



Awesome Critters February 14-15, 2026 Sanctioned TDAA Agility Trial

10701 Taylor Rd. Thonotosassa, FL 33592	
Outdoor ring on grass and dirt	
Judge: Pat Sanders	

Trial Day 1 February 14, 2026	Trial Day 2 February 15, 2026
Run Order	Run Order
Standard 1	Stop the Clock
Standard 2	Standard 4
Stay Out of Jail	Standard 5 (Beta)
Standard 3	Winter Games
Triathlon	Heart to Heart

For Exhibition Only (FEO) entries accepted
Day of show entries accepted until 8:00 A.M.
Pre-entries with payment must be received by the trial secretary prior to each trial date

Trial Chair	Trial Secretary
Julie Burroughs	Pat Sanders
908 Telfair Rd.	740 Fortuna Dr.
Brandon, FL 33510	Brandon, FL 33511
813-364-2924	813-309-3335
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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.

Trial Website: awesomecritters.com

Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at https://k9tdaa.com under Files & Forms.

Entries: Entries will be allowed on the day of the trial until 8:00 A.M. *Please notify the Trial Secretary in advance if you are considering day of show entry to speed the registration process*. Entries without fees will not be accepted. 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 or attached will not be accepted. Unsigned, incomplete, or illegible entries will not be accepted and cannot be entered in the Trial. Credit card payments cannot be accepted. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.

Day of event entries must be given to the secretary no later than 8:00 A.M.

Awards: Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 3rd in each jump height in each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. Dogs earning a new title will receive a title rosette.

Measuring, Familiarization and Check In: 8:15 A.M. to 8:45 A.M., Judge's Briefing to follow.

Judging: will begin at 9:00 A.M.

- Exercise your dog responsibly! Please pick up after your dog at the show site and hotels
- All dogs must be on leash except when in the ring or warm up area

Eligibility

This trial is open to all dogs measuring 20 inches or less at the withers, over the age of 12 months. The trial is not open to aggressive dogs, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance, or bitches in season. In the latter case and with a note from a veterinarian, a refund of all but \$5 of entry fees will be provided.

Your dog must be registered with TDAA to participate in TDAA Trials. Here is a link to the TDAA Dog Registration form: TDAA Dog Registration Form. Please provide proof of submission to the trial secretary if you haven't received your number

TDAA Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at the <u>TDAA web site</u>, and should be reviewed before competing at a TDAA trial.

Height Divisions: Per TDAA rules, dogs may be entered at any jump height desired (except at the Petit Prix: please see that premium for details); however, the scoring height continues to be the dog's measured jump height. Dogs jumping at a height other than their measured height will earn qualifying legs and all TDAA titles. The judge reserves the right to measure dogs entered in any trial. Any dog that has not previously competed at a TDAA trial must be measured before competing.

Veteran Dogs: A veteran dog is a dog of at least 7 years of age. Veteran dogs receive additional course time in standard runs and games that are timed. 4" (Measured Jump Height) veterans receive an additional 4 seconds, while 8", 12", and 16" veterans receive an additional 2 seconds.

Double Digit Veteran Dogs: A double-digit veteran dog is a dog of at least 10 years of age. Double-digit veteran dogs receive 2 seconds in addition to what a veteran dog receives for standard course time and for games that are timed.

Disabled Handler Exemption: Handlers who have been given disability status by their home state will be allowed an additional 4 seconds in standard course time for Standard courses and an additional 4 seconds in qualifying course time for Games classes. This is in addition to any additional time awarded through the Veteran Dog exemption. A copy of the handler's disabled parking permit must be sent with the entry or presented 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial.

Standard Class

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

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

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

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

Trial Games

Stay Out of Jail.	Stay Out of Jail is a sequencing game in which the dog is sent to jail (the table) for any performance fault. Stay Out of Jail is scored Time Only. ER5
Triathlon.	<i>Triathlon</i> is composed of the elements of three classic dog agility games: Gamblers, Jumpers, and Snooker. <i>Triathlon</i> is scored Points, Less Faults. ER6
Stop the Clock.	Stop the Clock is a fun point accumulation game with a twist. On each performance of the tire the dog can stop the clock and reposition the dog on course for scoring purposes. Time resumes when the dog begins the performance of another obstacle. Stop the Clock is scored points then time. ER2
Winter Games.	Winter Games's objective is to successfully accumulate required points before the expiration of time by taking individual obstacles or participating in one of the Winter Games. Winter Games is scored, Points, Then Time. ER2
Heart to Heart.	Heart to Heart is a game intended to be played on Valentine's day weekend. The dog runs a sequence in the shape of a heart pattern. The purpose is to score as many points as possible. Heart to Heart is scored Points, Then Time. ER2

Judges reserve the right to adapt any game played. Day of show rules supersede all others.

