

PREMIUM LIST

Agility Trial Sanctioned by the Teacup Dogs Agility Association

August 10 – August 12, 2018

11 sanctioned classes – 6 Standards/5 Games plus a Petit Prix Qualifier – where you and your dog can compete to earn qualifying runs toward TDAA titles

Hosted by
TN-Tucky Low Riders Dog Sports



Judge(s): Cathi Roberts (Jackson, TN)

Location

***Nashville Dog Training Club
413 Allied Drive
Nashville, TN 37211***

Schedule of Classes

Friday: 1 Standard

Saturday: 2 Standards, 3 Games - Power & Speed, Connect the Dots, Black Hole
Petit Prix Qualifier

Sunday: 3 Standards, 2 Games Cherry Picking, Tunnelers

This trial will be held inside on mats in a climate controlled facility

**Judging starts at 6:00 pm Fri; 9:00 am Sat/Sun
Facility open for set-up at 4:15 pm Fri
07:15 am Sat/Sun
Dogs measured from 4:45 to 5:30 Fri
07:45 to 08:30 Sat/Sun
Briefings for first class at 5:45 Fri
08:45 am Sat/Sun
Early bird entries close on 8/6/2018**

Day of Event entries accepted until 8:00 am each day at \$14 per run.

**FEO Entries will be accepted at \$6 per run.
Dogs without height certificates must be measured**

Entries received by 8/6/2018 will receive an early bird discount of \$1 off per run. Club members receive an additional \$1 off per run.

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**. **Teacup Dogs Agility Association** Rules can be viewed online or downloaded in .pdf format at <http://www.k9tdaa.com>

Agility Trial Committee

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Show Site and Food

There will be ample crating space. Food will be ordered out and available for purchase on Sat & Sun. Volunteers will receive tickets for each class worked to use in a worker raffle (and also our undying gratitude!). There will also be an "NQ" raffle each day.

Accommodations

Please contact the hotel to verify acceptance of dogs, sizes and number of dogs, limits or any pet deposits or fee that may be required: BE SURE to check if your motel still accepts dogs and make your reservation early.

NOTICE: All hotels/motels are considered part of our trial site and are subject to TDAA Rules and Regulations. Our Trial Committee will consider disciplinary action for any complaints lodged against an Exhibitor. Do not allow your dog(s) to destroy property or disturb other guests. **Please**, pick up after your dog both at the hotel and the trial site. Please check with the hotel for details on their pet policy.

Hotels

Red Roof Inn Nashville Fairgrounds
4271 Sidco Drive
Nashville, TN 37204
866-767-0278
1.4 miles from trial site

LaQuinta Inn Nashville South
4311 Sidco Drive
Nashville TN 37204
615-834-6900
1.5 miles from trial site

DIRECTIONS

From I65 - Take the Harding Place exit headed east, turn left at the traffic light onto Trousdale (gas station on your left), go through the light and over the railroad tracks, at the stop sign, turn right onto Allied Drive, go to the last row of warehouses on the right before you get to Nolensville Rd.

From I440 - Take Nolensville Rd exit headed south. Go 2 miles, turn right onto Allied Drive (at Whitt's Barbeque), and immediately turn left into the first row of warehouses.

From I24 - Take Briley Parkway West exit (Thompson Lane), turn left at Nolensville Road, turn right onto Allied Drive (at Whitt's Barbeque), immediately turn left into the first row of warehouses.

The Club is located in the second unit from the left, where there is a long wheelchair ramp leading to the door.

ENTRIES & CLOSING DATE: Entries close on 8/6/2018. Day of show entries will be accepted at the rate of \$14 per run. To be accepted, entries must be complete, signed (by parent or legal guardian if handler is a minor), received by the closing date, and accompanied by the correct fees made payable to TN-Tucky Low Riders Dog Sports. You must file a separate entry form for each dog entered (i.e., only one dog per form).

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.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee. A refund of all but \$5.00 will be given for bitches in season. A letter from your veterinarian is required by the first day of the Trial.
- All fees must be paid in US funds. There will be a Returned Check Fee of \$25.00 for returned checks.
- In the event of withdrawal from the event, checks will NOT be returned. All unused checks will be destroyed.
- 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 disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior, may, at the discretion of the show committee, be asked to leave the show site. In that case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- All dogs must be on leash at all times except when using the warm-up area or in the agility ring.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the Trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials.
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the Trial.
- Exhibitors must clean up after their dogs at the hotel and at the Trial Site.
- 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 insignias of their training group, if they wish.
- Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are PROHIBITED.

Obstacle Familiarization - obstacle familiarization will be held Saturday and Sunday morning 30 minutes prior to judging for dogs.

Warm-ups - a warm-up area consisting of a regulation agility jump and any available agility equipment shall be provided for all Exhibitors.

Show site – The ring will be 60x60 in an open air arena with sand/fine gravel surface. The ring will be gated and enclosed with snow and PVC fencing. The contact equipment is rubberized and adheres to TDAA specifications.

Eligibility - this trial is open to all dogs **20"** and under at the withers 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.

