#### ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

**ENTRIES open on Monday August 23, 2021, at 10:00 AM EST** 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 Wednesday, September 29, 2021, at 11:00 PM EST** 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.

# NOTE: ALL EXHIBITORS, AND ANYONE ACCOMPANYING AN EXHIBITOR TO THE TRIAL, MUST SIGN THE WAIVER INCLUDED IN THIS PREMIUM.

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> **AKC All Breed Agility Trial** 

# October 15-17, 2021

# Greater Kingsport Kennel Club



# GKKC is a member club of the American Kennel Club

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

Friday-Sunday October 15-17, Event #: 2021024611, 2021024612, 2021024613 Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center, 140 Spurgeon Ln, Blountville, TN, 37617

# **CLASSES OFFERED AND ENTRY LIMITS**

All Levels of STD, JWW, FAST; and Time 2 Beat, offered all three days Total runs each day: 350 These trials will be held in an indoor arena on packed dirt, with Rubberized

contacts, 24-inch spaced weave-poles, displaceable tires & electronic timers 1 ring 110x95

Judge: Brian Brane



# 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

# CLUB OFFICIALS OF THE GREATER KINGSPORT KENNEL CLUB

President	Trudy Price
Vice President	Debbie Sullivan
Secretary	Barbara Salberg-Richman, 352 Painter Rd.,
	Fall Branch, TN 37656
Treasurer	Brenda Grable

# **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Judy Pinkevich, Kim Williams, Ben Gibbs, Rhonda Gibbs, Val Currier, Brenda Grable, Pam Brownlee, Trudy Price

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Kathryn Smiley	Tina Eastman, Sunrise Agility LLC
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KTsmiley.kat@gmail.com	Sunriseagilitytss@gmail.com
	www.sunriseagility.com

Sunrise Agility LLC website: <u>www.sunriseagility.com</u> Please check the web site for trial information and updates

# JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Brian Brane #96635 Pittsboro, NC

# VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Regular business hours: **Companion Animal Hospital** 3315 Roller Dr. Kingsport, TN 37663 During regular business hours **Monday-Friday 7:30 to 5:30 and Saturday 8:00 to 12:00** 

# After hours use:

Airport Pet Emergency Clinic 2436 TN-75 Blountville, TN 37617 Friday 5:30pm to midnight and Saturday-Sunday 24 hours

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

# **Greater Kingsport Kennel Club Covid-19 Release of Liability**

The Novel Corona –19 virus is still a concern globally. As reported by the Center for Disease Control (CDC) it is mostly like spread during close contact from person to person within 6 feet of each other. To protect yourself consider wearing a mask that covers your nose and mouth, get vaccinated, stay at least 6 feet apart, and wash your hands frequently.

This virus has shown that it is highly contagious and can cause severe illness up to and including death. Please be mindful of precautions and be respectful of others.

The Greater Kingsport Kennel Club (GKKC) and the Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center cannot prevent you, or your family, from being exposed, contracting, or spreading Covid-19. While utilizing the premises of the Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center or the services of the GKKC, it is not possible to completely prevent against the disease. Therefore, by entering the facility/grounds, you are accepting responsibility for increasing your risk of contracting or spreading the virus.

Assumption of risk: I have read and understand the above warning concerning Covid-19. I hereby choose to accept the risk of contracting Covid-19 for myself and/or family members in order to utilize the services of the GKKC and the Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center. These services are of such a value to me (and/or family members,) that I accept the risk of being exposed to, contracting, and/or spreading Covid-19.

Waiver of Lawsuit/Liability: I hereby forever release and waive my right to bring suit against Greater Kingsport Kennel Club, Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center, or any owners, officers, directors, managers, officials, trustees, agents, employees, or other representatives in connections with exposure, infection, and /or spread of Covid-19 related to utilizing the premise or services of the Greater Kingsport Kennel Club or the Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center. I understand that signing this waiver means giving up my right to bring any claims including for personal injuries, death, disease, property losses, or other loss, including but not limited to claims of negligence and giving up any claim I may have to seek damages, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen.

By signing this waiver, I am also stating that I do not have an active infection of Covid-19 to the best of my knowledge. If this should change prior to or during the trial dates; I will leave the premises immediately and notify the GKKC or the trial chair.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL PROVISIONS OF THIS RELEASE, AND FREELY AND KNOWINGLY ASSUME THE RISK AND WAIVE MY **RIGHTS CONCERNING LIABILITY AS DESCRIBED ABOVE:** 

Signature:

Date:

Name (printed):

I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor named above. I have the legal right to consent to and, by signing below, I hereby do consent to the terms and conditions of this Release.

Signature: Date:

Name (printed): \_\_\_\_\_

# NOTE: ALL EXHIBITORS, AND ANYONE ACCOMPANYING AN EXHIBITOR TO THE TRIAL, MUST SIGN THE WAIVER INCLUDED IN THIS PREMIUM.

#### CLASSES OFFERED & RUNNING ORDER JUDGE BRIAN BRANE

FRIDAY Tall to Small	SATURDAY Small to Tall	SUNDAY Tall to Small
Master/Excellent FAST	Time 2 Beat	Master/Excellent FAST
Open/Novice FAST	Mst/Exc JWW	Open/Novice FAST
Master/Exc Standard	Open JWW	Master/Exc Standard
Open Standard	Novice JWW	Open Standard
Novice Standard	Master/Exc Standard	Novice Standard
Mst/Exc JWW		Mst/Exc JWW
	Open Standard	
Open JWW	Novice Standard	Open JWW
Novice JWW	Master/Excellent FAST	Novice JWW
Time 2 Beat	Open/Novice FAST	Time 2 Beat

This is the expected running order. In the event it needs to be amended we will notify entered exhibitors.

# Walk-throughs will be announced in the trial information after closing.

# FEO RUNS (For exhibition only) ARE OFFERED AT THIS TRIAL. (T2B and FAST)

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.

#### 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

#### AKC RULES AND REGULATIONS

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/.

# 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)	\$14.00
Third entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)	\$12.00
Fourth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)	\$10.00

# Mail entry form, WAIVER and fees to:

Sunrise Agility LLC Tina Eastman, Trial Secretary, GKKC PO Box 1022 York, SC 29745 Make checks payable to GKKC

E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a **PRINTED** 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.

All entries, requests for move-up, etc. are promptly responded to. If you do not receive a response within 48 hours, (weekends excluded) please email Tina.

Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address (max 10 entries per envelope). No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted that specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or email.

Payment must accompany entry, No hand deliveries will be accepted in the first twentyfour hours following the opening date and time. Inquiries may be directed to Tina Eastman at Sunriseagilitytss@gmail.com.

Entries must be submitted on Official AKC-form with correct entry-fees listed. One dog per form. Please read the section: "Class changes effective January 1, 2020," posted in the premium, for instructions when entering same dog in multiple heights or mixed regular and preferred classes.

Agreement on back of form MUST be signed. Photo-copies must be legible with original signature. <u>Max 10 entries (dogs) per envelope</u> (includes Express-mail-entries). **NO emailed forms, fax or telephone entries accepted.** 

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

## **ONLINE ENTRY INFORMATION**

# You may enter this trial online using LabTestedOnline https://www.labtestedonline.com/

This trial is accepting online entries through LabTestedOnline.com. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows. 30% online per day, 70% each day. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48-hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly.

## 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" or 24C 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.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:** Effective 1/2/18, the 26-inch jump height division is replaced by the24-Choice jump height division.

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 <b>NOT</b> 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.			

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.

#### MOVE UP REQUESTS

Move ups must be sent in writing (e-mail is acceptable and preferred--NO TEXTS OR INSTANT MESSAGES-- to the Trial Secretary for the October 15, 2021 trial, **no later than Monday, October 11, 2021, by 6:00 PM**. Move ups from Saturday to Sunday must be submitted in person to the trial secretary no later than 15 minutes after the last class on Saturday, The trial secretary will be more than grateful if you will do your move-ups as soon as possible.

# **CLASS CHANGES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2021**

# 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.

When calculating entry fees, treat multiple entry forms for the same dog as if only one form had been filled out. In other words, the 1<sup>st</sup> run entry fee is only paid once per day, per dog, even if that dog's runs have been submitted on multiple entry forms.

#### FEO (FOR EXHIBITION ONLY) AND FIX AND GO ON

FEO RUNS (For exhibition only) ARE AVAILABLE AT THIS TRIAL.

