

Premium List  
AKC All Breed Agility Trial

November 3-5, 2023

**Charlotte Dog Training Club, Inc.**

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



to be held at

**Rising Star Canine Ranch**  
8342 West Harrell Road  
Oak Ridge, NC 27310

**This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program**

These trials will be held indoors on an artificial turf surface.  
Two Rings, 80' x 100'; Electronic Timers Will Be Used,  
Accepting Online Entries via Labtestedonline.com  
Show Hours: 7:00 am to 7:00 pm

**Judge: Sangie Brooks**

**\*\*\* OFFERING FAST and T2B on FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, plus T2B and BOTH PREMIER classes on SUNDAY!! \*\*\***

**350 Runs Per Day; First Received**  
**Entries Open: August 17, 2023 at 8:00 am**  
at the Trial Secretary's address

All entries received before this date/time will be returned.  
Limit of 10 entries per envelope

**Entries Close: October 18, 2023 at 6:00 pm**

After which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules

**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

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**Judging Assignments & Running Order**

Judge: **Sangie Brooks. #111285**  
Garland, TX

**Friday and Saturday**

Ring 1	Ring 2
all FAST E/M Standard Open Standard Novice Standard	T2B E/M JWW Open JWW Novice JWW

**Sunday**

Ring 1	Ring 2
E/M Standard Premier Standard Open Standard Novice Standard	T2B E/M JWW Premier JWW Open JWW Novice JWW

Dogs will run **TALL TO SMALL** on Friday & Sunday and **SMALL TO TALL** on Saturday. Preferred classes will run with regular classes and height divisions. Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. We will not wait for exhibitors.

Check-in will be at 7:15 each day; judging will commence at 8:00 am in Ring 2 and then alternate rings. Judge's briefings will begin approximately 15 minutes prior to judging.

**Officers of the Charlotte Dog Training Club**

President: Beth Warren  
Vice-President: Nancy McClure  
Secretary: Donna Craig  
Treasurer: Carol Hamblin, 5900 Davidson Drive, Matthews, NC 29104

**Trial Chairperson**

Nan McClure  
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Charlotte, NC 28216  
(704) 578-7748  
[mcclurenn@gmail.com](mailto:mcclurenn@gmail.com)

**Trial Secretary**

Robin Early  
4208 Sylvia Street  
Winston-Salem, C 27104  
(336) 575.0967  
[earlyagility@gmail.com](mailto:earlyagility@gmail.com)

**Event Committee Members:** Nan McClure, Chairperson; Stan Hoffman, Marti Morris, Patricia Ray, and Elizabeth Petco

**24-HOUR EMERGENCY VETERINARY SERVICES**

**Carolina Veterinary Specialists and Emergency** 501 Nicholas Road  
Greensboro, NC 27409  
(336) 632-0607 (15mi from trial site)

**After Hours Veterinary Emergency Clinic** 5505 West Friendly Avenue  
Greensboro, NC 27410  
(336) 851-1990 (15mi from trial site)

**Happy Tails Veterinary Emergency Clinic** 2936 Battleground Avenue  
Greensboro, NC 27408  
(336) 288-2688 (16mi from trial site)

**Carolina Veterinary Specialists and Emergency** 1600 Hanes Mall Boulevard  
Winston-Salem, NC 27103  
(336) 896-0902 (27mi from trial site)

## HOTELS

*The following hotels are offering a special rate for the show. Mention "**Rising Star Canine Ranch**" to get the special rates. Please treat these hotels with respect; clean up after your dogs so they will allow future dog show participants to stay at their locations.*

**Clarion Pointe Greensboro Airport**, 7800 National Service Rd, Greensboro NC 27409.

336-454-0333.

**Fairfield Inn by Marriott Greensboro Airport**, 7615 Thorndike Rd, Greensboro, NC

27409. 336-841-0140.

**La Quinta Inn & Suites-Greensboro Airport High Point**, 7905 Triad Center Drive, Greensboro, NC 29409. 336-840-1550.

*The following is a list of motels in nearby Greensboro (about 20 minutes away). Please contact the hotel directly to verify their room rates and pet policies.*

**Days Inn-Greensboro Airport**, 501 South Regional Road, Greensboro, NC 27409.

336-790-0818.

**Motel 6-Greensboro Airport**, 605 South Regional Road, Greensboro, NC 27409.

336-668-2085.

