## DEAR LEAP/SBGRC exhibitor:

Due to the exceptionally mild winter and no snow days, high schools are graduating unusually early, which has led to a scheduling conflict with our trial and two 'Safe Night Graduation' events happening at Star Hill Thursday and Friday nights. LEAP and SBGRC have worked with Star Hill to find workable solutions so that our agility trial and the high school events can both be accommodated.

(For those unfamiliar with "safe night graduation," it is an overnight event for high school seniors that is chaperoned and that begins in the evening and runs until roughly 4 AM. There are games and activities, no alcohol is allowed, and once inside, the students are not allowed to leave until the event is over.)

To ensure that agility exhibitors can set up once and not have to move their crates:

- Friday exhibitors will be allowed to set up Thursday evening on the jogging track near the ring locations.
- Saturday and Sunday exhibitors can set up on the turf field after 7:30 AM Saturday morning.
- There will be a delayed start on Saturday to accommodate Saturday/Sunday exhibitors
  who will set up Saturday and for course building. The first ring will start at 9 AM Saturday.
- There will also be a delayed start on Friday to allow for course building. The first ring will start at 9 AM.
- Friday exhibitors who are already set up on the track can remain there for the rest of the weekend, or they can move Saturday morning onto the turf field if they wish.

In addition, no helium balloons will be inflated inside the dome while the trial is in session.

Lastly, the safe night graduation events are chaperoned and Star Hill staff will be on the premises as well during the night.

To accommodate all events, LEAP, SBGRC and Star Hill have changed the site layout from that originally published on the PawPrint Trials website. Please see the attached PDF for an illustration.

Thank you for your patience and understanding. Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns:

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