

AKC Sanctioned B Agility Match

Western Mass Shetland Sheepdog Club

Saturday October 3, 2015

Westfield Fairgrounds
Russell Rd Westfield MA

Here is your chance to train in the ring without hearing the dreaded whistle! We provide the trial environment so you can work on contacts, distance, weavepoles, or simply introduce your inexperienced dog to the trial setting without the pressure of trying to qualify!

Rules to Enter:

- Dogs must be at least 12 months of age
- Dogs must compete in their regulation/preferred jump height
- Dogs eligible to be registered with the AKC or Canine Partners program are welcome!

Exhibitor Rules:

- Toys are allowed in the ring
- 70-second maximum course time will be adhered to
- Handler must attempt to run the course; practicing just one piece of equipment is not allowed
- No harsh verbal or physical training allowed
- Excusal for handler swearing in the ring
- Excusal for dog defecating or vomiting in the ring

General Information

- Classes offered: Standard
- Match judging will commence 30 minutes after conclusion of each day's trial.
- All pre-entries in each height division will run first, followed by day-of-trial entries
- There will be no scoring, ribbons or prizes.
- Entry fees will not be refunded if the dog is absent, disqualified, excused or barred from competition by action of the trial committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.

Entry Fees:

\$10 first entry each day per dog

\$7 for second entry and \$5 for third entry of same dog.

**Day-of-match entries accepted until
2pm.**

Do not mail your entry –please bring it to the trial.

Questions?

Contact Noreen Bennett Noreen@pawprinttrials.com

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Please bring your entry and cash to the trial and give to Noreen.

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BREED		VARIETY		SEX	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
CALL NAME				DATE OF BIRTH	
Standard		Number of Runs (circle one)			
		1	2	3	
JUMP HEIGHT (Circle One)		Fee Chart (Per dog)		Fee Enclosed	
4"	8"	12"	16"	1 - \$10 2 - \$17	\$ _____
20"	24"	26"		3 - \$22	
OWNER					
ADDRESS					
CITY, STATE & ZIP + 4					
HANDLER (If different than owner)					
TELEPHONE NUMBER			E-MAIL ADDRESS		
Thank you for printing clearly!!					
EXHIBITOR / OWNER MUST READ AND <u>SIGN</u> THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THIS FORM.					

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

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this 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 the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, 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, 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 **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 enrolled in the **AKC Canine Partners** SM program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option effective April 1, 2010. 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 above on 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 foregoing 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 HER AGENT DULY

AUTHORIZED TO MAKE THIS ENTRY _____

TELEPHONE: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

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You did WHAT?



Our agility community is a small group. We spend a lot of time together but unfortunately, most of us don't know much about each other. You may know what breed someone has, or where they have difficulty on a course –but do you know anything else about the person standing in front of you?

On October 3rd –Saturday we want you to learn something new about your fellow exhibitor! There will be labels available near the check in sheets.

Please write something about yourself that most likely, no one else knows.

No doggy details –we want to learn something about you beyond the dog world.

YOU DID WHAT?

I lived on a mountain with wolves

I have 10 siblings

I speak chinese

Once you have written something, stick the label on your back. Now all you have to do is stand there and learn something about the person in front of you! Who knows –you may have more in common with someone beyond agility!