

(Revised 3.21.18)

**ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES OPEN ON February 21, 2018 at 8:00 AM** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.  
**ENTRIES CLOSE ON April 6, 2018 at 6PM** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

**PREMIUM LIST**

**AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS**

This Event is Accepting Entries for All American Dogs  
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program <sup>SM</sup>

**Durham Kennel Club**

(An AKC Member Club)



**April 20, 2018** Event # 2018016104

**April 21, 2018** Event # 2018016105

**April 22, 2018** Event # 2018016106

**Durham Kennel Club Agility Field**  
7318 Guess Road, Hillsborough, NC 27278

**Judge: Marc Ogle**

**ENTRY LIMITS**

Total of 330 runs each day

**CLASSES OFFERED:**

**Friday ALL LEVELS: Standard, JWW, FAST  
Premier JWW, Time 2 Beat**  
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**Saturday ALL LEVELS: Standard, JWW, FAST, Premier Standard**  
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**Sunday ALL LEVELS: Standard, JWW, Premier JWW, Time 2 Beat**

Outdoors, Grass Surface; Two 110 x 100 Rings  
**Trial Hours:** Friday – 7:30am to 6pm, Sat/Sun – 7am to 7pm  
**Judging will begin no earlier than 8:00 AM.**



**CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.  
Gina M DiNardo, Executive Secretary

**OFFICERS OF THE DURHAM KENNEL CLUB**

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TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Trial Chairman Anne Truesdale 5802 Mount Sinai Rd. Durham, NC 27705 (919) 824-0878 attruesdale@gmail.com	Tina Eastman Sunrise Agility TSS P.O. Box 1022 York, SC 29745 Sunriseagilitytss@gmail.com <a href="http://www.sunriseagility.com">www.sunriseagility.com</a> 843-271-2711

**EVENT COMMITTEE**

*Anne Truesdale, Tracy Fletcher, George Abell,  
Karen Stewart, Nili Young,*

**JUDGE AND ASSIGNMENTS**

**Marc Ogle, #99191, Swannanoa, NC**

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Premier JWW, Time 2 Beat**

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**VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

Triangle Veterinary Referral Hospital  
919-489-0615  
608 Morreene Rd.  
Durham, NC 27705

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/Ambulance/Police  
Durham County 911

**CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES**

**CLASSES AND RUNNING ORDER**

**Friday LOW to HIGH** (4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24)

T2B – Premier JWW - EX/MAS STD – EX/MAS JWW – OPN STD – OPN JWW – NOV STD – NOV JWW - Followed by all FAST classes: EX/MAS, OPEN & NOVICE FAST

**Saturday HIGH to LOW** (24, 20, 16, 12, 8, 4)

Premier STD - EX/MAS STD – EX/MAS JWW - OPN STD – OPN JWW – NOV STD – NOV JWW, Followed by all FAST classes: EX/MAS, OPEN & NOVICE FAST

**Sunday LOW to HIGH** (4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24)

T2B, Premier JWW, EX/MAS JWW – EX/MAS STD – OPN JWW - OPN STD - NOV JWW - NOV STD

**Judging to begin no earlier than 8 a.m. all days.  
Please see final confirmation for start-times.**

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

**HEIGHT DIVISIONS**

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers. Regular Dogs may not be entered in this height if they are 22 inches and under.
24C"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches and under at the withers.  Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice

**MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION**

Effective January 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.

**DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER**

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under four (4) months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

**OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials.

**ENTRY FEES PER DAY**

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee).....\$24.00  
 Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee).....\$12.00  
 Third--Sixth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee).....\$12.00

E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form. If you need a paper confirmation and would like to know the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard along with your entry.

You can enter the trial via Mailed entry and Online Entry.

**OPTION 1.**

Mail entry forms and fees to: Tina Eastman, Trial Secretary, P O Box 1022, York, SC 29745. Make checks payable to Durham Kennel Club, or DKC.

**OPTION 2**

**You may enter this trial online via [LabTestedOnline.com](http://LabTestedOnline.com).**

During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows 25% online and 75% 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 can only be used when mailing a paper copy to the trial secretary.**

No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Tina Eastman at [sunriseagilitytss@gmail.com](mailto:sunriseagilitytss@gmail.com). No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted that specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. No hand deliveries will be accepted in the first 24 hours of the trial opening. **Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$30.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Be sure to include correct fees. Overpayments less than \$10 will not be refunded.

**Vouchers cannot be used for online entry.**

#### **COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION**

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent. No umbrellas allowed on course during walk-throughs.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

#### **RIBBONS AND AWARDS**

Rosettes will be awarded to the first through fourth place dog in each jump height division in each class. A New Title ribbon will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. DoubleQ ribbons will be awarded for those earning a DoubleQ in the Master classes. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. MACH/PACH Rosettes and a MACH/PACH bar will be given to exhibitors earning a MACH/PACH title at this trial. All ribbons and prizes must be claimed at the trial; none will be mailed.

#### **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

##### **SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY**

**The safety of the dog** 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.

**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 an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Durham Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. Durham Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Durham Kennel Club or any official thereof.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

##### **REFUNDS**

**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 entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

**Bitches in season** will not be admitted to the trial. Any exhibitor with an entered bitch in season, on the trial date, will be refunded the entry fee, less \$3 per run (each day), upon written certification from a veterinarian. Notification must be in the hands of the trial secretary no later than 30 minutes before the start of judging on the first day of the trial or cluster of trials.

**Injuries** – Dogs that cannot compete due to an injury will, at the discretion of the club, be given a partial refund less \$6.50 per run (each day). For injured dogs, a signed letter from a vet must be given to the Trial Secretary no later than 30 minutes before the start of judging on the first day of the trial or cluster of trials. In the event of a deceased dog, notification (email or written) must be received by the Trial Secretary no later than the start time on the date of the trial and a full refund will be given.

##### **AKC RULES & REGS**

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

##### **MOVE UPS**

Move ups must be sent in writing (**e-mail is acceptable and preferred**—NO text or facebook instant messaging) to the Trial Secretary for the April 20, 2018 trial no later than Monday, April 16, 2018 by 6 p.m. Move ups from Friday to Saturday and Saturday to Sunday must be submitted in person to the trial secretary no later than 15 minutes after the last class on Friday and Saturday, respectively. The trial secretary will be more than grateful if you will do your move-ups as soon as possible.

##### **RINGSIDE**

**Dogs may arrive** any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

**Judges are not required** to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system, or stewards, or runners, for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

##### **VENDORS**

If you would like a vendor space, please contact Karen Stewart by email: [karen@stewarteventimages.com](mailto:karen@stewarteventimages.com).

### **We need your HELP for a Successful Trial!**

Once again, we are counting on the generosity of agility enthusiasts to pitch in and help keep the trial running smoothly and efficiently.

Those of you who are experienced can help us by sharing your talents and helping to train the newcomers. For those of you who are new to agility, we will train you and offer support as you learn about what it takes to put on a trial.

We now offer an on-line system to register your volunteer request. More information about volunteering will be available after the trial closes.

Worker volunteers will be given a coupon worth \$2.50 to be applied to lunch or to a future DKC trial for each class worked. Volunteers also get a chance to win a prize in the Worker Raffle.

## Wait List for Withdrawn Entries after Closing

Durham Kennel Club is offering a Wait List to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing on April 6, 2018. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the trial closing date. Any entries withdrawn that are received by Tuesday, April 17, 2018 @ noon, will be replaced by a wait listed entry if any are available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by Tuesday, April 17 2018 @ noon will receive a full refund.

**This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.**

### ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

**Indoor crating** is available in the Durham KC building with heat and air-conditioning. Indoor and Outdoor Bathrooms are available. X-pens are allowed inside the building if placed on a floor mat.

Lunch will be prepared and served by students from Durham's Northern High School Culinary Institute. A selection of hot and cold sandwiches, including vegetarian sandwiches, and various salads will be provided, as well as scrumptious desserts and soft drinks.

**Overnight parking** will be allowed at the trial site for \$10 per night. No electrical hook-ups for motor homes or campers are available. Please contact Anne Truesdale at [atruesda@gmail.com](mailto:atruesda@gmail.com) if you wish to park overnight.

**Exhibitors are responsible** for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event 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 grounds.

### DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

IMPORTANT: Please note the street address of the DKC is **7318 Guess Road**, Hillsborough, NC 27278 and NOT 8318 Guess Rd. as many mapping applications believe. From I-85 North or South, take Guess Road (NC 157) exit off I-85, go approximately 8.5 miles north (away from Durham). The Durham Kennel Club drive is on the right side of the road and is marked by a blue sign. The gravel drive ends at the Durham Kennel Club.

### HOTEL INFORMATION

*These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs.  
A pet deposit may be required.  
Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.*

La Quinta Inn and Suites - 4414 Chapel Hill Blvd, Durham, NC, 27712

[\(919\) 401-9660](tel:9194019660)

The Durham KC has reserved a block of rooms at the LQ at a discount off their regular rate. Rate: \$89.00 - \$112 per night depending on the room type reserved

**Reservation method:** Contact our **Group Desk at 1-866-527-1498, option #1 and refer to Confirmation Code: 0183.** Reservations must be made no later than **03/29/2018** to guarantee the special rate.

Holiday Inn Express  
202 Cardinal Drive  
Hillsborough, NC  
[919-644-7997](tel:9196447997)  
\$25 pet fee, limit 2 pets

Red Roof Inn  
1915 N Pointe Dr, Durham, NC  
919-471-9882

Comfort Inn RTP  
4507 Apex Hwy  
Durham, NC  
919-361-2656  
\$25 pet fee; 60 lb. limit

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



DURHAM KENNEL CLUB

Opens: February 21, 2018 • Closes: April 6, 2018

First entry \$24, each additional entry same dog \$12 (per day)

Make checks payable to: Durham Kennel Club or DKC;

Mail to: Tina Eastman, Sunrise Agility TSS, PO Box 1022, York, SC 29745.

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!

ENTRY FEE:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Per day: 1 run \$24, 2 runs \$36, 3 runs \$48, 4 runs \$60, 5 runs \$72, 6 runs \$84

Table with 7 columns: Date, STD, JWW, Not offered, Premier JWW, FAST, T2B. Rows for Fri. 4/20/18, Sat. 4/21/18, Sun. 4/22/18.

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height, and circle class selections :: Only one selection per class (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)

Table with 2 main columns: REGULAR Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and PREFERRED Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20"). Rows for STD, JWW, FAST, T2B.

This Dog Needs To Be Measured (Yes/No), SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME.

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

AKC® NO, Enter Complete Registration # below, DATE OF BIRTH, ILP NO., PAL NO., PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY), FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER.

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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 (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event 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 or 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 AKC approved judge, 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 of my (our) 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 negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

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 ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTREPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT 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

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes must compete at the required jump height and may not compete in a jump height division higher or 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. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured 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. 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?

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 above. 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 by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the forgoing representation and agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

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 #: \_\_\_\_\_ AEAGL2 (06/15)