

PBGV AGILITY TRIAL INFORMATION

March 31, 2026

This trial will be held at Rising Star Canine Ranch, 8340 W. Harrell Rd, Oak Ridge, NC 27310.

TRIAL SCHEDULE:

NO EARLY SET- UP ON MONDAY

Tuesday, March 31, 2026

7:00 a.m. - Arena opens

7:30 a.m. - Check-in and measurement.

7:40 a.m. - Judge's briefing and walk-throughs

8:00 a.m. - First dog on the line

Height running order: Tall to Small 😊

Run order:

FAST all levels - Trial 1

FAST all levels - Trial 2

T2B - Trial 1

T2B - Trial 2

Master/Exc. Std - Trial 1

Master/Exc. Std - Trial 2

Open Standard - Trial 1

Open Standard - Trial 2

Novice Standard - Trial 1

Novice Standard - Trial 2

Master/Exc. JWW - Trial 1

Master/Exc. JWW - Trial 2

Open JWW - Trial 1

Open JWW - Trial 2

Novice JWW - Trial 1

Novice JWW - Trial 2

A preliminary running order will be posted on or around March 12 or 13 on my website at www.earlyagility.com

CHECK-IN and MEASURING

We will not have a VMO at this trial. If your dog needs to be measured, please be sure to get this done prior to your first run. Shannon will be measuring as time allows before and between judging, Please refer to the AKC measuring guidelines at <https://www.akc.org/sports/agility/exhibitor-resources/jump-height-card> to determine if your dog must be measured at the trial.

As a reminder, leashes can be worn or put in pockets - now part of Chapter 4, section 10. This has been effective since January 1, 2022.

There will plenty of room for crating and parking. No reserved crating needed.

TRIAL SITE RULES:

1, Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s) anywhere on the property. 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.

2. NO SMOKING and NO CHEWING GUM allowed on the property.

3. Please bring 2 pairs of shoes - only CLEAN footwear to be worn on the turf! NO SPIKE SHOES OR HEELS.

4. Any potty accident or mud trails on the turf will warrant a \$20 fine. [Cash or check payable to Rising Star Canine Ranch should be left with the trial secretary]. Special cleaning products will be provided by RSCR.

No coffee unless she has it there. Light snacks and pizza will be furnished for workers.

Pizza will be available for a \$5.00 donation for those not working.

PLEASE NOTE: Bottled water WILL NOT be provided. The facility has a filtered water fountain designed for refilling cups and water bottles. PLEASE PLAN TO BRING YOUR OWN WATER BOTTLE to refill. Disposable cups also will be provided for those who forget to bring their own refillable water container.

VOLUNTEERS

All exhibitors please plan to help out with the various jobs that need to be done to make our trials run as smooth as they can. We will need everybody to help with course building, scribing, timing, and clean up after the trial. We would all like to get done and be on our way to the national show hotel in Asheville as early as we can. This is looking to be the biggest trails we have had at least in the last 13 years or so.

Directions to the Site:

If using GPS, please use site address (8340 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 2.8 miles, turn left onto Haw River Road for 1.5 miles, turn left onto West Harrell Rd. for 1 mile.

Handlers' Responsibilities:

We will need everyone's cooperation to keep things moving. To make sure that this trial runs as smoothly and efficiently as possible, we will use the following procedures:

1. While each dog is running, we will have one dog on the line, one dog on deck, and one dog in the hole when possible. Be sure that you are at the gate, ready to take your place in line. If you are running multiple dogs and you don't have enough room between your dogs, you may move your dogs, but they must stay in the same order as they appear on the gate, in other words, whichever dog is supposed to run first must still run first

2. The dog on the line should be ready to run before the dog on course finishes the last obstacle if possible. When the timer tells you to go, begin your run!

EMERGENCY VETERINARY: Carolina Veterinary Specialists, 501 Nicholas Road, Greensboro, NC (336) 632-0605 (15 miles from trial site)

Carolina Veterinary Specialists, 1600 Hanes Mall Blvd., Winston-Salem, NC (336) 896-0902 (approximately 30 miles from trial site)

Happy Talk Veterinary Emergency Clinic, 2936 Battleground Ave., Greensboro, NC (336) 288-2688 (16 miles from trial site)

HOTELS/RV PARKING: Please pick up after your dog(s) and respect all hotel rules. For information on RV, please contact Melissa at melissa@risingstarcanineranch.com.

Please see the premium for information on hotels.

If you have any questions about these trials, please contact the agility chair Vickie Willmann at tvllwill@aol.com, text or call 765-618-2324.

Safe travels.