

Sanctioned
Teacup Dogs Agility Association
Agility Trial



Saturday, April 24, 2010
Sunday, April 25, 2010

PRESENTED BY

**Pawsitively
AGILITY
Trained**

Location:

Eichorn Agility Barn
16333 Bolton Creek Rd
Alcova, WY

Saturday

2 Standard Classes and 2 Games
Boston Bowling & Jumpers

Sunday

2 Standard Classes and 2 Games
Black Jack & Chutes & Ladders

Judge: Donni Breaden

This trial will be held indoors on dirt

Judging Starts 9:00 a.m. each day

Unlimited Entries – FEO (For Exhibition Only) entries accepted

Pre-entries Close at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, April 19, 2010

Move ups accepted until 6:00pm Monday April 19,2010 via email to the trial secretary

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

Day of trial move ups allowed

Pawsitively Trained Agility
Denise Durrant
2123 N Grass Creek Rd.
Casper, WY 82604

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.

Pawsitively Trained Agility

Trial Chair: Athena Brown
pawsitivelytrained@gmail.com 307-277-8928
Trial Secretary: Denise Durrant
 2123 N Grass Creek Rd
 Casper, WY 82604
denised@outdrs.net 307-258-1341

Judge – Donni Breaden

Scheduled Order of Classes (subject to change)	
Saturday, April 24, 2010	Sunday, April 25, 2010
Boston Bowling Standard Round 1 Standard Round 2 Jumplers	Black Jack Standard Round 4 Standard Round 5 Chutes & Ladders
<p>Running Order Both Days Standard - Superior, Intermediate, Beginner Games - Games III, Games II, Games I We will run small to tall both days Judging is scheduled to begin at 9:00 am both days</p>	

Site will be open at 8:00AM for set up. Measuring will start at 8:30AM

The following is a list of obstacles to be used:

A-frame (6' 8" unslatted)	Closed (Collapsed) Tunnel	Tire Jump (16")
Dog walk (8' slatted ramps)	Open (Pipe) Tunnel (16")	Single & winged jumps
Teeter (8' slatless)	Weave poles (19" centers)	Table (30" by 30")

Obstacle Familiarization will be provided on Saturday and Sunday mornings 30 minutes prior to judging for all dogs and handlers.

A warm up area, consisting of regulation TDAA equipment, shall be provided for all exhibitors.

AWARDS: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 3rd 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 Beginners/Games I and Intermediate/Games II levels.

This trial will be held in doors on dirt /pea gravel. Bldg is heated.

PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE AND HOTELS

All dogs must be kept on leash except in designated areas

Lunch will be available both days

VOLUNTEER SIGN UP

Volunteers are the backbone of any agility trial. By its very nature TDAA is small with small dogs, small equipment, small trials and small number of handlers. We need all hands to make a trial work. Please sign up to 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.

If you are able to help, please fill out this form to indicate the job(s) you are willing to do and return it with your entry or contact the Trial Secretary directly.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I would like to help with: Friday Set-up Sunday Clean-up I can do the following (mark all that you like to do):

- Saturday**
- Bar Setting
 - Scribing
 - Timing
 - Course Builder
 - Sheet Runner
 - Gate Steward
 - Leash Runner

- Sunday**
- Bar Setting
 - Scribing
 - Timing
 - Course Builder
 - Sheet Runner
 - Gate Steward
 - Leash Runner

Don't worry if you don't know how to do a job! They are easy and we can show you how! **My Dog(s) are entered in (classes), at these heights (circle all that apply):**

Saturday

Boston Bowling	I	II	III	/	4"	8"	12"	16"
Standard 1	Beg	Int	Sup	/	4"	8"	12"	16"
Standard 2	Beg	Int	Sup	/	4"	8"	12"	16"
Jumplers	I	II	III	/	4"	8"	12"	16"

Sunday

Black Jack	I	II	III	/	4"	8"	12"	16"
Standard 1	Beg	Int	Sup	/	4"	8"	12"	16"
Standard 2	Beg	Int	Sup	/	4"	8"	12"	16"
Chutes & Ladders	I	II	III	/	4"	8"	12"	16"

Thank you so much for volunteering!



Teacup Dogs Agility Association

DOG REGISTRATION FORM

Return this completed form with \$12.00 registration fee to:
Teacup Dogs Agility Association
Post Office Box 158
Maroa, IL. 61756

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 first 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) or Teacup Superior Agile Dog (TSAD) 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 now 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.

Actual Owner(s) _____

Owner’s Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail address _____

Owner’s Signature _____

Review your information before submitting the registration form. Incomplete forms will be returned.

Revised January 2008

(For Office Use Only) Dog Registration Number

Dog’s Full Name _____

Dog’s Call Name _____

Breed _____

Date of Birth _____ Sex _____ Height at Withers _____

Provisional jump height information:

- ___ E1 - Long Back Dogs
- ___ E2 - Weight to Height Provision (by structure, not obesity)
- ___ E3 - Dogs with Dwarfish Legs / Deep Chest Dogs

Jump Height Table

Dog's measurement at the withers	Regular	Veterans	With Jump Height Exemption	Veterans plus Jump Height Exemption
8" and under	4"	4"	4"	4"
8.01" to 12"	8"	4"	4"	4"
12.01" to 15"	12"	8"	8"	4"
15.01" to 17"	16"	12"	12"	8"

Pre-entries close at 6:00 P.M on Monday, April 19, 2010

Day of Trial Entries will be accepted at an additional fee. See below.

PRE-ENTRY FEES:

Each Run Entered \$10.00
Weekend Package (All 4 Standard Runs & All 4 Games) \$72.00

DAY OF TRIAL ENTRY FEES:

Each Run Entered \$12.00
Weekend Package (All 4 Standard Runs & All 4 Games) \$88.00
FEO runs \$3.00 Each Run or 2 for \$5.00

GAMES

Boston Bowling

The game consists of two short courses, each starting with a specific entry to one of two tunnels. The handler "bowls" his dog by sending the dog ahead into a tunnel entrance. Each dog-and-handler team has two bowls. The handler may not step over the penalty line (the start line) as she bowls her dog into one of the tunnel entrances.

Jumpers

The course must be run in the sequence specified by the judge. The dog will earn bonus points for successfully performing the distance challenge. The bonus will be added to the dog's total score. A standard course time will be set. Time faults will be subtracted from the total score. Jumps and tunnels may be used in this course.

Black Jack

The purpose of this game is to accumulate 21 points in the fastest time. Accumulating more than 21 points disqualifies the team. At least one corner, one side, and one jump must be completed successfully. Corners are typically made from tunnels placed in the corner of the course; sides are contacts and weaves poles, which are placed along the side of the course. The jumps are arranged in the random fashion in the middle.

Chutes And Ladders

The objective of Chutes and Ladders is to negotiate the course of tunnels and contact obstacles. All contact obstacles may be used. A gong is placed on the course which the handler may strike for insurance against faults on a challenge sequence designated by the judge.

JUDGE'S BRIEFING ON DAY OF TRIAL SUPERSEDES ANY PREVIOUS BRIEFINGS.

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.
- Photocopy** of TDAA measurement card for **EACH** dog entered. If you do not have your card the dog will be measured at the trial.
- Completed **Fast Track Request Form** if using Fast Track
- Completed **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** if registering your dog(s)
- Please fill out **Volunteer Sign Up Sheet**. We will make sure you get adequate time to warm up your dog and do your walk-through.
- 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: Pawsitively Trained Agility**
- Mail entries to:** Denise Durrant 2123 N Grass Creek Rd Casper WY 82604

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. A qualifying score in the lower class is required to move up to the next higher class. Likewise, it is possible to move up from Games I to Games III by earning qualifying scores in each of the lower levels of Games. 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. The Fast Track fee is a one-time fee for this trial only.**

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.
- * PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE AND HOTELS
- * 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.
- * 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. Full refunds will be given provided the trial secretary is notified by email prior to the end of the first day of the trial, April 24, 2010 @ 6pm, otherwise there will be no refund issued, veterinarian confirmation is not required.

Emergency Veterinarian :
Popish Veterinary Clinic
3155 CY Ave
Casper, WY 307-234-7333

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.

