

Sanctioned
Teacup Dogs Agility Association
 Agility Trial



**Friday, September 22, 2017, Friday, October 20, 2017,
 and Friday, December 1, 2017**

PRESENTED BY

Cloud Nine Training School for Dogs

Location:
 5002 Hillsboro Ave., North
 New Hope, MN 55428

This trial will be held indoors on rubber mats

Judging Starts 7:00 PM each day

Judge: Dennis Vogel

Unlimited Entries – FEO (For Exhibition Only) entries accepted.

Pre-entries close on the Thursday prior to the trial date.

Handling fee of \$2 per class will be added for day of show entries.

Day of show entries accepted before 6:30 PM.

Day of show move ups allowed before 6:30 PM.

Certification

Permission has been granted by the Teacup Dogs Agility Association for the holding of this event under Teacup Dog Agility Association Rules and Regulations.

Trial Chair/Secretary, Kim Vogel
 1199 Leeward Ave., Lake Elmo, MN 55042
 651-436-1806
kmvogel@vogelscientific.com

Scheduled Order of Classes <i>(subject to change)</i>		
Friday, September 22	Friday, October 20	Friday, December 1
Standard Round 1 Standard Round 2	Black Hole Call, Direct, Send Touch 'n Go	Standard Round 1 Standard Round 2

Site will be open at 6:00 PM for set up. Measuring will start at 6:30 PM. Obstacle Familiarization at 6:30 PM. Judging will start at 7:00 PM.

The following is a list of obstacles to be used:

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|------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| A-frame (8' slatted) | Closed (Collapsed) Tunnel | Tire Jump (16") |
| Dog walk (8' slatless ramps) | Open (Pipe) Tunnel (16") | Single jumps |
| Teeter (8' slatless) | Weave poles (20" centers) | Table (30" by 30") |

Obstacle Familiarization will be provided 30 minutes prior to judging.

AWARDS: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th in each jump height of each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a Qualifying score. Dogs may receive placement ribbons without qualifying. Fast track dogs will only get Qualifying ribbons at the Beginner/Games I and Intermediate/Games II levels.

This trial will be held indoors on rubber mats * Crating space is tight

PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE.

All dogs must be kept on leash except in designated areas.

PLEASE VOLUNTEER AT THE TRIAL!

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 volunteer 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. We want everyone to have a pleasant experience running in TDAA while at the same time helping to make the trial run smoothly. Don't worry if you don't know how to do a job! They are easy and we can show you how! Help is also needed with set-up and clean-up after the trial.

Thank you so much for volunteering!

GAMES

Black Hole is a numbered course requiring the handler to simply avoid any tunnels (Black Holes) with his dog. A dog that goes into a Black Hole is subject to a significant penalty. Black Hole is scored Time, Plus Faults. ER5

Call, Direct and Send (CDS) is a numbered course that requires the team to solve three distance challenges: Call, Direct, and Send. CDS is scored Time, Plus Faults, Less Bonus. ER7

Touch 'n Go is a numbered course consisting of tunnels and contact obstacles only! Touch 'n Go is scored Faults, Then Time. ER12

Additional information on the games can be found in:

The Clean Run Book of Agility Games

2nd Edition by Bud Huston

and at www.k9tdaa.com

Eligibility – This trial is open to all dogs under 17” and 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 participate in TDAA Trials. There is a registration form included in this premium, or you can register the day of the trial. TDAA rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at www.k9tdaa.com

CLASS INFORMATION

Standard Class

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

Intermediate Agility - Only dogs that have earned the Teacup Beginner Agile Dog (TBAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Superior Agility – Only dogs that have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agile Dog (TIAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games Classes

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

Games II – Only dogs that have earned the Games I (TG1) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games III – Only dogs that have earned the Games II (TG2) or Games III (TG3) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

FEO (FOR EXHIBITION ONLY)

TDAA offers FEO runs. They are open to any TDAA registered dog in any class. These are offered at the option of the local/host club. FEO dogs will run last at their jump heights. They may run on lead. FEO runs do not count toward TDAA titles. No treats or food allowed. FEO will have a maximum time of 1.5 of the SCT. FEO cannot repeat any obstacles, no training in the ring.

Pre-entries close on the Thursday prior to the trial date
Day of Trial Entries will be accepted before 6:30 PM for an additional fee. See below.

PRE-ENTRY FEES:

Each Run Entered	\$12.00
1 Day Package (2 Standard Runs)	\$22.00
1 Day Package (3 Games)	\$33.00
Trial Package (All 4 Standard Runs & All 3 Games)	\$70.00

DAY OF TRIAL ENTRY FEES:

Each Run Entered	\$14.00
FEO runs	\$5.00 Each Run

Height Divisions

Owners are responsible for entering the proper height division. Judges reserve the right to measure dogs entered in any trial. At the handler's option, dogs may be entered in a higher height division, but not in a lower than their proper height division. Dogs that run in a height division lower than their division will be eliminated. A judge must measure provisional dogs.

2" score height - restricted to dogs measuring 4" or less at the withers.

4" score height - restricted to dogs measuring 8" or less at the withers.

8" score height - restricted to dogs measuring 12" or less at the withers.

12" score height – restricted to dogs measuring 16" or less at the withers.

16" score height – restricted to dogs measuring 17" or less at the withers.

The TDAA will allow a dog's handler/owner to choose what jump height is appropriate for that dog. That means that all jump height exemptions based on body type will go away; and jump heights will become self selecting.

