

North American Dog Agility Council DOG AGILITY TRIAL

Columbia Agility Team



Presents The Twenty First Annual Columbia Cup



September 9 & 10, 2017

Clark County Fairgrounds, Ridgefield, Washington (2 RINGS ALTERNATING, 100' x 100' EACH, INDOORS ON PACKED DIRT)

RUBBER CONTACTS AND 24" WEAVE POLES WILL BE USED

JUDGES

Arlene Courtney, Monmouth, OR

CLASSES OFFERED

SATURDAY: 2 runs Regular, 1 run each Chances, Jumpers, Touch-N-Go, Weavers SUNDAY: 2 runs Regular, 1 run each Chances, Jumpers, Touch-N-Go, Tunnelers Limited to 350 runs with jumps per day, 500 runs total per day, per judge

Entries by mail open on July 24, 2017 and close on September 4, 2017 (or when trial fills which ever is earlier). Entries must be postmarked no earlier than July 24, 2017. If the trial does not fill by Sept 4, we will accept day-of entries but no discounts will apply and no CAT Bucks accepted and at a higher cost per run. See entry form for day-of pricing.

Move-ups for Saturday will be accepted until 7pm September 4, 2017. Move-ups for Sunday will be accepted until 15 minutes after the last run on Saturday.

TRIAL COMMITTEE

Trial Chair: Heidi Redfield
Trial Secretary: Tanya Sacks

tssacks@msn.com

Chief Course Builders: Dix Dixon Scorekeepers: Connie Whi

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MAIL ENTRIES TO: CAT, c/o Tanya Sacks, 14902 NE 99th ST, Vancouver WA 98682

E-mail questions and changes to: tssacks@msn.com

Measuring/Check In: THERE IS NO GENERAL CHECK IN. Verifying your registration number is your responsibility. Measuring: Measurement forms may be obtained at http://nadac.com/Application-for-Permanent-Height-Card.htm
Dogs which require measuring:

Dogs in the Proficient Category, Novice, Open or Elite jumping 4", 8", 12" or 16" Dogs which do not need to be measured:

Dogs jumping 16" in the Veteran or Junior Handler Division

Dogs jumping 20"

Dogs in the Skilled Category

Dogs with a permanent height card

Dogs listed on the Height Exemption List

If you have a Permanent height card, include a copy with your entry. Measuring/check-in for those required will be from 7:20 am to 7:30 am on both Saturday and Sunday. On both days, walk through for the first course is at 7:30 AM and classes begin at 8:00 AM.

Entry Rules: We will accept entries postmarked on July 24, 2017, or later, until either the maximum number of runs per day is reached or the closing date of September 4, 2017, whichever comes first. Spaces in this trial will be allotted in postmark order, not in the order of receipt by the Trial Secretary. If more entries with the opening date postmark are received than the total number of slots available, priority entry will be given to a <u>limited</u> number of exhibitors who volunteer to help at the trial. The remaining slots will be drawn from randomly selected entries. Only 10 entries may be included in a single envelope; if an envelope contains more than 10 entries, all of the entries will be considered invalid. Any entry that is not accompanied by payment in full will be considered invalid. If you use express mail, check the box "Signature Waived". We have the right to refuse any entry. Anyone who is not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed entry into the trial.

THE MANAGEMENT & THE CLUB will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor, whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of fees paid will be made.

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

Prizes and Awards:

Qualifying runs & placements: Placements ribbons will be awarded to at least fourth place in each jump height for each class (through sixth place for Novice), in each category, except Chances which is a pass/fail class. A purple qualifying ribbon shall be given for each qualifying round in each class.

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You must return a "Columbia Cup Entry Form" (in addition to your official trial entry form) to be considered for these awards. You must enter by the Sept. 4, 2017 closing date to be considered for the cup awards.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM NADAC

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

NADAC records trial results as they are submitted by the host clubs/groups. The individual trial results submitted by the club are uploaded to the www.NADACForum.com within two weeks after the NADAC office receives them from the club. Please accept the responsibility to review those results, and check that your registration number and qualifying points, as reported by the club are correct. You can join the Forum by going to www.NADACForum.com and submitting your request. If you find an error in the reporting of your dog's qualifying points or registration number, please contact the host club. The host club is responsible for correcting any errors and informing NADAC.