**Red Roof Inn-Greensboro Airport**, 615 Regional Road, Greensboro, NC 27409.

336-271-2636.

**Camping/RV:** Dry camping will be allowed. \$20 per night. Water is available to fill up on site. Email [melissa@risingstarcanineranch.com](mailto:melissa@risingstarcanineranch.com) for RV reservations.

## DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

**\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\*:** If using GPS, please use site address (8342 West Harrell Road, Oak Ridge, NC) rather than site name (Rising Star Canine Ranch).

**From the south:** I-77N, take exit 13A onto I-85N toward Greensboro. Take exit 87 onto I-285 toward Winston-Salem. Take exit 107A onto US-311/I-40E toward Greensboro/High Point. Take exit 201 toward Union Cross Road, continue 4mi. Continue on Main St (NC-150) for .6mi, turn right onto N Main St (NC-150) and continue 6mi (turns into Oak Ridge Road). Turn left onto NC-68N for 2.8mi, turn left onto Haw River Road for 1.5mi, turn left onto West Harrell Road for 1mi.

**From the north/east:** I-85S to I-40W toward Greensboro. Take exit 210 onto NC-68 toward airport. Continue for 10mi, turn left onto Haw River Road for 1.5mi, turn left onto West Harrell Road for 1mi.

**From the west:** I-40E toward Greensboro. Take left exit 188 onto US-421S toward Winston-Salem, continue for 15.8mi. Take exit 222 NC-150 toward Kernersville, then turn left onto NC-66S for .8mi, then turn right onto N Main St (NC-150) and

continue 6mi (turns into Oak Ridge Road). Turn left onto NC-68N for 2.8mi, turn left onto Haw River Road for 1.5mi, turn left onto West Harrell Road for 1mi.

## SITE INFORMATION

- Rising Star Canine Ranch is a climate-controlled indoor facility with two 80 x 100 foot rings with an artificial turf surface.
- The grounds will be available for crating on Thursday from 6-7:30 only for **workers who can help set up**. Please sign up on the volunteer form.
- The grounds will be available for crating for all other exhibitors at 6:30am on Friday.
- Due to limited space, **no X-pens (including cloth) or large reclining chairs** will be allowed in crating areas.
- All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or the designated warm-up area.
- Charlotte Dog Training Club and Rising Star Canine Ranch will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

**FOOD:** There will not be a food vendor. Please plan accordingly.

**Entry fees:** \$25 first entry of each dog, each day, \$20 second entry of same dog, \$18 each additional entry of same dog, same day (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee for first entry and \$3 AKC recording fee for each additional entry of same dog per day)

**Make checks and money orders payable to CDTC.** Returned check fee is \$25.00 (does not constitute a valid entry). No third-party checks accepted. IT IS THE EXHIBITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENTER THE CORRECT CLASS.

Send entries with fees to: Robin Early, Trial Secretary  
4208 Sylvia Street  
Winston-Salem, NC 27104

**All express mail must be able to be left at the Secretary's address with no acceptance signature required.** Hand deliveries will not be accepted during the first 24 hours following the trial's opening. **PLEASE do not staple** your check to the entry form. Entry changes, additions, corrections and cancellations **MUST be received in writing** (email preferred) prior to the October 18, 2023, closing date, be legible and include the AKC number, or no refund will be issued. No telephone, fax, instant message or messenger changes accepted.

**You may enter this trial online using [LabTestedOnline.com](https://www.labtestedonline.com).**

During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows 35% online and 65% paper. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48-hour period, the club reserves the right to increase or decrease either one

accordingly. Vouchers cannot be used for online entry. They must be enclosed with mailed entry.

**PRIZES AND AWARDS:** Ribbons will be awarded to first through fourth place in each height division. Only qualifying scores are eligible for ribbons. A special rosette and a bar will be offered for all dogs earning a MACH, PACH, or AGCH. All ribbons and prizes must be claimed the day of the show; none will be mailed.

**DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER:** These trials are open to all dogs 15 months of age or older, that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have obtained AKC ILP, PAL, or AKC Canine Partners Listing numbers, or are approved FSS breeds. Dogs with a PAL/ILP or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are not eligible to participate. For copies of the Regulations for Agility Trials, or the Dog Show Rules, write AKC, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 or call (919) 233-9767. 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. Puppies under 4 months of age and bitches in season are strictly prohibited from the grounds.