Veterans dogs - Dogs of at least 7 years of age. Veteran dogs receive an extension in standard course time. 4" veterans receive an additional 4 seconds while 8", 12" and 16" veterans receive an additional 2 seconds.

Disabled Handlers - Will be granted a time exemption of 4 seconds for Standard course times and 4 seconds for Qualifying course times for games classes. Proof of disability shall be the issued disability parking tag or other documentation.

There will be no special system of titling for veteran dogs or for disabled handlers.

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 designated areas, being the warm-up area and the designated off leash area. It is expressly understood the 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 will be made.
- * 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.
- * Exhibitors may wear shirts or insignia of their training group if they wish.
- * At the handler's option, the dog may wear a flat (buckle or quick release) collar with or without tags or wear adornments, clothing, ties or other attachments. Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited.
- * Unsportsmanlike conduct, including rough handling or misconduct of any kind, will result in an excusal from the ring. Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at www.k9tdaa.com
- * Entries will not be accepted without fees. No entries will be accepted which require a signature for delivery. All entries must be submitted on official TDAA Agility Entry Forms, one dog per entry form.
- * **Photocopied entries without the TDAA agreement on the back are NOT acceptable.** Unsigned, incomplete or illegible entries are NOT acceptable and cannot be entered in the trial. Faxed entries and/or credit cards cannot be accepted. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- * The Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 service charge 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, and act of God, public emergency, and act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- * Bitches in season are not permitted at the trial. The club will refund all but \$5.00 of the entry fee for bitches unable to compete for that reason. The Trial Secretary must receive written notification from a Veterinarian of such claim for refund by letter (not email) before April 8, 2011.

Veterinary Clinic on Call
Affiliated Emergency Veterinary Service
4708 Olson Memorial Highway (Hwy 55)
Golden Valley, MN
(763) 529-6560

Trial Site: Cloud Nine Training School for Dogs
5002 Hillsboro Avenue North
New Hope, MN 55428

DIRECTIONS TO THE FACILITY: Highway 169 North or South to the 49th Street Exit. Go East of Hwy 169 about 1 block to Hwy 169 Service Road then turn North. About one block from there turn right onto 50th Ave North. Cloud Nine is straight ahead!

Parking is available in the back of the building.

Please enter at the front of the building.



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

Agreement

I (We) acknowledge that that "Teacup Dog Agility Association Rules & Regulations" have been made available to me (us), and that I am (we are familiar with their contents. I (We) agree to hold the TDAA and any TDAA approved judge harmless from any legal claim resulting from said judge's action under the TDAA Rules, Regulation and Guidelines. I (We) agree that the club holding the Agility Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause, which the club deems to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Agility Trial and of the opportunity to have the dog judged, I (we) agree to hold harmless the director, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lesser of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the show/trial 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 dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, by caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club 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 expenses (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 arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this Agility Trial, 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 caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person.

I certify than 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 Dog Agility Association in the premium list for this agility trial, or both, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" on this entry 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 forgoing representation and agreement.

Signature of Owner: _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian if under 18: _____

Handler: _____ Date _____

**Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association Entry Form
Cloud Nine Training School for Dogs**

Pre-entries close Thursday prior to trial date.

TDAA# _____ Call Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

If dog's registration was recently submitted or included with this entry, enter pending as the TDAA#

Breed: _____ Sex: _____

TDAA Registered Name: _____

Actual Owner(s) (Please Print): _____

Owner's Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Disabled Handler: **Veteran Dog:**

Please include a copy of a disabled parking permit or other official documentation with your entry.

Standard Class: Beginner Intermediate Superior **FEO**

Games Class: Games I Games II Games III **FEO**

Measured Height: 2" 4" 8" 12" 16" (circle one)

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Actual Jump Height: 2" 4" 8" 12" 16" (circle one)

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Standard Rd1 Black Hole Standard Rd1

Standard Rd2 Call, Direct, Send Standard Rd2

Touch 'n Go

Each Run Entered \$12.00

Trial Package (4 Standard Runs & 3 Games) \$70.00

1 Day Package (2 Standard Runs)..... \$22.00

1 Day Package (3 Games)..... \$33.00

FAST TRACK (include Move-Up form)..... \$ 8.00

FEO runs..... \$5.00

Fees Enclosed
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Mail Entries to: Kim Vogel, 1199 Leeward Ave.

Lake Elmo, MN 55042

Make checks payable to: Cloud Nine Training School for Dogs

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 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.

Checklist

- Completed **Entry Form(s)** for **EACH** dog entered.
Please write clearly to ensure accuracy of the information.
- Completed **Agreement Form(s)** for **EACH** dog entered.
- Completed **Fast Track Request Form** if using Fast Track
- Completed **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** if registering your dog(s)
- Review your information before submitting these Forms.
Incomplete forms will be returned.
- Be sure to sign the **Entry Form(s), Agreement Form(s)** and **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** (if need).
- Make checks payable to:** Cloud Nine Training School for Dogs
- Mail entries to:** Kim Vogel, 1199 Leeward Ave. Lake Elmo, MN 55042

FAST TRACK - Move Up Request

TDAA Number: _____

Dog's Name: _____

Person's Name: _____

Move up to: Intermediate Superior

Move up to: Games II Games III

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 this FAST TRACK Move-Up Request form. 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.**