

# PURPLE PUPPY K9 ACADEMY www.ThePurplePuppy.com

# **AKC Agility Course Test (ACT)**

Saturday, October 21 – ACT 1 & 2 Jumpers (2 Rounds Each) Sunday, October 22 – ACT 1 & 2 Standard (2 Rounds Each)

**ACT Evaluator: Michelle Persian** 

### Limited to 100 runs

Earn an agility title on your beginner dog in a trial atmosphere! The Agility Course Test is an entry-level agility event to introduce beginning dogs and/or handlers to the sport of agility. Dogs must be 15 months or older to enter and must meet the requirements for a regular AKC agility trial (Chapter 1, Section 3), except that they do not need to be registered with AKC to enter.

**ACT Level 1** is open to dogs that have not earned any AKC agility titles. The course will have 10-12 obstacles and include 5' A-frame, table, tunnels, and bar jumps (no spread jumps); tire & panel jumps are allowed but not required. Time for all jump heights is 60 seconds for Standard and 50 seconds for Jumpers with a minimum score of 85 to Qualify. Two Qualifying runs earn the title – ACT1

**ACT Level 2** is open to dogs that have not earned a title in any AKC Agility class except an ACT1 title. Level 2 courses have 11-13 obstacles: all of the obstacles in Level 1 plus a teeter, 6 weaves, tire, and 1 spread jump (triple, double, or broad); the dog walk is allowed but not required. Time for all jump heights is 70 seconds in Standard and 60 seconds in Jumpers with a minimum score of 85 to Qualify. Two Qualifying runs earn the title – ACT2.

**Refusals & Run-outs are not judged.** More than 3 attempts at an obstacle will result in an elimination (failure). The rest of the faults are the same as in the regular agility classes. All passing scores can be under the same judge. Only one dog in the ring at a time.

**Dogs may be entered at any of the following jump height divisions:** 4, 8, 12, 16, 20 or 24 inches, handler's choice. A jump height card is not required. Dogs do not need be measured.

Fees: \$15/run (includes \$5 AKC fee)

**Closing Date:** Wednesday, October 11, 2023 – Entries MUST be Received by this date. *Priority will be given until Agile Canines Students until September* 1<sup>st</sup>. *Non-Agile Canines Students may send entries prior to September* 1<sup>st</sup> *and will be entered on September* 1<sup>st</sup> *in the order received.* 

## THERE WILL BE NO DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES

# Held at Agile Canines 6991 Oxford Street St. Louis Park, MN 55426

Enter on East Side (By the loading dock).

Building opens at 4:00PM Judge's Briefing 4:45PM First Run at 5:00PM

**Running Order:** ACT1 Round 1; ACT1 Round 2; ACT 2 Round 1; ACT2 Round 2 Small to Tall on Saturday and Tall to Small on Sunday

**Dogs that are not AKC registered may participate** & their performance will be recorded by the AKC under a temporary recording number. This temporary number will be emailed to the owner and must be used when entering subsequent ACT events; they may not be used for any other AKC events.

**More information about ACT**: http://www.akc.org/events/agility/act-program/and

 $http://images.akc.org/pdf/events/agility/ACT/AKC\_ACT\_Regulations\_REAGIL\_111\\5.pdf$ 

**Entries** will be accepted as received. Your entry must be complete and signed with liability waiver initialed or they will not be accepted. No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to: Michelle Persian (michelle@thepurplepuppy.com). Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$30 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

**Refunds:** Entry Fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, and act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other causes beyond the control of the organizing committee. Refund for dog or handler injuries after close of trial may be refunded with a doctor's/vet's note required.

No Flexi-Leads, e-collars or smoking is permitted on trial grounds.

Dogs must be leashed at all times other than when running or at the practice jump.

#### OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

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\$15/Run

Make Checks payable to The Purple Puppy Mail Entries to The Purple Puppy, 10663 Lee Drive, Eden Prairie, MN. 55347 Entries Close Wednesday, October 11, 2023

IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

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#### **AGREEMENT**

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. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations published for this event and any decision made in accord with them and further agree to be bound by this Agreement. I (we) agree that the club or ACT Evaluator, holding this event has to refuse this entry for cause which the club or ACT Evaluator shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any ÁKC approved judge or ACT Evaluator, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event 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, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (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 resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence
from your person or persons, including death at any time resulting intererroint, sustained
by any person or persons, including
from your participation in this event,
however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not
the same may have been caused or may
be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or
any of their employees, agents, or any other
person. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY,
EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) or ACT EVALUATOR AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGRÉEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

#### INSTRUCTIONS

Dogs may be entered in any jump height. There is no Regular or Preferred distinction at AKC's ACT events.

In order to acquire the ACT1 or ACT2 title certificate and have the title added to a dog's record, the dog must be registered/listed with the American Kennel Club. AKC Canine Partners<sup>SM</sup> applications may be accepted at the event and submitted to AKC with the event's results.

Dogs that are not AKC registered/listed may be registered at a later date and receive their ACT title at that time.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners™ program should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler Number on the front of this form. Should you not have Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

SIGN HERE X Telephone Number:

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

In Case of Emergency - Name:\_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: