

AKC Agility Trial Premium List

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Canine Combustion Dog Agility Club  
of SE Michigan



**Friday, November 25, 2016** Mas/Ex/Prem Only

**Saturday, November 26, 2016** All levels

**Sunday, November 27, 2016** All levels

Event # 2016526607, 2016526608, 2016526609

Highest Hope Dog Sports

9396 Fenton

Grand Blanc, MI

Event will be held indoors on field turf-type surface

Ring size 120' x 70'

Rubber contacts, 24" Weave Poles

Entries will be taken on a draw basis.

Opening date: September 28, 2016 8AM.

Draw closing date: Tuesday October 18, 2016 6PM

Draw date: Wednesday October 19, 2016 Draw 7PM

Location: Trial Secretary's Residence

15717 Fry, Plymouth, MI 48170

**ENTRIES CLOSE: November 11, 2016 6PM**

at the address of the Trial Secretary or when limit is reached  
after which time entries cannot be accepted cancelled altered or substituted except as provided  
for in Chapter 14, Section 6b of the Dog Show Rules.

Wait List limit - maximum of 50 dogs, Wait List closes November 22, 2016

Judging begins: Friday 9AM, Saturday and Sunday 8AM



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.

## Officers of Canine Combustion Dog Agility Club of SE Michigan

President: Kathy Wells 19813 Melrose Ave, Southfield, MI 48075  
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### Event Committee – CCDAC

Trial Chairman:

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Trial Secretary:

Anita Hilliard 15717 Fry, Plymouth, MI 48170 734-420-3064  
[secretary@caninecombustion.com](mailto:secretary@caninecombustion.com)

Awards: Jill Boback

Organizing Committee: Kathy Wells, Jeremy Gerhard, Jeanette Losey, Leslie Kozlowski, Sheri Kaiser, Jill Boback, Lynn Baitinger

Workers: Members of CCDAC

### Judge for all classes Friday, Saturday, and Sunday

Jeff Ipser #59337 18956 Thorpe Road, Chagrin Falls, OH 44023  
[jpipser@aol.com](mailto:jpipser@aol.com)

Emergency Contacts Ambulance/Fire Department/Police Department 911

### Hospital

Genesys Regional Medical Center  
1 Genesys Parkway  
Grand Blanc, Michigan 48439  
810-606-5710  
Toll Free: 1-888-606-5710

### Veterinary Care On Call

The Animal Emergency Hospital of Flint:  
1148 E. Bristol Rd.  
Burton, MI 48529  
(810) 238-7557

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasite, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccination. The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering this match, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of the sport and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

### RIBBONS AND PRIZES

Qualifying ribbons – green will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score; plus a dog toy for all qualifiers.

Placement rosettes or strip ribbons will be awarded to the 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> place dog in each jump height in each class.

Ribbons:

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Blue, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Red, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Yellow, 4<sup>th</sup> Place – White

MACH or PACH Bars will be awarded for those earning a MACH or PACH

### HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering opt 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
26"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion

### MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

All agility dogs are required to have an Official Jump Height Card/Valid yellow form and exhibitors must be able to present it prior to running their dog(s) in any class or at any time during the trial upon request whether or not they have sent a copy of such with their entry. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog **before** its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

- Owners or handlers entering dogs in a trial do so at their own risk and agree to assume responsibility for any damage caused by them, or by their dogs. They also agree to abide by the Rules of the American Kennel Club and these Regulations.
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- At the handler's option, the dog may wear a flat buckle or quick release collar without tags or other attachments. Choke, pinch, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited.
- Dogs must be kept on leash except when in ring or practice area.
- A small warm up area with a single practice jump will be provided. No other equipment or training devices will be allowed on the show grounds
- Entries must be received by the closing date, and in US funds. Mail early to avoid disappointment. Entries received after the closing date will be returned. If express mailing is used please sign release to be left at the door.
- Entries WILL BE REFUNDED for bitches that come into season by the trial date, with a signed notice by the dog's regular veterinarian to be verified by the club with the veterinarian before the refund is made.
- There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date, or in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by the judge or the club, or banned from competition by action of the Event Committee.
- No entry shall be refunded if the test cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of god, public emergency, act of public enemy, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of club.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$35 service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark of notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled without recourse by owner/handler.
- The club will be collecting a \$3.50 per dog per day recording fee and \$3.50 recording fee for additional entries of same dog same day for AKC.
- **Confirmation of entries** will be sent out before the trial. **If you listed your e-mail address on the entry form, your confirmation will be via e-mail only.**
- Fault Limits may be imposed at the discretion of the organizing committee.
- \*It is expressly understood exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the Trial site. In such case, no refund of any fee paid will be made.
- Dogs are not required to be at the Trial until scheduled time of judging; however, exhibitors are responsible for being at the ringside when it is their turn to run. Judges need not wait for any dog holding up the class. Please check in with the Gate Steward.
- ♦ Move-ups are allowed day to day at this trial. A move-up form must be filled out and turn in no later than the day preceding the event -i.e. if you qualify on Saturday, you need to turn in the form on Saturday before you leave.
- ♦ There will be limited parking, so please no RV's.