Move-Ups - Move-ups will be accepted for dogs earning a title at a prior show up to the closing date. Move-up requests must be in writing but may be sent via e-mail. Move-ups will also be accepted if a dog completes a title during the running of this Trial. In such case, the Move-Up request must be made immediately upon posting of scores for the class in which the title was earned.

AWARDS: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 3rd place in each jump height of each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a Qualifying Score. Fast-Track dogs **are not** eligible for awards in classes through which they Fast-Track. FEO (For Exhibition Only) will be offered. Title ribbons will also be available. The following is a list of obstacles to be used: (All TDAA size):

A-frame (6'8" sides w/o slats)	Weave Poles (24" centers)
Table (30" sides)	Tire Jump (18" loop)
Winged Jumps	Dog Walk (8' planks w/o slats)
Open (pipe) Tunnel (16" loop)	Wingless Jumps
Teeter (8' plank) (w/out slats)	

CLASS INFORMATION

Standard Class

Beginner Agility - All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class. Dog's with higher titles from other organizations may *fast track* through Beginner Agility. An eligible dog may move up after one qualifying score.

Intermediate Agility - Only dogs who have earned the Teacup Beginner Agile Dog (TBAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class. Dog's with higher titles from other organizations may *fast track* through Intermediate Agility. An eligible dog may move up after one qualifying score.

Superior Agility - Only dogs who have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agile Dog (TIAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class. Dogs who have earned the Teacup Superior Agile Dog (TSAD) are also eligible for this class.

Games Classes

Games I - All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class. Dogs with higher titles from other organizations may *fast track* through Games I. An eligible dog may move up after one qualifying score.

Games II - Only dogs who have earned the Games I (TG1) shall be eligible for participation in this class. Dogs with higher titles from other organizations may *fast track* through Games I. An eligible dog may move up after one qualifying score.

Games III - Only dogs who have earned the Games II (TG2) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Power & Speed - *Power and Speed* is a two part game. In the first part [Power] the dog will run an un-timed sequence of mostly technical obstacles; and in the second part [Speed] the dog will run a timed jumpers course. *Power and Speed* is scored Time, Plus Faults. ER5

Connect the Dots - *Connect the Dots* is a dog's choice point accumulation game. The objective is to handle the dog from dot to dot (the contact obstacles) scoring points on all other obstacles in between. Points for the "in between" obstacles are always at risk, as they'll be lost in case of any fault since the last "dot". *Connect the Dots* is scored Points, Then Time. ER2

Black Hole - *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

Cherry Picking - *Picking Cherries* is a simple dog's choice game. The dog might be directed to as quickly as possible get all the tunnels on the course... and nothing else. *Cherry Picking* is scored Time Only. ER5

Tunnelers - *Tunnelers* is a numbered course consisting only of tunnels. Dogs at all levels run the same course. *Tunnelers* is scored Faults, Then Time. ER12

Petit Prix Qualifier - 2018 Petit Prix Tournament Rules: For the first time, dogs are required to qualify for the TDAA Petit Prix National Tournament. In order to qualify to participate in the October 2018 Petit Prix in Washingtonville, Ohio each dog has to earn ONE Petit Prix (PPQ) run offered at local trials between September 30, 2017 and October 1, 2018. A PPQ run for the 2018 Petit Prix Tournament will be held at this trial. All dogs registered with the TDAA are eligible to enter the PPQ run, without regard to level of competition. The PPQ run is a Superior Standard class with no pause table, run under Superior Standard course times and judging standards. It is priced separately from the "weekend package" of regular classes. If you qualify on that PPQ run, and you earn a qualifier toward the 2018 Petit Prix AND the Q is applied to your regular title track whatever level you are currently in. For example, a Beginner who runs and qualifies (under the Superior Standard SCT, judging criteria, and equipment list) would earn a Beginner Q toward their Beginner title and in addition to counting as their qualifier for the Petit Prix. The Petit Prix and all PPQs must run at the dog's OFFICIAL JUMP HEIGHT. Exemptions for "Self-declared" Heights will not be recognized for play in the Petit Prix tournament or qualifying runs. A dog may jump ANY height on the regular classes at the trial, but for the purposes of qualifying for the Petit Prix, must jump his/her OFFICIAL JUMP HEIGHT in the Petit Prix Qualifier. For example, a dog measuring 14" at the withers has an OFFICIAL JUMP HEIGHT of 12". At age 7, that dog is allowed a veteran exemption and his/her OFFICIAL JUMP HEIGHT is 8". Your dog's measured jump height is written on the TDAA entry form to determine what dogs you'll compete with for placements. You then list any

official exemptions (long-backed dogs, for example) and any veteran status, and that determines your official jump height. You can preview the qualification requirements, see what games are being played, and review all the Tournament rules at k9tdaa.com.

For more information on these games the *Book of Agility Games* is available for a modest price; please visit: <http://dogagility.org/Newstore>. Our Judges reserve the right to adapt any game played. Day of show rules supersede all others.