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 disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. **Charlotte Dog Training Club, Rising Star Canine Ranch,** and the Trial Secretary, their agents, members, etc. assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children.

Entry fees for bitches that come into season after the closing date (or the unexpected death of a dog) will be refunded (minus an administrative fee of \$4 per run) if a veterinarian's certificate is presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging of the first day of the cluster of trials. Refunds for ill or injured dogs after closing will be given a voucher for future CDTC events, less \$7.00 per run, if a veterinarian's certificate is presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the cluster of trials. 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 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.

No refunds will be given for overpayment of fees if the error is less than \$10.

Up to 25 exhibitor entries may be wait-listed following the closing date. Full refunds will be made to exhibitors whose entries are replaced by wait-listed entries prior to the final closing date of October 18, 2023, at 6:00 pm.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run.

Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of "Regulations for Agility Trials". A warm-up area consisting of a regulation jump will be provided for all exhibitors, who may not use the warm up area to relieve their dogs.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on their entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries will not be accepted. All entries must be made on official AKC Entry Forms or copies and **must include the signed Agreement.** No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance.

**MOVE-UPS:** Move-up requests for Friday must be made in writing and must be received by the Trial Secretary no later than Monday, October 30, 2023, by 5 PM. They may be emailed to [earlyagility@gmail.com](mailto:earlyagility@gmail.com). Provide dog's call name, owner's name, original class entered and new class requested. Move-ups for Saturday and Sunday must include the above information and the dog's AKC number and must be delivered to the Trial Secretary at the trial site no later than 15 minutes after the final dog has run. There will be a move-up sheet at the ribbon table. The earlier you can do your move-up, the happier you will make your trial secretary! Dogs moved up will generally be placed at the end of the running order. Please note, if you miss the move-up deadline for Friday, then you will have to run at whatever level you entered on your first day of the trial, but you will be able to move up at the trial for the following day(s).

**CONFIRMATIONS:** If you provide a valid, **legible**, unblocked email address, your entries will be acknowledged via email when received. Final confirmation and a judging schedule will also be sent via email—you will NOT receive a confirmation via US mail. If you do not provide an email address, your confirmation of entry and judging schedule will be mailed to the address provided on your entry form. If you have not received a copy of your confirmation five days before the show, please contact the Trial Secretary.

**MEASURING:** Effective 1-1-2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog

entered in the 24" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog **before** its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores. **Judging will not be held up or interrupted for measuring!**

Owners are responsible for entering the proper height divisions. Handlers of dogs in Regular Classes may opt to run in a higher height division, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred Classes **MUST** jump in their measured division and are not allowed to jump higher or lower.

### HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT
8 inches	4 inches	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12 inches	8 inches	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16 inches	12 inches	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20 inches	16 inches	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24 inches	20 inches	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
24C	N/A	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches or under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height may not enter 24-choice.

### Class Changes Effective January 1, 2020

#### Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed. Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

**A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.**

### Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO) – WILL BE OFFERED AT THIS TRIAL

For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.

Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.

Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.

The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).

### Fix and Go On (FNG)

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

### WORKERS

Agility trials cannot be run without the help of exhibitors. At least not trials most could afford to enter 😊. A link to sign-up to work will be included in your final confirmation. CDTC thanks everyone in advance who signs up to work a class or two.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

AGREEMENT

CHARLOTTE DOG TRAINING CLUB AGILITY TRIAL – November 3-5, 2023

Circle days entered:

FRI: STD JWW FAST T2B
SAT: STD JWW FAST T2B
SUN: STD JWW PRM STD PREM JWW T2B

First entry (each dog) \$25, second entry of same dog \$20, each additional entry of same dog \$18 (per day)

Mail form, with appropriate fees payable to CDTC, to the Trial Secretary: Robin Early, 4208 Sylvia Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27104

Entries open 8:00 am August 17, 2023. Entries close 6:00pm October 18, 2023.

All entries must be able to be left at Trial Secretary's address with no signature required.

Table with 2 main columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Rows include height divisions (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and class types (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B).

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes [ ] STD [ ] JWW

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured [ ] Yes [ ] No, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields: AKC® NO [ ], Enter Complete Registration # below, DATE OF BIRTH, ILP NO. [ ], PAL NO. [ ], FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY [ ], PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS [ ] NEW ADDRESS

CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

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

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...

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...

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine PartnersSM program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs 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 your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767.

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

SIGN HERE X \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] New Email

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