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

SKILLED & PROFICIENT CATEGORIES

Dogs must be entered in either **the Skilled** or **the Proficient category.** A dog may not be entered in Skilled one day and Proficient on another day. If you enter the Skilled category, you **must** run your dog at one jump height lower than its standard jump height. Dogs are allotted the standard course time for, and are scored and placed in the jump height entered.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Below is a brief summary of NADAC rules. Please refer to $\underline{www.nadac.com}$ for a full explanation of all NADAC rules and up to date information.

Please note that NADAC trials should provide a safe and fun environment for both exhibitors and their dogs.

Aggressive dogs will not be tolerated and will be excused from the trial.

The show committee has the right to refuse any entry. Anyone not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed to enter this trial.

Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations, and relevant CAT policies, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There be a \$25.00 service charge for bank returned checks.

**Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted. http://nadac.com/afrm/dogregfrm.asp

- All dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring.
- No leads, collars, food, toys, or other aids or devices will be permitted on the course at any time.
- There will be no refunds in the event that a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for dismissal.
- 100% of entry fees will be refunded if requested before the closing date. After the closing date, injured or ill handlers or injured, ill or in-heat dogs will receive a refund, less a \$10.00 handling fee. Verification from a doctor or vet may be requested.
- Running order will be determined at the club's discretion. An attempt will be made to separate runs for handlers with more than one dog in a class.

Non-Jumping Classes-Veteran or Disabled Handler. Handlers who are 60 years or older, or who have a disability that restricts mobility, may choose to enter the non-jumping classes as a Veteran Handle and receive 10% more standard course time. This option is for Veteran/Disabled handlers in non-jumping classes only. The Veteran/Disabled Handler division is designed for handlers who, due to age or impairment, are mobility limited and need extra time to guide their canine partners through an agility course. When entering as a Veteran/Disabled Handler, you must enter all dogs in all classes for the entire trial in the Division and must jump 4" lower than your Proficient, Standard Division jump height requires. In non-jumping classes, dogs will be scored and placed with their Standard Division jump height.

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

CLARK COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 17402 N.E. Delfel Road, Ridgefield, Washington

Take I-5 Exit #9 (in Washington), head west on 179th for ½ mile, turn left onto NE 2nd Ave., then left again at **Gate 7. Exposition & Equestrian Building** is on the right, at the end of the road.

Motels accepting well-behaved pets

Please check with motels for availability & ask for current pet policies Shilo Inn: Salmon Creek – 13206 Hwy 99, Vancouver, WA – (360) 573-0511 Quality Inn & Suites: 7001 N.E. Hwy 99, Vancouver, WA – (360) 696-0516 Holiday Inn Express: 13101 N.E. 27th Ave, Vancouver, WA – (360) 576-1055 La Quinta at Salmon Creek: 1500 NE 134th ST., Vanc., WA (360) 566-1100 Comfort Inn: 13207 N.E. 20th Avenue, Vancouver, WA – (360) 574-6000

CAMPING

Clark County Fairgrounds, RV hook-ups and tent sites on south side of the Exposition & Equestrian Bldg. for **\$25.00 per night** with or without hookups. Camping must be pre-paid and the fee included with your entry (CAT Bucks NOT allowed for camping fees). Please note: "Quiet Time" is from 10 pm to 6 am. No generators during this time.

GENERAL INFO

Donation: A percentage of the trial net profits will be donated to a dog related charity.

Crating Space: There is ample crating space around the rings, on concrete. There is no heating in the building and Clark County has a NO HEATERS policy in place due to possible fire hazard. All dogs must be contained in an x-pen or crate when left unattended. No tethering of unattended dogs will be allowed.

No Set Up allowed until after 3:30 pm on Friday. Any items set up prior to this time may be moved by the Club.

If you could earn your NATCH at this trial, please let us know so we can celebrate with you!

Food Vendor: There will **not** be a vendor on site. Please plan accordingly.

