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Teacup Dogs Agility Association Agility Trial



January 13-14, 2018



Presented by
Rocky Mountain Agility

Dog Training Center
Trial Location:
8910 West 52nd Ave.
Arvada, Colorado

Judge: Ramona Bajorek
Evergreen, CO

Saturday: 2 Standard Classes and 2 Games: Gamblers and Helter Skelter
Sunday: 2 Standard Classes and 2 Games: What's My Line? and Tunnelers

Pre-Entries Close at 12:00 Noon on Thursday, January 11, 2018
Weekend packages available
Day of trial entries will be accepted with an additional fee

FEO (For Exhibition Only) entries will be accepted

Site opens at 7:30 AM for set up, check-in and measuring
Judging starts at 8:30 AM on Saturday & Sunday
This trial will be held indoors on matted floors

Certification

Permission has been granted by the Teacup Dogs Agility Association for the holding of this event under Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules and Regulations, which are available at the TDAA website www.k9tdaa.com.

Trial Chair Zona Butler (303-420-0123) info@rmagility.com	Trial Secretary Brenda Douglass (303-421-9440) brdouglass@comcast.net
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Tentative Running Order (Subject to change)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 2018 <i>TALL TO SMALL (16", 12", 8", 4", 2")</i> Gamblers (G3, G2, G1) Standard Round 1 (Sup, Int, Beg) Standard Round 2 (Beg, Int, Sup) Helter Skelter (All levels by height)	SUNDAY, JANUARY 14, 2018 <i>SMALL TO TALL (2", 4", 8", 12", 16")</i> What's My Line? (All Levels by height) Standard Round 3 (Sup, Int, Beg) Standard Round 4 (Beg, Int, Sup) Tunnelers (All Levels by height)
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Trial Eligibility

This trial is open to all dogs 20" and under that are over the age of 12 months, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance.

Your dog must be registered with TDAA to compete in TDAA trials. There is a registration form included in the premium. You can register online at www.k9tdaa.com, mail a completed registration form to TDAA, or bring the form to the trial secretary for day-of-trial registration. If you have sent a registration form for your dog to TDAA but their number has not been received, please mark PENDING in the TDAA number space on the entry form.

Trial Fees

Pre-Entry Fees:

Each Standard or Games class..... \$13.00
WEEKEND Package (all 8 runs)..... 95.00
FEO (For Exhibition Only) each run 5.00

Fast Track Move-up (Fees payable to RMA)..... 8.00

Day-of-Trial Entry Fees:

Each Standard or Games Class (no package)\$15.00
FEO (For Exhibition Only) each run5.00

TDAA Registration (Fees payable to TDAA).....12.00

Class Information

Standard Agility Class

Beginner All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Intermediate Only dogs who have earned the Teacup Beginner Agile Dog (TBAD) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Superior Only dogs who have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agile Dog (TIAD) or the Teacup Superior Agility Dog (TSAD) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games Class

Games I All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games II Only dogs who have earned the Games I (TG1) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games III Only dogs who have earned the Games II (TG2) or Games III (TG3) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Awards

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 3rd place in each jump height in each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. Titling Ribbons will also be awarded to dogs completing a title. Dogs may receive placement ribbons without qualifying. Fast-Track dogs are not eligible for placement awards in classes through which they Fast Track.

Move-Ups

Move ups will be accepted for dogs earning a title at a prior show with written notice to the trial secretary, emails are accepted. Day of trial move ups will also be accepted.

Fast Track Move-Ups: Titles may be grandfathered from other organizations on a "Fast Track" basis. A dog with a higher title from another organization may move up on the same day to the next level of TDAA competition with a qualifying score. It is possible to move up from Beginner to Superior on the same day if the dog qualifies first in Beginner and again in Intermediate. Likewise, a dog may move up from Games I to Games III by qualifying at each of the lower two levels. A qualifying score in the lower class is required to move up to the next higher class. The dog's owner must submit a copy of title certificates for the dog. Please mark each that apply and submit \$8.00 with your entry with the FAST TRACK portion completed. Payment of the \$8.00 is not a guarantee that your dog will qualify at the lower level and is non-refundable. This fee must be paid for this trial even if a Fast Track fee has been paid in the past.

Games

The Judge will explain these games in full during the Judge's Briefing.

All games are taken from The Clean Run Book of Agility Games, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Edition by Bud Houston. Copies of this book may be ordered from the Clean Run website www.cleanrun.com or the TDAA website www.k9tdaa.com

JUDGE'S BRIEFING ON DAY OF TRIAL SUPERSEDES THESE PRINTED BRIEFINGS.

Gamblers

Gamblers is a two-part game: dog's choice point accumulation followed by a distance challenge. The objective of Gamblers is for the dog-and-handler team to accumulate as many points as possible in the allotted time and to successfully complete the distance. *Gamblers* is scored Points, Then Time.

