



OCTOBER 4-6, 2019

PETIT PRIX

TOURNAMENT

TDAA's 2019 Petit Prix championship tournament showcases top competitors among dogs of small stature in the sport of dog agility and finds a tournament champion (TNAC) in each jump height.

Location

Jackson County Expo <<https://www.attheexpo.com?>
Interstate 5 at exit 33 (Pine Street), Peninger Road
Central Point, OR

Judges Panel

Robin and Norman Carlstrom, Edmonds, WA

Tournament Rules

<https://tdaanews.wordpress.com/tdaa-petit-prix-2012-tournament-rules/>

"Your relationship with the dog is elemental and fundamental. The dog should be ever treated with kindness and with a generosity of spirit and heart." – TDAA founder, Bud Houston

The Petit Prix
Semi-Finals
consist of four
standard courses
and six games.

Earn qualifying
legs towards
TDAA titles.

TDAA National
Agility
Championship
(TNAC) Title
earned by top
scoring dogs.

Early bird Entries
July 15, 2019

Closes Sept. 16, 2019

TRIAL SECRETARY

Marsha Houston
Teacup Dogs Agility
Association
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Waterford, OH 45786

Houston.Marsha@gmail.com

CERTIFICATION T19998-9

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

Trial Chair/Secretary, Marsha Houston
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Show Site

The show site is open-sided, covered. The agility ring is decomposed granite; **workers will be given preferential crating under roof in building or in pop-ups around building.** Please bring comfortable chairs, crates, x-pens & ground cover for under your crates/x-pens, water for your dogs and clean up tools. Dogs must be kept on lead. Food will be available to purchase at the show site.

HOTELS/MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS:

- La Quinta 541-665-4141
- Super 8 541-664-5888
- Candlewood Suites 877 CANDLEWOOD
- Motel 6 North 541-779-0550
- Rogue Regency Inn 541-770-1234

Camping – reservation required:

Camping is available at Southern Oregon RV Park, 11 Peninger Road, just north of the Jackson County Expo. Camping is within walking distance but you may choose to drive. Dog park in NE corner. Reserve your spot at: <https://jacksoncountyor.org/sorvpark>

BE SURE to check if your motel still accepts dogs, charges a pet fee, and make your reservation early! Please make sure that you pick up after dogs so that these hotels will continue to accept dogs.

Emergency Veterinary Hospital

Southern Oregon Veterinary Specialty Center (open 24/7) www.sovsc.com

4901 Biddle Road, Central Point, OR 97502 541-282-7711

Volunteer Sign Up

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"We're looking forward to our second self-run Petit Prix and will probably make some mistakes. But we hope each of you know how much we love this opportunity to serve you, and provide you with a safe, exhilarating agility experience!" – Marsha Houston

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

Jackson County Expo is located east of Interstate 5 in Central Point, Oregon.

From the North

Set your GPS for 1 Peninger Road, Central Point, OR 97502. From Interstate 5, take exit 33 and turn left to head east on Pine Street. Turn left onto Peninger Road and head north to Expo site. Camping is beyond Expo site on Peninger Road.

From the South

Set your GPS for 1 Peninger Road, Central Point, OR 97502. From Interstate 5, take exit 33 and turn right to head east on Pine Street. Take the first left onto Peninger Road and head north to Expo site. Camping is beyond Expo site on Peninger Road.

Airports

Rogue Valley International-Medford airport is 3 miles away from the Expo site.

Tournament Eligibility and Class Information

This trial is open to dogs having qualified in the Petit Prix Qualifying class, at any level of competition, measuring dogs 20" and under, over the age of 12 months. Bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any injury, or illness which may affect a dog's physical performance are not allowed. Please note that 3-legged dogs *are* permitted in TDAA and a missing leg is not considered an injury.

Dogs eligible to play in the TDAA are defined in the [TDAA Rules and Regulations](#). (Revised Jan.2019)

Class Information

The Petit Prix tournament will include four standard courses and six games in the semi-final rounds. Standard courses will be run using Superior rules for performance, including rates of travel. Any qualifying score will be accorded at the dog's respective level. The Petit Prix competition shall consist of these six games:

1. *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
2. *Four-Leaf Clover* is a game in which the dog earns bonuses for performing sequences (the leaves of the clover) while the handler stays in the middle. Four Leaf Clover is scored Points, Plus Bonus, Less Faults. ER8
3. *Lucky 13* is a dog's choice game in which obstacles are laid out on the field valued from 1 point to 20 points. The dog may do only 13, without repeating any; earning the value of the assigned numbers as he works. *Lucky 13* is scored Points, Less Faults, Then Time. ER6
4. *Tag 10* is a dog's choice game in which the dog and handler are challenged to collect points in 10 point blocks. Faulting any obstacle erases unbanked points! *Tag 10* is scored points, then time. ER2
5. *Snooklers* is a point accumulation game with elements of both Snooker and Gamblers. Like Snooker, there is an opening and a closing sequence. Rather than the traditional "red hurdle" the "reds" are modest distance challenges. Otherwise the game works just like Snooker. *Snooklers* is scored Points, Then Time. ER2
6. *Quidditch* is a simple game of handling skill. The handler must direct the dog to perform three sequences of escalating value, and attempting the simple performance of a tire after each. The game is full of interesting bonuses and colorful phraseology. *Quidditch* is scored Points, Then Time. ER2

Awards

Trial ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th place in each jump height in each Superior or Games-3 class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. Dogs may receive placement ribbons without qualifying.

