

Presents 4 UKC Agility Trials

Under the Regulations of the United Kennel Club

Open to all UKC registered dogs 15 months of age or older. Spectators are welcome.

April 13-14, 2024

Saturday Judge's briefing begins at 8:45 A.M. Judging to begin at 9:00 A.M.

Sunday Judge's briefing begins at 8:45 A.M. Judging to begin at 9 A.M.

Winchester Sportsplex 221 Commonwealth Court, Winchester, VA 22602 http://vaaclubs.squarespace.com/home

Entries are limited to 200 per Day

Pre-Entries Only - No Day of Show Entries

Entry Period Opens: February 1, 2024

Entry Period Closes: April 5, 2023

Judges: Suzanne White & Steve Blair Mount Holly Springs, PA Back-up Judge – Becky Gregory Clear Brook, VA

Paws for Fun is a UKC Club

Paws For Fun

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Directions to Trial Site

From the North or South: Interstate 81, Exit 310 (Kernstown). Take Route 37N. Take the ramp to Route 11. At the light, make a left on Rt. 11 North. Go 2/10 of a mile to the first traffic signal which is Commonwealth Court and then to the end of the road. The Sportsplex is to the left

In the Event of an Emergency: Dial 911

Veterinarian on Call

Valley Veterinary Emergency and Referral Center 210 Costello Drive Winchester, Virginia 22602 540-662-7811

Directions from the Sportsplex: I81N to exit 313, go straight at light (522S), go through two traffic lights and go left to the facility on the right. It is just past Costo.

There are plenty of hotels and camping in the area. Since hotels change ownership and pet policies so frequently, we recommend you use:



www.bringfido.com

Grounds Information

<u>Crating space</u> will be available on a limited basis. The trial site requires a tarp to be placed on the floor underneath your crates. Crates may be left overnight; however, PFF and the Sportsplex will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

There will be food offered at the site and there is a food vendor in the Sportsplex. There are various restaurants and fast food vendors within a very short driving distance. No large coolers allowed in the facility.

<u>No cleats</u> of any type may be worn on the field turf. No food is allowed on the field turf. No overnight parking will be allowed at the trial site. No electrical hook-ups for motor homes or campers are available.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s) at the site and at the hotels. Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show ground.

<u>Lunch</u> will be provided to *workers* by Paws For Fun as a "thank you." Non-workers may also enjoy the lunch for a \$5 donation.

The building will be open to exhibitors at 7:00am. Overnight security is not provided. No dog(s) may be left in the building overnight.

No general admission or parking fees.

No smoking on trial grounds

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- 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 of the obstacles safely.
- It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dog and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial judges and/or trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees will be made.

- By entering the trials you agree that the U.K.C., Paws For Fun, Blue Ridge Dog Training Club and the Winchester Sportsplex are not responsible for any loss, damage or injury sustained by spectators or by exhibitors or to any of their dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury. UKC, Paws For Fun, Blue Ridge Dog Training Club and the Winchester Sportsplex are not responsible for loss, accidents or theft. By entering the trial, the participant waives all rights which he/she or their family may have or hereafter have against Paws For Fun Club and the Property Owner for occurrences over the trial weekend.
- Please be considerate of others and clean up after your dog at the trial site and motel facilities. Owners/handlers not cleaning up after their dogs are subject to dismissal from the trial without refund.
- UKC will vigorously support any motel that files a complaint about exhibitors who fail to keep their dogs quiet or to clean up after them. In order that the bad conduct of a few exhibitors does not spoil it for the majority of responsible exhibitors, UKC will take strong disciplinary action against any offenders.
- Dogs must be kept on leash except when being judged, when crated or in the designated practice area.
- The Judge is not required to wait for any dog holding up the judging of a class.
- After the trial closes, no refunds will be given except for bitches in season. In this case, a Veterinarian's certificate will be required.
- Bitches in season will not be allowed on the premises.
- NO Alcohol, illegal drugs, or SMOKING permitted on the grounds or buildings.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused or the trial is cancelled because of storms or other conditions beyond the control of Paws For Fun.
- Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited. Food and toys are not permitted in the ring. Handlers are not permitted to use whistles or other instruments or devices.