Helter Skelter

Helter Skelter is a game of speed and skill, played on a numbered course consisting of obstacles arranged in a spiral that builds speed. *Helter Skelter* is scored Time, Plus Faults.

What's My Line?

What's My Line is a game of strategy in which the handler is required to direct his dog to perform every obstacle on the field once, but only once. The dog earns one point for each obstacle performed. *What's My Line* is scored Points, Then Time.

Tunnelers

Tunnelers is a numbered course consisting only of tunnels. Dogs at all levels run the same course. *Tunnelers* is scored Faults, Then Time.

Height Divisions

See www.k9tdaa.com for updates to Rules and height divisions.

Measured Height Divisions (Owners are responsible for entering the proper height division):

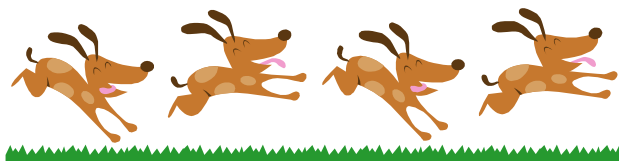
- 2" measured height ~ dogs measuring 4" or less at the withers
- 4" measured height ~ dogs measuring 8" or less at the withers
- 8" measured height ~ dogs measuring 12" or less at the withers
- 12" measured height ~ dogs measuring 16" or less at the withers
- 16" measured height ~ dogs measuring 20" or less at the withers.

Measured heights are determined based on the height of the dog at the withers. Dogs of the same measured height compete at the same course times, even when jump heights differ. Dogs of the same measured height compete against each other.

It is no longer necessary to present a jump height card when entering a TDAA trial. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

The TDAA will allow a dog's handler/owner to choose the jump height that is appropriate for that dog.

A dog may enter a trial at only one jump height. A dog's jump height may be changed, at the trial, only with the permission of the trial secretary.



Time Accommodations for Veteran Dogs & Disabled Handlers

Veteran Dogs: A veteran dog is a dog at least 7 years of age. Veteran dogs receive additional time in Standard runs based on their measured height division. Additional time in games will depend on scoring criteria. There is no special system of titling for veteran dogs.

Disabled Handlers: Disabled handlers receive an additional 4 seconds for Standard runs. Additional time in games will depend on scoring criteria. Proof of disability shall be a copy of the handler's disability parking tag or other official documentation, which must be included with the entry or presented at check-in at the trial. There is no special system of titling for disabled handlers.

FEO (For Exhibition Only)

What is FEO?? FEO is the opportunity to run your dog in a trial setting while not officially competing. For dogs not quite ready for trialing, this is a chance to practice a competition course under trial conditions. And if your dog didn't do well on a particular course during a scored run, this is a chance to try the course again.

Unlimited FEO runs will be offered at this trial. Teams may enter only FEO runs or may enter competition (scored) runs and FEO. Note: FEO runs for dogs entered in competition runs are only available AFTER completing the scored run. Teams running FEO will have a maximum of 1.5 times the standard course time in the ring. The dog may be on a leash as long as the handler is careful not to get it caught on any obstacles while in the ring. No treats or food allowed. Teams may not repeat any obstacles (no training in the ring allowed).

Obstacles

The following is a list of obstacles to be used. Contacts & table have rubber coating.
Dog Walk (8' L x 12" W Apex 36" with slats) A-Frame (6'8" L x 3' W Apex 44" H with slats)
Teeter (8' L x 12" W Apex 12") Jumps (42" H x 3' W with heights at 4", 8", 12", 16")
Jump Wings (12" x 30") Tire (16" diameter with 35" uprights) Chute (18" diameter with 8 ft cloth)
Table (30" Square with 6" & 12" legs) Weave Poles (6 -18" poles -- spaced 20" apart)
Pipe Tunnels - 18" diameter x 10' long Dog Measuring Stand (Metal with hanging arm that goes over dog.)

Warm-Ups: A warm up area consisting of a regulation jump, weave poles, and 1 tunnel shall be provided for all exhibitors

Obstacle Familiarization will be held Saturday and Sunday mornings 15 minutes prior to the first judges briefing for *Beginner handler/dog teams* who need to familiarize themselves with TDAA sized equipment.

Area Accommodations

Please check with hotel when making reservations—acceptance of dogs and rates are subject to change.