The judge's briefing, given prior to the start of judging, supersedes these descriptions and the written briefings of how to play any game. **More information about games** is available in the <u>Book of Agility Games</u>, 5th Edition, available at https://k9tdaa.com.

Warm-Ups: A warm-up area consisting of at least an agility jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

Obstacle Familiarization: Obstacle familiarization on TDAA equipment will be offered 30 minutes before the first class each day. One dog in the ring at a time.

Move-Ups: If your dog has moved up since you sent in your application, please notify the trial secretary at least 48 hours prior to the trial. Include the following information:

Dog's Name	• From
Handler's Name	• To
• For	

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. Move-ups will be accepted each day from event to event.

The following is a list of obstacles that may be used:

Pipe Tunnels (24" opening)	Teeter 12' planks, 12" wide without slats
Weaves (24" centers)	Dog Walk 8' planks, 12" wide with slats
Tire (24" opening)	Table 34.5" sides
Jumps (3' wide) with or without wings	A-Frame 6'8" x 35" with slats

FEO (For Exhibition Only)

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 in their jump heights. They may run on lead. FEO runs do not count toward TDAA titles. FEO teams will have a maximum time of 1.5 times the SCT. FEO dogs cannot repeat any obstacles, no training in the ring.

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.
- All fees must be paid in US funds. There will be a Returned Check Fee of \$20 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 dog(s) and / or children. Any exhibitor whose dog(s) and / or children create unnecessary disturbances 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.
- Aggressive behavior by any dog will not be tolerated. Any aggressive behavior will result in the Trial Committee evaluating the situation and determining whether any action is necessary, up to the removal of a competitor from the tournament.
- All participants in TDAA events, including competitors, judges, regional master judges, trial chairs, secretaries, members, vendors, handlers, owners of dogs, and anyone else involved with a TDAA event must refrain from behavior detrimental to the confidence, or the public perception, of the TDAA's events and integrity.
- Those involved in the TDAA's events must behave in ways that do not negatively reflect on dog agility and the TDAA.
- Conduct by anyone that is reckless, careless, perilous, turbulent, violent, or illegal puts others at risk, damages the reputation of others in the TDAA organization, and undercuts public respect and support for the TDAA is to be avoided.
- 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.
- All dogs must be always on leash except when using the warmup area or in the agility ring per state leash laws.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, 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 TDAA Rules and Regulations.
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show.

Accommodations/Hotels

Please contact the hotel to verify that they still accept dogs, ask about size and number of dogs allowed, and fees. 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.

Inn & Suites Tampa East

(Casino Area) (3.6 miles away)

11740 Tampa Gateway Blvd. 33584

813-630-4321

(Pet Friendly Rooms)

Seffner Inn & Suites

(3.6 miles away) 11551 Discovery Ln

Seffner, FL 33584

813-675-8600

Pet Fee \$25.00 per pet

Residence Inn Tampa Sabal Park/Brandon

9719 Princess Palm Ave

Tampa, FL 33619 813-627-8855

Pet Fee \$100 per stay

LaQuinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham

Tampa Fairgrounds-Casino

4811 US 301 N Tampa, FL 33610 813-626-0885

\$25.00 per night

Red Roof Inn

Tampa-Fairgrounds-Casino

5001 N US 301 813-592-9890

\$15 per pet per night

Red Roof Inn Tampa-Brandon 10121 Horace Ave.

Tampa

877-843-7663

Up to two pets, first free, second pet \$15 per night

Parking / logistics

Parking is to the left after entering the trial grounds.

<u>Trial Address</u>								
10701 Taylor Rd. Thonotosassa, FL 33592								
<u>Veterinarian Clinic</u>								
Fetch Emergency Veterinary Center	Blue Pearl Veterinary Partners							
Brandon	Open 24 Hours							
717 W. Robertson	3000 Busch Lake Blvd.							
813-603-8000	Tampa, Fl 33614							
24 Hours	813-933-8944							
	Or							
	607 Lumsden Professional Cr.							
	Brandon, Fl 33511							
	813-571-3303							
Show	w Site and Food							
Snacks and beverages will be available for a sr	nall fee.							

OFFICIAL TEACUP DOGS AGILITY ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

Awesome Critters 10701 Taylor Rd. Thonotosassa, FL 33592

Pre-entries must be received by the trial secretary prior to February 9, 2026. Make Entry Fees Payable in US Funds to: Awesome Critters

Mail Entries to: Pat Sanders 740 Fortuna Dr. Brandon, FL 33511

Please check each event you're entering in the table below. Please sign and send the Agreement with your Entry Form.

