

# TSF Ice Cream Social Welcome Letter

## Thank You!

Thank you all for entering! We look forward to hosting our first tournament and sharing a fun weekend of flyball together!

## Tournament Format

One (1) two-day limited tournament with 28 teams (20 Regular, 4 Multibreed, and 4 Open teams from 18 clubs), in 1 ring with 70+ ft of runback. The seed chart, racing formats, racing schedule and other info can be found here: <https://tsfflyball.com/tournaments>. There are 70 races Saturday and 56 races on Sunday.

## Regional Info

This is a Region 9 tournament. Amanda Brown is the Regional Director. There is **NO CROSSLISTING** of dogs (i.e. a dog may be listed on **ONE TIMESHEET ONLY**). This tournament does NOT count for multibreed class regional championship purposes. This tournament DOES count for regular class regional championship purposes.

## Titles/Awards

Each club will receive a welcome gift bag. We will have an awards ceremony with placement prizes! A small selection of title ribbons will be available, if your team will have a title higher than FM earned at our tournament please email [Fetch@tsfflyball.com](mailto:Fetch@tsfflyball.com) so we can order it.

## Friday and Saturday Night Turf Time

We are offering "turf time" Friday evening, from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm, and Saturday after racing until 8pm if there is interest. We will NOT be doing an online pre-sign up, turf time sign ups will be available at the head table starting at 3pm on Friday and Saturday. Cost will be \$5/5 minutes per lane. If you need both lanes the cost is \$10/5 minutes. Please be ready for your time slot so that we can keep things moving so that everyone has a chance to use their time to its fullest.

## Saturday Night Ice Cream Social!

Please join us Saturday for the most important part of flyball - ice cream and socializing! TSF will be providing small ice cream cups for all attendees, please make sure you have sent in your human count so we can be sure there is enough for everyone. (If anyone has a dairy allergy, please let us know, we have some alternatives to offer so that everyone can enjoy the fun, email [Fetch@tsfflyball.com](mailto:Fetch@tsfflyball.com) to let us know!) We'll begin serving ice cream at 6:30 and will finish after turf time concludes so that everyone can join the party.

## Site

The tournament will be held at [Quicksilver Canine](#) in Julian, NC. The facility is heated/air-conditioned (though it is NC in July, please plan accordingly if you/your dogs run hot), and has room for indoor crating for everyone. We will have space marked for clubs. There are electrical outlets every so often and you are welcome to share them. Please plan to tarp your entire crating area (if you are crating on the turf). We will be setting up on Friday from noon until we are done. You may drop off any boxes, crates, etc., after 3 pm Friday night. Please pick up after your dogs; bags and containers will be provided. Please do not allow dogs to urinate on the building, on agility equipment outdoors, or on anything someone has to pick-up. Potty accidents on the turf carry a penalty of \$10.

We will have the garage doors closed and hvac on during the event. Please do not leave doors open so we can keep as much cool air inside as possible.

Currently, there is no wifi available and cell phone connections INSIDE the building are severely lacking. We CAN get a reasonable cell signal outside the building (we use Verizon).

## Site Address/Map

[Quicksilver Canine](#)

5600 Clarence Rd. Julian, NC 27283

Please contact [Diana](#) (336-770-8994) if you need help finding the facility.

## Entrances/Parking/RV/Camping

Let's make sure you are parking on solid ground and avoiding places where you might get stuck. If you need help with parking, please see Patrick or Karl!

Please unload at front door (pink block), then proceed to RV/Car Parking area (yellow block). Depending on where you are crating indoors, a blue arrow door may be much closer to your crating area than through the front. There will be some front spaces available on a first come, first served basis, but please be considerate for those needing access to unload. Please do not block the road to the parking area.

RV camping – Please let Patrick or Alex know if you are planning to RV camp ([Fetch@TSFflyball.com](mailto:Fetch@TSFflyball.com)). No hookups. No electricity. Generators OK. You can fill up your fresh water tank from the front of the building. Also, there are bathrooms inside (no showers) which are available for your use. If you have any questions or concerns about your RV parking area, BEFORE YOU SETUP, level, pull out your slides, etc.,... PLEASE CHECK WITH PATRICK or KARL to make sure you're in an acceptable location.

Overhead view of facility site:



## Schedule

Friday	4:00pm	Turf Time Starts
	8:00pm	Turf Time Ends
Saturday	7:00am	Building Opens (Box and Lane Check)
	7:30am	Measuring Begins
	8:00am	Captains Meeting
	8:30am	Racing Begins
	6:30pm	Estimated Racing Finish/Turf Time begins
	6:30pm	Ice Cream Social
	8:00pm	Turf Time ends
Sunday	7:00am	Building Opens
	8:00am	Racing Begins
	3:00pm	Estimated Racing Finish/Awards

Warm Ups - 90 seconds for the weekend.

## **C-2 Forms**

NAFA C-2 score sheets will be filled out with race schedules pre-printed. They will consist of one double-sided sheet for each team (some fit on one side). If you are using stickers be sure to bring one for each side/page of the form. Please do not bring entire C-2 forms. They will be discarded. Team lineups may be changed or a performance team may be declared up until the first race of their respective division has started. After a race has been run in a division no lineups may be changed for any reason in that division. PLEASE CHECK YOUR C.2 FORMS CAREFULLY. ONE MISTAKE CAN COST YOU EVERYTHING!!! ONE DOG, ONE TIMESHEET (NO DOUBLE LISTING).

Warm-up dogs on C.2 forms should be written in and must include a CRN.

## **Judges**

Jon Bescher will be our judge for the weekend.

## **Technology**

There is currently no wifi in the building, and cell signals inside are spotty at best. As such, we will be using the heat tracker's race counter to show the CURRENT RACE. We will be utilizing ondeck manager for this tournament. <https://ondeckmanager.com/>

## **Scoring**

Please refer to the seed charts for scoring format(s).

## **Line Judges**

If you see an empty line judge chair or hear a call for line judges, please fill the seat. Keeping the line judge seats filled will help us move the schedule along quickly, please help out if you can!

## **Vendors**

We will have so many vendors - treats, tugs, kennels, pet portraits, dog ice cream, snow cones, and more!! Stay tuned to the Facebook page and emails to the Captains with additional specific vendor info; we hope to highlight each of our vendors so you can be prepared to support them!

## **Food**

There will be no lunch breaks either day.

There are a couple of restaurants (Chinese, Italian, Mexican, and a Subway) and a grocery store (Food Lion) about 7 minutes away (Old Julian Rd x Woody Mill Rd). There are a number of fast food places (McD, Zaxby's, Bojangles, Wendys, Cracker Barrel, Smithfields, Hwy 55 Burgers/Shakes, Starbucks, Taco Bell, Pizza Hut) about 12 to 15 minutes away (I-85 exit 124). About 15 minutes away, near the intersection of I-40 and Gate City Blvd, there are many other restaurants (including actual sit-down restaurants). Please let us know if you need suggestions/recommendations.

You are welcome to bring your own food and drinks, coolers, etc.,... but NO CROCKPOTS PLEASE. Please keep all food on the concrete or on your tarped crating area, and not on the turf.

## **Emergency**

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