4" jump height - restricted to dogs measuring 8" or less at the withers; or dogs with a jump height exemption measuring 12" or less

8" jump height - restricted to dogs measuring 12" or less at the withers; or dogs with a jump height exemption measuring 15" or less.

12" jump height - restricted to dogs measuring 15" or less at the withers; or dogs with a jump height exemption measuring 17" or less.

16" jump height - restricted to dogs measuring 17" or less at the withers.

Special provisions are made for the dogs that are long-backed, or dogs whose depth of chest is greater than his legs length.

E1 - Long backed dogs - The long-backed dog would be based on the measurements of the dog from the front of the chest to the back of his rear compared to the measurement of the dog's height at the withers. As a rule of thumb, if the dog's length is 150% or greater than the height measurement, the dog would qualify for this exemption.

E2 - Weight to length provision (by structure, not obesity) - This exemption should be limited to certain breeds that have a propensity for weight that is greater than their height if you compare pounds to inches.

E 3 - Dogs with dwarfish legs/deep chest dogs - This exemption is granted to dogs whose leg to shoulders height ratio is 1/3 or less of the dog's overall height. The exemption for dog's with dwarfish legs is based on the measurement of the dog's withers height, when that height is 150% or greater than the measurement of the space from the floor to chest veteran dog is a dog at least 7 years of age. There is no special system of titling for veteran dogs.

A dog also may be given a waiver to jump at a lower height even though he does not meet any of the criteria for a jump height exemption. A waiver will be given to a dog for extraordinary circumstance. Dogs given a waiver to a lower jump height will be able to earn qualifying legs and all TDAA titles.

A copy of your TDAA height card must accompany your entry or be presented at check in. Dog's without a TDAA height card must be measured before running in this trial.



October 2010

2010 TDAA PETIT PRIX

The 2010 TDAA Petit Prix National Tournament will be held October 8, 9, and 10, in Auburn, WA, at Argus Ranch for Dogs

The premium list and additional information will be available at www.k9tdaa.com

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION-PLEASE READ

Trial Site: Eichorn Agility Barn
16333 Bolton Creek Rd (County Road 404)
Alcova, WY

Directions to show site:

From I-25: Take the Poplar Street exit due South (toward the mountain) and go east(right) on CY Ave and go approximately 20 miles to the County Road 404 and turn left . You will see the Eichorn Barn on the right

Set up will be available Friday from 5pm to 6pm, crating will be outside the building so plan on using your vehicle or there is plenty of room for tents, pop-ups, etc. Please contact Denise Durrant with any questions. Sandwiches will be brought in for lunch, provided by Flour Smudge Bakery.

Camping: there will be some spots available at the trial site, BUT only for self contained units. Contact JoAnn at jeichorn@netzero.com

Motels

Super 8 Motel
3838 CY Ave
307-266-3480

This Super 8 takes very good care of our exhibitors and their dogs-it is also very easy to go from this motel to the trial site.

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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 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 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
Pawsitively Trained Agility

Pre-entries close April 19, 2010

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: _____

Standard Class: Beginner Intermediate Superior **FEO**

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

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

Jump Height Exemptions: Body Type Veteran Handicapped Handler

You may subtract one height for Veteran Status and one for Body Exemption from Measured Jump Height
 Some handlers prefer to jump at their Measured Jump Height rather than their Actual Jump Height

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

PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF DOG'S PERMANENT HEIGHT CARD WITH ENTRY

Or you may present your TDAA permanent jump height card at entry at check-in
 All dogs without a permanent card must be measured the first day of class

Saturday – April 24, 2010

- Boston Bowling
- Standard Round 1
- Standard Round 2
- Jumpers
- Black Jack
- Standard Round 3
- Standard Round 4
- Chutes and Ladders

Sunday – April 25 2010

Each Run Entered	\$10.00	Fees Enclosed
Weekend Package (4 Standard Runs & 4 Games)	\$72.00	\$
FAST TRACK (include Move-Up form)	\$ 8.00	

Mail Entries to: Denise Durrant **Make checks payable to:** PTAgility
 2123 N Grass Creek Rd.
 Casper, WY 82604

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.