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E-Mail:													
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Dog's Call Name Sex: \square M \square F Breed									Birth Date				
TDAA #OR □ New (Include TDAA registration form and Fees), OR □ 'PENDING' if previously s									sly submitte	ed			
Measured Jump Height: □ 4" □ 8" □ 12" □ 16" Desired/Actual Jump Height: □ 2" □ 4" □ 8" □ 12" □ 16" (Your preferred Jump Height for your dog)													
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Pre-entry	(received b	y trial s	ecre	etary prior	to trial	<u>)</u> :	□ \$15 p	er run	Nu	mber of run	ıs	@ \$15 = \$	
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AGREEMEN	IT: I(We) certif	y that I am	ı(we a	ire) the actual	owner of	the dog	g, or that I an	n(we are) the	duly authorized	agent of the ac	tual owner v	whose name I h	ave
for this agility	trial, or both, a	nd further	agree	e to be bound	by the "Ag	greeme	ent" printed o	on the reverse	egulations of the side of this entr ng representation	y form. I(We) c	ertify and re		
entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and 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.													
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Date													

OFFICIAL TEACUP DOGS AGILITY ASSOCIATION ADDITIONAL DOG ENTRY FORM

Awesome Critters 10701 Taylor Rd. Thonotosassa, FL 33592 Please check each event you're entering in the table below.

Additional Dog Entry (must be same owner/handler) – Owner's Name:											
Dog's Call Name Sex: ☐ M						□F	Breed		В	irth Date	
TDAA #OR □ New (Include TDAA registration form and Fees), O								'PENDING' if	fpreviousl	y submitted	
Measured Jump Height: \Box 4" \Box 8" \Box 12" \Box 16" Desired/Actual Jump Height: \Box 2" \Box 4" \Box 8" \Box 12" \Box 16" (Your preferred Jump Height for your dog)											
Do	Dog's Level Standard: □ S □ I □ B Games: □ III □ I □ I										
Saturday, February 14, 2026							Sunday, February 15, 2026				
Standard 1	Standard 2	Stay Out of Jail	Standard 3	Triathlor	ı	Stop the Clock	Standard 4	Standard 5	Winter Games	Heart to Heart	
Pre-entry (received by trial secretary prior to trial): Day of Show Entry*: For Exhibition Only (FEO): \$\Bigsir \\$15 \text{ p}\$ \$\Bigsir \\$5 \text{ p}\$						er run	Nu	mber of run mber of run mber of run	S	@ \$17 =	
*Please brin	*Please bring a check or exact change in cash for any day of show runs.										
TOTAL ENCLOSED (PAYABLE TO Awesome Critters)									\$		
TDAA Registration (Fees Payable to TDAA)								@ \$20 =		\$	

Volunteers & Sign-Up Sheet

Please volunteer at least once a day to keep the trial running smoothly.

Sign up at the trial.

Volunteers will receive worker coupons good towards future trial entries.

TDAA Agility Games 2026

In 2026, the TDAA is showcasing a different game each month for groups or clubs to play. Some are new and some might be new versions of old favorites!

Upon receipt of trial scores by TDAA, each TDAA-registered dog/competitor team playing one of the games of the month in 2026 will receive a point for each game they play throughout the year (regular run Qs and NQs; FEO runs do not apply). Each point is worth a raffle ticket that TDAA will place in a drawing. At the end of the year, TDAA will draw four competitor/team winners. These four teams will have one regular trial entry fee to a TDAA trial (of their choosing) paid for by TDAA in 2027. Contact TDAA at teacupagility@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Teacup Games Video Contest

For handlers who like to record their runs – you have the chance to film your dog/competitor team playing the Teacup Game of the month and submit it to TDAA. Each month, TDAA will select three videos and make them available to be voted on by TDAA members. Each winning team will be awarded a surprise gift by TDAA. Submit videos and send any questions to teacupagility@gmail.com.

2026 TDAA Petit Prix – National Tournament

The TDAA Petit Prix for 2026 is being held July 31 -August 2
(the premium can be found here or on the TDAA Events calendar), and is hosted by:
Imperial Polk Obedience Club

3611 Century Blvd

Lakeland, Florida 33811

Teacup Dogs Agility Association (TDAA) Forms

To **register a dog** with the TDAA, please use this link: <u>TDAA Dog Registration Form</u>. To become a member of TDAA, please use this link: <u>TDAA Membership Application</u>. For either form, you can:

- 1. Fill out the form online, save it to your computer and email it;
- 2. Print the form, fill it out, scan it and email it;
- 3. Print the form, fill it out, scan it and snail mail it.

If you wish to email the form(s), please send to: teacupagility@gmail.com. If you wish to snail mail, send to:

TDAA W6485 County Road H New Glarus, WI 53574

Thank you for supporting TDAA and small dog agility!