**Classes Offered**

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Master/Ex FAST Premier Standard Master/Ex Standard Premier JWW Master/Ex JWW	Premier JWW Master/Ex JWW Premier Standard Master/Ex Standard Master/Ex FAST Open FAST Novice FAST Open Standard Novice Standard Novice JWW Open JWW	Premier JWW Master/Ex JWW Premier Standard Master/Ex Standard Open Standard Novice Standard Novice JWW Open JWW
Judging begins: 9AM	Judging begins: 8AM	Judging begins: 8AM

- ♦ Preferred Standard/JWW/FAST will run concurrently with Stand/JWW/FAST (Ex B 20", Ex A 20", Ex Preferred 20", Ex B 16", Ex A 16", Ex Preferred 16" etc.)
- ❖ Dogs shall not be eligible to participate in more than one standard class and one regular JWW class or one preferred standard class and one preferred JWW class at a sanctioned agility match.
- ❖ Move-ups will be allowed day to day. (further information see notice to exhibitors.)

FEES

- ❖ **Fees for Friday, Saturday and Sunday: \$16 per run**
- ❖ **Make all checks payable to CCDAC**
- ❖ **Volunteers - Feel free to write worker, volunteer, helper on your envelope to be considered for the workers' draw - Unfortunately, this does not insure a place in trial. Volunteers will receive free lunch.**
- ❖ **Move-ups no later than November 21, 2016 6PM**
- ❖ **Maximum of 10 dogs permitted per envelope for Random Draw entries.**

LODGING INFORMATION

Please double check that the hotel still allows dogs.

\* Red Roof - Flint - Bishop Airport, G3219 Miller Road, Flint, MI 48507  
810-733-1660

\* Super 8 - Miller Road, 3033 Claude Ave, Flint, MI 48507  
810-230-7888

\* Americ Inn Of Flint, 6075 Hill 23 Drive, Flint, MI 48507  
810-233-9000

\* Holiday Inn Express - US-23 at 17800 Silver Parkway, Fenton, MI 48430  
810-714-7171

Always remember to clean up after your dogs at the show site and at the hotels.

## CLASS INFORMATION

### STANDARD AGILITY CLASSES:

The NOVICE Agility class is divided into Division A

for persons and dogs that have never acquired an agility title; Division B is for dogs that have acquired the Novice Agility title, persons that have handled a dog to an agility title, and for agility judges.

The OPEN Agility class is open to dogs that have acquired the Novice Agility or Open Agility titles, but which have not acquired the Agility Excellent title.

The EXCELLENT Agility class is divided into two divisions: Division A is for dogs that have not acquired the Excellent Agility title and Division B for dogs that have achieved the Excellent Agility title.

### JUMPERS WITH WEAVES CLASSES:

The NOVICE JWW Agility class is divided into Division A for persons and dogs that have never acquired an agility title; Division B is for dogs that have acquired the Novice JWW Agility title, persons that have handled a dog to an agility title, and for agility judges.

The OPEN JWW Agility class is open to dogs that have acquired the Novice JWW Agility or Open JWW Agility titles, but which have not acquired the Agility JWW Excellent title.

The EXCELLENT JWW Agility class is divided into two divisions: Division A is for dogs that have not acquired the Excellent JWW Agility title and Division B for dogs that have achieved the Excellent JWW Agility title.

### PREFERRED CLASSES:

All dogs entering the Preferred Classes for the first time must enter the Novice level in both Standard and Jumpers with Weaves regardless of their previous title level in the Regular Classes (Std & JWW).

### F.A.S.T. (Fifteen and Send Time) CLASS:

FAST class used fifteen (15) point valued obstacles and/or obstacle combinations. The course will include a 'Send Bonus' or distance element that will award a bonus of twenty (20) points if completed successfully, and is identified as the 'Send Bonus'.

Novice A,B, and Preferred FAST level will focus on the introduction of the skill, timing, and minor distance work involved in a game of strategy and point accumulation

Open and Open Preferred FAST level will be to test skill, timing, and intermediate distance work involved in a game of Strategy and point accumulation.

Excellent A, B, and preferred will be to test skill, timing, and distance work at the highest level involved in a game of strategy and point accumulation.

**TIME 2 BEAT (T2B)** is a combination course of Standard and Jumpers With Weaves.

While dogs of any skill level (i.e., novice, open, excellent) are allowed to compete in T2B, to be successful you will need to demonstrate an advanced level of skills.

**PREMIER CLASSES** Dogs with an AX are eligible to enter Premier Standard Regular. Dogs with AX or AXP are eligible to enter Premier Standard Preferred. Dogs with an AXJ are eligible to enter Premier JWW. Dogs with AXJ or AJP are eligible to enter Premier Preferred JWW. Dogs with Regular titles may crossover to Premier Preferred level as noted above. These classes are offered as separate titling tracks and are not part of the MACH/PACH Championships. See Chapter 11 for full description.

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☺ ☺ Volunteers needed and greatly appreciated ☺ ☺  
Helpers will receive a free lunch for each day they work.

There will be no food available to purchase at this trial.  
Restaurants are within a five-ten minute drive.

### DIRECTIONS:

Highest Hope Dog Sports  
9396 Fenton  
Grand Blanc, MI

**From I-75** take the Holly Road (Genesis Hospital exit) . Go south on Holly Road. Turn west onto E Baldwin Road. Turn north (right) onto Fenton Road.

**From US 23 southbound** take Grand Blanc Rd east to Fenton Road. Turn south onto Fenton Road.

**From US 23 northbound** take W Thompson Rd east to Fenton Road. Turn north onto Fenton Road.

[www.mapquest.com](http://www.mapquest.com) or [www.yahoo.com](http://www.yahoo.com) do a fine job of mapping the area.

