up Information

- Obstacles will meet** the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials. Refer to the Regulations for Agility Trials for current list of mandatory obstacles.
- All classes** will take place indoors on field turf surface. Each ring will be 100' x 90'.
- Handlers in all classes** are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.
- A warm-up area**, consisting of a regulation agility jump, is 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.

Site Information

- ❑ **The B&D Creekside Activity Center** is air conditioned. All doors must be left closed. Exhibitor entrances are along the side of the building.
- ❑ **Crates may be left overnight**, however, WCOTC and the B&D Creekside Activity Center will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site. A tarp, mat or plastic must be placed under crates, x-pens, chairs, and food/water bowls.
- ❑ **Crating Space is limited.** Exhibitors should consolidate their crating area or they might be asked to do so. **Ex-pens allowed for VERY large dogs or multiple dogs only.**
- ❑ **Food and beverages** may be available for purchase on the show site. There are various restaurants and fast food vendors within a very short driving distance.
- ❑ **Exhibitors are responsible** for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.
- ❑ **Grooming of dogs is not permitted** in the arena.

Regular/Preferred Classes

- Exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. The same dog may now be entered in Regular FAST and/or T2B to finish up those titles while also entered in Preferred Master STD/JWW to start working towards their PACH at the lower height. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed.
- 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.
- Within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within 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.
- When calculating entry fees, treat multiple entry forms for the same dog as if only one form had been filled out. The 1st run entry fee is only paid once per day, per dog, even if that dog's runs have been submitted on multiple entry forms.

Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)

- For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.
- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out to the scribe and the judge

Fix and Go On (FNG)

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

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.

Ribbons, Prizes and Awards

1 st Place..... Blue	3 rd Yellow
2 nd Place..... Red	4 th White
Qualifying Dark Green

- ❑ Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score in each titling class.
- ❑ Rosettes will be awarded to 1st through 4th place dogs in each jump height and in each class.
- ❑ New title rosettes will be awarded to all dog/handler teams finishing a title.
- ❑ A MACH/PACH rosette and bar will be awarded to the team finishing their Master Agility Championship and Preferred Master Agility Championship. An AGCH rosette will be awarded to the team finishing their Agility Grand Champion title.
- ❑ Exhibitors will receive a dog toy valued at \$1-\$3 dollars for each dog entered for the weekend.
- ❑ All rosettes and ribbons must be claimed at the trial, none will be mailed.

Height Divisions

The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. All Heights are as measured at the withers. Dogs measuring into the 8" through 20" regular division may optionally enter the 24C division.

Dogs entered in Preferred classes, **must** jump at a height 4" lower than the minimum height they would be required to jump in the Regular class heights.

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
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"	(Not Available)	Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

Directions

Address for GPS: 501 Avenue B; Latrobe, PA 15650

From the East: Take I-70/US 30 W. Continue to follow US-30 W. Merge onto PA-982 toward Bradenville (go 1.0 Miles). Turn LEFT onto LIGONIER ST. (*LIGONIER is just past DIANE St.*) (go 0.3 Miles). Turn LEFT onto AVENUE B. (*AVENUE B is just past AVENUE C*) (go 0.3 Miles). 501 AVENUE B is on the RIGHT. (*destination is just past WATKINS AVE.*) (go 0.01 Miles)

From the West: Take US-22 E. Turn RIGHT onto PA-981 (go 6.5 Miles). Turn Right onto PA-981/Industrial Blvd. Continue to follow PA-981 S (go 0.5 Miles). Turn LEFT onto LINCOLN AVE./PA-981. Continue to follow LINCOLN AVE. (*Lincoln AVE. is just past DEPOT St.*) (go 0.9 Miles). Turn RIGHT onto Cedar ST. (*CEDAR ST. is 0.1 miles past CHERRY ST.*) (go 0.1 Miles). Turn LEFT onto LIGONIER ST. (go 0.3 Miles). Turn RIGHT onto AVENUE B (*AVENUE B is just past AVENUE A*) (go 0.3 Miles). 501 AVENUE B is on the RIGHT. (*destination is just past WATKINS AVE.*) (go 0.01 Miles).