Vendors: If you would like to be a vendor at this trial, please contact Tanya Sacks at: tssacks@msn.com by Sept 4, 2017. The fee" for vendor space is a \$25 donation in goods to the trial raffle

AGREEMENT

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

- 1 As used here NADAC means North American Dog Agility Council, its members, officers, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.
- 2 Exhibitor/owner, agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
- Exhibitor/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.
- Exhibitor/owner acknowledge all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including by not limited to, the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fitting, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.
- Exhibitor/owner release NADAC (Including NADAC officers, employees and members), and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, Exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.
- 6 I/we acknowledge that by entering this class or event, I am or will be, a Limited Member of the Columbia Agility Team.

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

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM RUNS LIMITED AT THIS TRIAL

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RETURN THE COMPLETED ENTRY FORM WITH ENTRY FEES TO:

CAT, c/o Tanya Sacks, 14902 NE 99th ST, Vancouver, WA 98682. Make check or money order payable (in US funds) to Columbia Agility Team. Entries must be postmarked no earlier than July 24, 2017 and no later than September 4, 2017.

You must return a "Columbia Cup Entry Form" (in addition to your official trial entry form) to be considered for the cup awards. A copy is attached to the end of this premium.

OWNER'S NAME						NAD	AC Dog		
Handler					_	REGIST	RATION#		
If Other than C							quired for Entry		
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		Skilled Standard	Skilled Standard Division:			□ 8"	☐ 12"	□ 16"	
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Touch-N-Go	☐ Standard ☐ Jr Handler	☐ Veteran Dog	☐ Veteran Handler	☐ SAT	SUN				
Tunnelers	☐ Standard ☐ Jr Handler	☐ Veteran Dog	☐ Veteran Handler	ONL	Y 🗆 SUN				
Weavers	☐ Standard ☐ Jr Handler	☐ Veteran Dog	☐ Veteran Handler	☐ SAT C	DNLY				
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WHITE BOARD FOR VOLUNTEER SIGNUP. OR WEEKEND PACKAGE - 12 RUNS-SAME DOG = \$120 =									
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Parent or Legal Guardian of Junior Handler		Date				<u> </u>			

DAY-OF OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

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Owner's Name				NADAC Dog					
Handler							RATION#		
If Other than C					_		quired for Entry		
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E-M				VETERAN HANDLER YES NO (CIRCLE ONE)					
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Touch-N-Go	☐ Standard ☐ ☐ Jr Handler	☐ Veteran Dog	☐ Veteran Handler	☐ SAT	SUN				
Tunnelers	☐ Standard ☐ ☐ Jr Handler	☐ Veteran Dog	☐ Veteran Handler		☐ SUN				
Weavers	☐ Standard ☐ ☐ Jr Handler	☐ Veteran Dog	☐ Veteran Handler	☐ SAT					
☐ Number of Runs Entered: \$15 per Run x Run(s)									
(No Discounts or CATBucks for Day-Of entries)									
□ RV Camping Fee: \$25 per Night x Night(s) (No сатвискs) _=									
TOTAL ENCLOSED =									
SIGNATURE/s I/we have read, understood, and acknowledge the Agreement on page 3 of this premium.									
Entry is not valid without signature/s PHONE AND E-MAIL									
Owner/Exhibitor Date For Parent or Legal Guardian of Junior Handler									
Parent or Legal Guardian of Junior Handler Date									



Columbia Cup Entry Form



Cup awards are based on combination of all 4 Regular Runs and the dog's <u>Standard Division Proficient jumping height</u> as indicated in the table below. Proficient jump height of 12" and below will be "Small Dogs" and 16" and above will be "Large Dogs" for the purpose of these awards. In many cases, this will not match the height the dog actually jumps in the trial. It is for cup scoring purposes only. The "Veteran Dogs" for cup scoring will be comprised of dogs 10 years and older. Day-Of entries will not be eligible for the Cup awards.

SMALL	. DOGS	LARGE DOGS				
Withers 11" & under jump 8"	Withers 14" & under jump 12"	Withers 18" & under jump 16"	Withers 20" & under jump 20"	Withers over 20" & jump 20"		

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Handlers Name		Dogs Name			
Dog's Actual Height		Date of Birth			
Running in (circle one)	Elite	Open	Novice		
Only those dogs for which we have received a Cup Entry Form will be scored for the cup					

Only those dogs for which we have received a Cup Entry Form will be scored for the cup awards. Please e-mail the trial secretary at <u>tssacks@msn.com</u> if you have any questions.