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 any height division. Dogs that run in a height division higher than their measured division will be scored in the higher jump height division (ex: if your dog is measured into the 12" division and you jump 16" at a TDAA trial you will be competing with 16" dogs for placements). Dogs that run in a height division lower than their proper division will be scored with dogs of their measured height. TDAA height divisions are:

- 2" jump height: for dogs measuring 4" or less at the withers
- 4" jump height: for dogs measuring 8" or less at the withers
- 8" jump height: for dogs measuring 12" or less at the withers
- 12" jump height: for dogs measuring 16" or less at the withers
- 16" jump height: for dogs measuring 20" or less at the withers

ALL DOGS WITHOUT A PERMANENT HEIGHT CARD must be measured prior to the first day of competing at this trial. Arrive early enough to accommodate measuring.

TWO MEASUREMENTS BY TDAA JUDGES are needed to show a dog in TDAA.

For Exhibition Only (FEO)

TDAA allows FEO runs open to any TDAA registered dog in any class; offered at the option of the host club. FEO dogs may run on lead. FEO runs do not count toward TDAA titles. No treats or food allowed. FEO will have a maximum of 1.5 times of the SCT. FEO cannot repeat any obstacles. No training in the ring.

Disabled Handlers: A time exemption will be granted to disabled handlers amounting to 4 seconds in Standard course times and in qualifying course times for Games classes. 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.

HOW THE FAST TRACK MOVE-UP PROGRAM WORKS

This may be grand-fathered 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 then qualifies again in Intermediate. It is also possible to move up from Games I to Games III on the same day if the dog qualifies first in Games I and then qualifies again in Games II. A qualifying score in the lower class is required to move up to the next higher class. **You must submit a copy of title certificate for each dog.** Submit \$8.00 for each dog's move-up request. Payment of the \$8.00 is no guarantee that your dog will qualify at the lower level (though he will have multiple chances at each), and is non-refundable. This Fast Track fee must be paid for this trial, even if it was paid for a previous trial.

Entries

Entries close on 8/6/2018, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted. Day of Event Entries WILL BE accepted up until 8:00 each morning, for \$14 per run. TDAA Dog Registration Numbers may be applied for at the event so that your dog can participate in this trial.

Entries will not be accepted without fees. 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.

Photocopied entries, without the signed TDAA Agreement attached are NOT acceptable.

Agreement

I/We acknowledge that the "Teacup Dogs 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, TDAA approved judge and TN-Tucky Low Riders Dog Sports harmless from any legal claim resulting from said Judge's action under the TDAA Rules, Regulations and Guidelines.

I/We agree that TN-Tucky Low Riders Dog Sports has the right to refuse entry for cause which the club shall deem 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 directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lessor 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 person or things 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 the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be 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 been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

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.

Signature of Owner _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian (if under 18) _____

Signature of Handler _____ Date _____

OFFICIAL TEACUP DOGS AGILITY ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

TN-Tucky Low Riders Dog Sports, 1027 Hickory Lane, Portland, TN 37148
Make Entry Fees Payable in US Funds to: TN-Tucky Low Riders Dog Sports
Mail Entries to: Maddie Hutcheson, Trial Secretary, 165 Trivett Drive, Portland, TN 37148

Owner's Name		Handler, if different from Owner	
Address			
City	State	Zip	Phone #
E-Mail:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Disabled Handler (Include a copy of Handler's disabled parking tag or other official documentation with entry)			
Dog's Call Name		Height at Withers	
Breed		Birth Date	
TDAA # _____ OR <input type="checkbox"/> New (Include TDAA registration form and Fees)		Sex	
Measured Jump Height: <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16" Actual Jump Height (if different): <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16"			

Friday	Standard 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Superior	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Saturday	Power & Speed	<input type="checkbox"/> Games III	<input type="checkbox"/> Games II	<input type="checkbox"/> Games I	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO
	Connect the Dots	<input type="checkbox"/> Games III	<input type="checkbox"/> Games II	<input type="checkbox"/> Games I	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Standard 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Superior	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Standard 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Superior	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Black Hole	<input type="checkbox"/> Games III	<input type="checkbox"/> Games II	<input type="checkbox"/> Games I	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Petit Prix Qualifier					\$
Sunday	Cherry Picking	<input type="checkbox"/> Games III	<input type="checkbox"/> Games II	<input type="checkbox"/> Games I	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Standard 4	<input type="checkbox"/> Superior	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Standard 5	<input type="checkbox"/> Superior	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Standard 6	<input type="checkbox"/> Superior	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$
	Tunnelers	<input type="checkbox"/> Games III	<input type="checkbox"/> Games II	<input type="checkbox"/> Games I	<input type="checkbox"/> FEO	\$

Fast Track Move Up <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Games <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ @ \$8.00 = \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Runs _____ Number of runs _____ @ \$12.00 = \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FEO Runs _____ Number of runs _____ @ \$6.00 = \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Early Bird Discount (by 08/06/2018) _____ Number of runs _____ @ \$1.00 = \$ _____(-)
<input type="checkbox"/> Club Member Discount _____ Number of runs _____ @ \$1.00 = \$ _____(-)
TOTAL ENCLOSED PAYABLE TO: TN-Tucky Low Riders \$ _____



**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