Please see the last page before entry form for complete rules for FEO, and Fix and Go On

# NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

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. <u>Puppies under 4 months of age are strictly prohibited from the grounds</u>.

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, by discretion of Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

Greater Kingsport Kennel Club, the Trial Secretary, their agents, officers, 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.

Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of "Regulations for Agility Trials". Warm up areas consisting of a regulation jump will be provided for all exhibitors. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

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.

Bitches in season and ill or injured dogs are not eligible to compete. Bitches in season may be withdrawn after closing, and entry fees (less \$3.50/run) will be returned upon request of the competitor prior to the start of judging. Refunds of entry fees (less \$7.00/run) for ill or injured dogs may be returned upon request prior to the start of judging on Friday Oct 11. A signed veterinarian's note, received by the club prior to the start of judging Friday Oct 11, is required for all refunds.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of Trial Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond control of organizing committee. Refunds of less than \$10 will not be made.

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

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 accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance.

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.

#### 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"	<b>4</b> " 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. <b>Regular Dogs may not be</b> <b>entered in this height if they are</b> 22 inches and under at the withers, but they may enter the 24 Choice division		
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" or 24"C 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.

#### **OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. Rubberized contacts will be used. All classes will take place on synthetic turf. Ring size will be a minimum of 100 x 90 square feet.

# 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 walkthroughs.

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.

# **RIBBONS AND AWARDS**

Rosettes will be awarded to the first through fourth place dog in each jump height division in each class.

- 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.
- New Title ribbons will be given to dogs earning a new title.

All ribbons must be claimed by the end of the Trial; none will be mailed.

#### NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

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. It is expressly understood that the 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 Event Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any entry fees will be made. All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area. No dogs may be left tied to trees, cars, fences, etc.

Dogs under 4 months of age are not allowed at this trial. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that the dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of 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. Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. No classes will be held up by a late exhibitor.

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

#### **BIS, AND INJURY REFUND INFORMATION**

**Bitches in season** will not be admitted to the trial. Any exhibitor with a bitch entered, which is 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 time on October 15, 2021.

**Injury/Illness** – Dogs that cannot compete prior to the set of trials due to an injury/illness will be given a partial refund minus processing fees of \$8.00 per run. A written vet letter (on office letterhead) must be given to the Trial Secretary no later than 30 minutes before the start time on October 15, 2021.. **Injuries/illness to handlers are excluded from this policy** 

# AKC RULES AND REGULATIONS

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/.

#### VENDOR INFORMATION

Contact Katey Smiley for reservation information: <u>KTsmiley.kat@gmail.com</u>

# VOLUNTEERING AT THE TRIAL

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Volunteers receive	We need your HELP for a Successful Trial!
vouchers good for	Once again, we are counting on the generosity of agility enthusiasts to pitch in and help keep the trial
• on-site	running smoothly and efficiently.
concessions	These of you who are superished on help up hy
<ul> <li>vendors</li> </ul>	Those of you who are experienced can help us by sharing your talents and helping to train the
<ul> <li>vouchers</li> </ul>	newcomers. For those of you who are new to agility,
towards entries	we will train you and offer support as you learn about
for future GKKC Trials!	what it takes to put on a trial.

# DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

From North or South, take Interstate 81 to Exit 8, bottom of exit ramp, turn left. Go about ½ miles right onto Agricultural Park Blvd and the Expo Center will be on your left. There will be signs for exhibitor parking and signs for RV parking.

From Knoxville, TN: Head East in I-40 to exit 421 to take I-81 N toward Bristol, TN. Next take exit 63 to TN-357 / Airport Pkwy and turn right. About 2 mile down take ramp to TN-75 to Air Cargo / NE State Tech. Turn left onto TN-75 N. About 2 miles down turn left on Spurgeon Ln. Site: Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center, 140 Spurgeon Ln., Blountville, TN 37617

From Bristol, TN: take I-81 S toward Kingsport, TN. Next take exit 63 to TN-357 / Airport Pkwy and turn left. About 2 mile down take ramp to TN-75 to Air Cargo / NE State Tech. Turn left onto TN-75 N. About 2 miles down turn left on Spurgeon Ln. Site: Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center, 140 Spurgeon Ln., Blountville, TN 37617

From Ashville, NC: I-26 W to exit 13 merging onto TN-75 N / Bobby Hicks Hwy / Suncrest Dr. About 9 miles take a left on to Spurgeon Ln. Site: Ron Ramsey Regional Agriculture Center, 140 Spurgeon Ln., Blountville, TN 37617

#### **DOG FRIENDLY HOTELS**

Please verify pet policies and rates when making reservations. All hotels are within easy driving distance of the trial site. Please keep the hotel rooms and grounds clean so we can use them again with ease. Prices below are NOT guaranteed. Also, check the internet for rates — you may do better there.

La Quinta Inn and Suites, 10150 Airport Pkwy., Kingsport, TN 37663 Phone: (423) 323-0500

**Sleep Inn and Suites** Kingsport Tricities, 200 Hospitality Pl. Kingsport, TN 37663, Phone: (423) 279-1811

# **RV CAMPGROUNDS**

There is no camping on site . There are 2 camping sites nearby with hook-up for RV and that allow tent camping.

Warriors Path State park in Kingsport, TN (about 13 min from the trial site.) Warriors' Path State Park — Tennessee State Parks (tnstateparks.com)

Kingsport/Bristol KOA Holiday, 425 Rocky Branch Rd., Blountville, TN Blountville, Tennessee Campground | Bristol / Kingsport KOA Holiday

# TRIAL SITE INFORMATION

- The Trial site is indoor on dirt floor.
- Metal building with exhaust fans.
- Indoor bathrooms.
- Concession Stand (or food truck)
- Crating along the walls inside the arena.
- Parking area is out front of the building.

https://ramseyagcenter.com/ The arena is in the second building directly behind the business/conference center.

# FEO (FOR EXHIBITION ONLY) AND FIX AND GO ON

As of January 1, 2021

For Exhibiton only (FEO) and Fix and Go On are permanent parts of the AKC Agility program.

# **Entering for Exhibition Only (FEO)**

FEO allows exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only offered 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). • Toys are allowed in the ring. Toys must be non-audible and may not leave the handlers hand. Toys that roll freely may not be used.

Food/treats are not allowed in the ring

• FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as a punitive correction. Harsh verbal and /or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.

• A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time

# Fix and Go On

Fix and Go On 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 Fix and Go On will result in a non-qualifying score. Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the run.

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#### IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! DO NOT STAPLE CHECK TO ENTRY FORM

#### Greater Kingsport Kennel Club, Oct 15-17, 2021

#### Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$24; 2nd run \$14, 3rd run \$12, 4th runs \$10 ea.

Op	pens: August 23 2021	@ 10:00am • Clos	es: September 29,	2021 @ 11:00pm
10/15/2021	□ STD	🗆 JWW	□ FAST	□ T2B
10/16/2021	🗆 STD	🗆 JWW	□ FAST	□ T2B
10/17/2021	🗆 STD	□ JWW	□ FAST	□ T2B
Fri. Fees: \$	Sat Fees: \$	Sun Fees	: \$ Total F include	

#### PER DAY FEES: 1 run \$24, 2 runs: \$38, 3 runs \$50, 4 runs \$60

Make checks payable to: GKKC

Mail to: Sunrise Agility, Tina Eastman-trial secretary, GKKC

PO Box 1022, York, SC 29745

#### Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class

	REGULAR Classes						PR	EFER	RED	Classes	3	
	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C"		4"	8"	12"	16"	20"
STD	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master	Pm Std	STD	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP F	Prm Std
JWW	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master	Prm JW	JWW	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	Prm JW
FAST	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master		FAST	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	
T2B	T2B						T2B	T2BP				
		NOVE	Open	LXC	Master				-		Masterr	

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.		PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)
FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY		
BREEDER		
SIRE		
DAM		
ACTUAL OWNERS		
OWNERS ADDRESS		I NEW
ADDRESS		
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4		
HANDLER		ENTER JR. HANDLER # if
applicable		

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

#### 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 appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person, I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us).

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) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION 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 <u>may not</u> compete in a jump height division <u>higher or lower</u> 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 Partners<sup>SM</sup>** 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?

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

SIGN HERE X

Phone:

Email:

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

Phone