From the North: Take I-76 S (Pennsylvania Turnpike). Merge onto US-30 E via EXIT 67 toward GREENSBURG (go 18.9 Miles). Merge onto PA-982 toward Bradenville (go 1.0 Miles). Turn LEFT onto LIGONIER ST. (*LIGONIER is just past DIANE St.*) (go 0.3 Miles). Turn LEFT onto AVENUE B. (*AVENUE B is just past AVENUE C*) (go 0.3 Miles). 501 AVENUE B is on the RIGHT. (*destination is just past WATKINS AVE.*) (go 0.01 Miles)

From the South: Take US-119 N. Merge onto US-30 E. Merge onto PA-982 toward Bradenville (go 1.0 Miles). Turn LEFT onto LIGONIER ST. (*LIGONIER is just past DIANE St.*) (go 0.3 Miles). Turn LEFT onto AVENUE B. (*AVENUE B is just past AVENUE C*) (go 0.3 Miles). 501 AVENUE B is on the RIGHT. (*destination is just past WATKINS AVE.*) (go 0.01 Miles)





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Table with 2 rows (Saturday, Sunday) and 7 columns (STD, JWW, FAST, PremSTD, PremJWW, T2B) with checkboxes.

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$24; \$15 each additional run

Pre-Paid Catalog - \$5 Volunteer

Make checks payable to: WCOTC

Mail to: Barbara Blanchfield, 1322 Foxwood Drive, Monroeville, PA 15146

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master and Premier allowed)

Table with 2 main columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Each column has sub-columns for different jump heights and class levels.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes STD JWW

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured, BREED, AKC@ NAME, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, VARIETY, CALL NAME

Form fields: AKC@ NO, (Enter Complete Registration # below), DATE OF BIRTH

Form fields: ILP NO, PAL NO, PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)

Form fields: FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER

Form fields: SIRE

Form fields: DAM

Form fields: ACTUAL OWNERS

Form fields: OWNERS ADDRESS, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

Form fields: HANDLER applicable, ENTER JR. HANDLER # if

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SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X _____

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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.

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 #: _____

PREFACE: The sport of purebred dog competitive events dates prior to 1884, the year of AKC's birth. Shared values of those involved in the sport include principles of sportsmanship. They are practiced in all sectors of our sport: conformation, performance and companion. Many believe that these principles of sportsmanship are the prime reason why our sport has thrived for over one hundred years. With the belief that it is useful to periodically articulate the fundamentals of our sport, this code is presented.

- Sportsmen respect the history, traditions and integrity of the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen commit themselves to values of fair play, honesty, courtesy, and vigorous competition, as well as winning and losing with grace.
- Sportsmen refuse to compromise their commitment and obligation to the sport of purebred dogs by injecting personal advantage or consideration into their decisions or behavior.
- The sportsman judge judges only on the merits of the dogs and considers no other factors.
- The sportsman judge or exhibitor accepts constructive criticism.
- The sportsman exhibitor declines to enter or exhibit under a judge where it might reasonably appear that the judge's placements could be based on something other than the merits of the dogs.
- The sportsman exhibitor refuses to compromise the impartiality of a judge.
- The sportsman respects the AKC bylaws, rules, regulations and policies governing the sport of purebred dogs.
- Sportsmen find that vigorous competition and civility are not inconsistent and are able to appreciate the merit of their competition and the effort of competitors.
- Sportsmen welcome, encourage and support newcomers to the sport.
- Sportsmen will deal fairly with all those who trade with them.
- Sportsmen are willing to share honest and open appraisals of both the strengths and weaknesses of their breeding stock.
- Sportsmen spurn any opportunity to take personal advantage of positions offered or bestowed upon them.
- Sportsmen always consider as paramount the welfare of their dog.
- Sportsmen refuse to embarrass the sport, the American Kennel Club, or themselves while taking part in the sport.

Important Exhibitor Information

By signing your Entry Form you agree to comply with the current COVID-19 procedures and with any modifications that may be in effect at the time of the event. Any modifications that change the protocol in the WCOTC September 2023 Covid-19 Guidelines will be posted on the WCOTC Agility Trial Google site.

<https://sites.google.com/view/wcotcagilitytrial/home>

WCOTC is delighted to hold its February 2023 agility trials at B&D Creekside Activity Center.

By entering these trials, I will fully cooperate with any CDC, county or state guidelines that are in effect at the time of the trial. Exhibitors not complying with these guidelines will be asked to leave and not issued a refund.

To the best of my knowledge, at the time of the trial if I have Covid-19 or its symptoms, I agree to refrain from attending these trials. I agree that I am attending these trials entirely at my own risk and assume all risk and full responsibility for my own health and safety.

I fully submit that WCOTC, its members, directors, officers and all persons connected or associated with WCOTC are in no way liable for any present or future COVID-19 infection incurred at any time by any person, in attendance or not in attendance, before, during or after these trials

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