Tournament awards will be awarded: 1st through 5th place in each class; the TDAA National Agility Championship Title (TNAC) to the dog that: 1) achieves the highest overall score in each jump height at the TDAA Petit Prix, and 2) scores among the top 25 dogs in the tournament. Awards include a rosette, a trophy, and special prizes.

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 the Teacup Dogs Agility Association, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

Dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area. 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 crate outside. In cases of aggression/expulsion, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

Squeaky toys are not permitted in the course area, and handlers are not allowed to use whistles or other instruments or devices. New rules for training in the ring apply at all TDAA trials, including the 2019 Petit Prix.

At the handler's option, the dog may wear a collar. Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited.

Unsportsmanlike conduct, including rough handling, verbal abuse of trial personnel, or misconduct of any kind, will result in an excusal from the ring, and possibly expulsion from the tournament.

Show hours are approx. 7:30 am to 6:00 pm Friday, Saturday and Sunday or until finished.

- ENTRIES CLOSE 6:00 p.m. September 16, 2019.
- 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 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 payment to the TDAA shall be 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 10% 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 September 20, 2018.

OFFICIAL TEACUP DOGS AGILITY ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

Handler Information

Handler Name		Owner's Name(s), if Different	
Address		Phone:	
City	State	Zip	
Email			
TDAA Member # M _____		Disabled Handler	
FREE T-Shirt Size <input type="checkbox"/> SM <input type="checkbox"/> MED <input type="checkbox"/> LG <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> 2XL <input type="checkbox"/> 3XL			

Dog Information for: Dog's registered Name _____

If entering multiple dogs, make a copy of this page and fill out information for each dog.

TDAA # D _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Birthdate:
Measured Height <input type="checkbox"/> 2" <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16"	Body-Type Exemption? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Veteran? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Actual Jump Height <input type="checkbox"/> 2" <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16"	Double-Digit Veteran? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Call Name	Breed Did you acquire your dog from a rescue group? ___ Y/N	
Standard Level <input type="checkbox"/> Beg <input type="checkbox"/> Int <input type="checkbox"/> Sup	Games Level <input type="checkbox"/> GI <input type="checkbox"/> GII <input type="checkbox"/> GIII	

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.

<p style="text-align: center;">Petit Prix National Tournament</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mail entries to: TDAA, 14543 State Route 676, Waterford, OH 45786</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Make Checks Payable to: TDAA</p>	<p>Include with your entry:</p> <p>___ Entry Form(s)</p> <p>___ Petit Prix Financial Form</p> <p>___ Agreement</p> <p>___ Qualifying Certificate</p> <p>___ Payment</p>
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PETIT PRIX ENTRY FEES

Tournament Fee for first dog: \$ 200.00
 Entry Fee for each additional dog, same handler: \$ 185.00

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Petit Prix Financial Form Closing date for all entries is September 16, 2019		
Entry Fee	Petit Prix Entry – first dog 1 * \$200	
	Petit Prix Entry – additional dogs _____ * \$185	
	Early Bird – (Postmarked by 7/16/19) _____ * \$180	
Extra Petit Prix T-shirts (One shirt per handler is provided FREE with entry.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SM <input type="checkbox"/> MED <input type="checkbox"/> LG <input type="checkbox"/> XL <input type="checkbox"/> 2XL <input type="checkbox"/> 3XL _____ * \$15	

If you are anticipating a TACH, please let us know so we can celebrate with you!

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. Email Houston.marsha@gmail.com as soon as possible.

The Petit Prix tournament will *not* include Fast Track Move-Ups.

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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 and any TDAA approved judge harmless from any legal claim resulting from said judge's action under the TDAA Rules, Regulations and Guidelines. I (We) agree that the club holding the Agility Trial 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.

Signature Required

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 in the premium list for this agility trial, or both, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed above. 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.

Owner

Parent or Guardian if under 18

Handler

Date

*** REFUNDS - CANCELLATION POLICY - PLEASE NOTE: We use the early bird entries to determine how much money is available to TDAA to spend on awards, banquets, and swag there is a partial (50%) entry fee refund available before the early bird cut-off of 7/15/2019. There are no refunds after the early bird cut-off date of 7/15/2019.**

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