To Enter

Send a completed copy of the UKC entry form, and a check or money order payable to Paws For Fun. The Entry Period opens on February 1, 2024 Entries close on April 5, 2024. Send entries to: Tim Gregory, 162 Rome Drive, Clear Brook, VA 22624.

IMPORTANT: If you are entering as a "Senior Handler" and wish to receive the discounted rate, PLEASE indicate on the top of the registration form "HANDLER IS A SENIOR" otherwise, you will be charged the regular rate.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor.

Use an official UKC entry form available at:

https://www.ukcdogs.com/docs/showforms/performance-entry-form.pdf

- Use one entry form per dog. Incomplete entry forms will not be processed.
- You MUST provide either a UKC registration number or temporary number. Otherwise, the entry will be rejected. You can obtain a temporary number on the web at https:// www.ukcdogs.com/tl-numbers. Points earned at the trial under a temporary number will be credited if a full registration is completed within 60 days of the points being earned
- Incorrect/incomplete entries, late entries or entries received • without the appropriate fees will not be accepted. Minor questions will be handled by email or telephone.

WAITING LIST

If we fill before the closing date, we will maintain a waiting list to fill any cancellations.

CONFIRMATIONS

A preliminary confirmation will be sent shortly after receipt of your entry. Final confirmations will be emailed shortly after the trial closing date.

AWARDS

Rosettes will be awarded for High in Trial, High Combined, High Scoring Junior Handler, High Scoring AMBOR and Triple Crown (HS qualifying in BA, IA, and EA combined). Placement rosettes will be awarded to the first through fourth place gualifying dogs in each class. All qualifying scores will receive qualifying ribbons. A U-GRACH Bar and rosette will be awarded to any dog completing the U-GRACH title at these trials.

Running Order

This is a one-ring trial. Running order is small to tall both days.

On both Saturday and Sunday, Judge's briefing begins at 8:45 A.M. and judging begins at 9:00 A.M.

Saturday	Sunday
BA Trial 1 Suzanne White BA Trial 2 Steve Blair EA Trial 1 Suzanne White EA Trial 2 Steve Blair IA Trial 1 Suzanne White IA Trial 2 Steve Blair	IA Trial 2 Steve Blair EA Trial 1 Suzanne White EA Trial 2 Steve Blair

Jump Height Divisions

Divisions are determined by the height of the dog. No dog may jump higher than its assigned jump height. Dogs of competing age may sign up for minimum height (1 jump height lower than assigned height). **Be sure to** mark minimum height or standard height on your entry.

Be sure to indicate the correct division for your dog:

- Height at withers up to and including 10" Division Toy:
- Division 1: Greater than 10" up to and including 14"
- Division 2: Greater than 14" up to and including 20"
- Greater than 20" jumps 20" **Dvision 3:**

PRE-ENTRY FEES

Paws for Fun is only accepting pre-entry registrations:

- Entry fee is \$20 for 1st run, \$15 for 2nd run in the same trial
- \$45 for each UGRACH trial entry (each trial entry includes BA, IA, EA of same trial) OR, \$170 for all 4 trials. For example:

Fido is entered in BA & IA in Trial 1 - Cost \$20 + \$15 = \$35. Fido is entered in BA in Trial 1 and BA in Trial 2 - Cost \$20 + \$20=\$40

- Sr. Handler (65 and older) \$12 per run. Indicate across the top of the form "Handler is a Senior".
- Jr. Handler (handler who has not reached their eighteenth birthday as of January 1 of the competition year and is a member of the UKC Total Junior Program) \$12 per run

Be sure to indicate if you dog is in section A or B (BA, BB, IA, or IB). A

is for dogs that have not yet earned a title in that class. B is for dogs working towards their UACH or higher. Trainers and judges must show in section B, but if their dog has not attained a title, they may participate in the course familiarization with their dog.