- Motel 6, 9920 West 49th Ave, Wheat Ridge, CO 303-424-0658.
- Super 8 Motel, 4700 Kipling St., Wheat Ridge, CO 303-423-4000
- Comfort Inn, 10200 I-70 Frontage Rd, Wheat Ridge, CO 303-422-6346
- Prospect RV Park, 11600 West 44th Ave, Wheat Ridge, CO 303-424-4414

Please make sure that you pick up after your dogs so that these hotels will continue to accept dogs. All owners/exhibitors should be aware that the entire motel and grounds are considered within the trial limits. You will be responsible for all damage to your room. Any abuse of the motel/adjoining grounds will be brought to the attention of the show giving club and its Trial Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel facilities

Notice to Exhibitors

- The safety of the dogs 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.
- All dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area.
- 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 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 case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct, including rough handling or misconduct of any kind, will result in an excusal from the ring.
- Bitches in season are not permitted in the trial. A refund of all but \$15 will be given for withdrawals up to and including the day of the trial due to bitches in season or injured dogs. A letter from your veterinarian may be required. Otherwise, there will be no refunds for withdrawals prior to the 1st day of trial or during the trial for any reason.
- No entries will be accepted which require a signature for delivery. All entries must be submitted on an Official TDAA Agility Entry Form with one dog per entry form. Photocopied entries without the TDAA agreement are not acceptable. Unsigned, incomplete, or illegible entries are not accepted. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. A \$25.00 service charge will be charged for any returned checks. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY basis.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee
- Food and toys are not permitted in the course area and handlers are not allowed to use whistles or other instruments or devices.
- Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run.
- Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited.
- Exhibitors may wear clothing or insignia of their training group if they wish.
- Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the TDAA Rules and Regulations.
- This trial shall be judged under the current Rules and Regulations of the TDAA. Rules can be obtained online at www.k9tdaa.com.



Food

There will be **NO** snack and lunch stand available on site. Sodas and water are available for purchase. Fast food and sit down restaurants are located within 1 mile of the facility.



Day of Trial and Late Entries

You may mail, call or email your pre-entries to the trial secretary by 12:00 noon on Thursday before the trial. If you have not notified the trial secretary by noon Thursday, 10/12/17, your entry will be considered a day of trial entry and subject to additional fees of \$2 per run.

If you have sent a **pre-entry**, and during the course of the trial **wish to add additional runs, you will not be charged the additional fees** for those runs since your information was previously recorded for this trial.

To make any changes to your entry on any run, you must provide that change to the trial secretary at least 1 class prior to the running of the class you want to change.



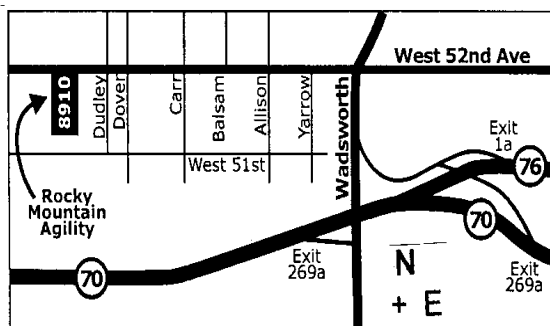
Show Site

The indoor arena has a matted floor, 60' x 90' (5,400 Sq. Ft). Enclosed - Heated with access to attached outdoor area 45' x 105' (4,590 sq. ft.) grassy and fenced.

Indoor crating space will be available. Please bring crates, no x-pens. Please clean up after your dogs. Indoor RMA show grounds will be unlocked at 7:30 AM and locked at end of trial each day.

Routes to the Trial

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AGILITY DOG TRAINING CENTER



From the East - I-70 to Wadsworth Blvd.

Take I-70 to Wadsworth Blvd. and go North. The first intersection is 52nd Ave. Turn left (West) towards the mountains and go about 1 mile. 8910 is on the South side of street (left side). If you get to Garrison St. you have gone too far. Drive in, park, and walk over the bridge to the Big White Arena in the middle of the property.

From the West - I-70 to Kipling

Take I-70 to Kipling and go North to 49th Ave. (at the corner is Natural Grocers). Turn right (East) and go to Garrison St. Turn left (North) and go to 52nd Ave. Turn right (East) and go to 8910 W. 52nd Ave. Drive in, park, and walk over the bridge to the Big White Arena in the middle of the property.

Emergency Veterinarian

Wheat Ridge Animal Hospital
10140 West 44th Ave., Wheat Ridge, CO 80033
303-424-3325

Volunteer Sign Up

Volunteers are the backbone of any agility trial. By its very nature TDAA is small. Small dogs, small equipment, small trials and small number of handlers. We need all hands to make a trial work. **Please sign up on the volunteer board at the trial** to work during classes you are not running in.

We will make sure you get adequate time to warm up your dog and do your walk-through. Don't worry if you don't know how to do a job! They are easy and we can show you how. All volunteers will receive a voucher that can be applied to future trials.

Instructions

A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for a show closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner, it must be entered in the name of the new owner in any show for which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been made to TDAA.



Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association Entry Form

Rocky Mountain Agility DTC TDAA Trial January 13-14, 2018

Mail entries to: Brenda Douglass, 12024 West 54th Dr., Arvada, CO 80002 Make Checks Payable to: **RMA**

Dog TDAA #	Dog Call Name:	
Breed:	Date of Birth:	Sex:
Owner's (Please Print):		
Address/City/State/Zip:		
Phone Number:	E-mail Address:	

Dog's <i>Measured</i> Jump Height: <input type="checkbox"/> 2" <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16" Jump Height your dog will <i>jump</i> at this trial: <input type="checkbox"/> 2" <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16"	
It is the Owner's Responsibility to enter the correct Measured jump height	
Time/Jump Height Accommodations: <input type="checkbox"/> VETERAN DOG (7 yrs) <input type="checkbox"/> Body Type Exemption <input type="checkbox"/> DISABLED HANDLER*	
<i>*A copy of the disabled parking permit or other official documentation must be submitted with this entry or presented at check-in.</i>	

<p>Saturday January 13, 2018</p> <p>Game - Gamblers <input type="checkbox"/> GI <input type="checkbox"/> GII <input type="checkbox"/> GIII <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Standard Round 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Beg <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Sup <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Standard Round 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Beg <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Sup <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Game – Helter Skelter <input type="checkbox"/> GI <input type="checkbox"/> GII <input type="checkbox"/> GIII <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Sunday January 14, 2018</p> <p>Game - What's My Line? <input type="checkbox"/> GI <input type="checkbox"/> GII <input type="checkbox"/> GIII <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Standard Round 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Beg <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Sup <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Standard Round 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Beg <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Sup <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p> <p>Game – Tunnelers <input type="checkbox"/> GI <input type="checkbox"/> GII <input type="checkbox"/> GIII <input type="checkbox"/> FEO</p>	<p>FEES</p> <p>Weekend Package (8 runs excluding PPQ) \$95 _____</p> <p>Pre-Entry (Std or Game) _____ Runs x \$13 = _____</p> <p>FEO (all runs) _____ Runs x \$5 = _____</p> <p>Day of Trial (Std or Game) _____ Runs x \$15 = _____</p> <p>Fast Track \$8 _____</p> <p>Less Coupons / Discounts _____</p> <p>Total Enclosed (Payable to RMA): _____</p>
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Fast Track Move up	STANDARD: <input type="checkbox"/> GAMES: <input type="checkbox"/>	<p><i>Please submit \$8.00 and a copy of titling certificate from the organization in which the higher level title was earned. Payment of the \$8.00 is no guarantee that your dog will qualify at the lower level and is non-refundable.</i></p>
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Agreement to Participate-Waiver: I (we) acknowledge that this Agreement to Participate at Rocky Mountain Agility Dog Training Center (RMA), Zona Butler, was made available to me (us) at this time, and that I am (we are) familiar with its contents. I (we) agree that RMA and Zona Butler, are holding Dog Training Activities and they have the right to refuse entry for cause which cause Zona Butler shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this Agreement and of the holding of these activities and of the opportunity to have my dog participate, I (we) agree to hold RMA, Zona Butler, the companies' trainers, directors, agents, and the property owner (David Butler) of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties 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 upon the agility equipment and on the 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 of this dog by disappearance, theft, death, or otherwise and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of this business or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 therefrom, sustained by any person including myself (ourselves) on or account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in these activities howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property 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. I (we) further mutually agree that our respective insurance companies shall have no right of subrogation against the other on account thereof.

AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOR: If your dog shows aggression to you or others or their dogs, your dog will not be allowed to participate in these activities until you can prove its aggressive behavior is under control. **BITCHES IN SEASON NOT ALLOWED ON PREMISES.**

PHYSICAL LIMITATION WAIVER: If applies - I confirm that my dog has a physical limitation of _____

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 Teacup Dogs Agility Association for this agility trial, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed below. 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.

Signed X _____ Date _____
 Signature of Owner (Parent or Guardian if under 18)



Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association

**DOG REGISTRATION
FORM**

Return with \$12.00 payment to:

**Teacup Dogs Agility Association
14543 State Route 676
Waterford, OH. 45786**

Dog's Name: (The name used on titling certificates)

Dog's Call Name:

Dog's Breed:

Dog's Date of Birth:

Gender:

Have you registered a dog with TDAA previously?

Yes:

No:

Owner: (The name used on titling certificates)

Mailing Street Address:

City, State and Zip:

Primary Phone #:

Secondary Phone #:

Email Address:

Your dog's TDAA number will be emailed to you at this address. Provide updated email when applicable.

Only dogs measuring 20" or less at the withers are eligible for TDAA registration. There is no refund of this dog registration fee for any reason.

Office Use

Date _____

CK # _____

Amt _____

___ Dog # _____

___ Person # _____

___ Create PDF ___ Height Cert ___ TEMP Hgt

___ Email .PDF to customer

___ Enter AUD

Effective January 1, 2014