

AKC Sanctioned B Agility Match
Friday, November 24, 2017
Eastern States Exposition, Mallary Building
1305 Memorial Avenue
West Springfield, MA 01089

Entries open Wednesday, November 8 at 10 a.m.

Here's your chance to train in the ring! You can work on contacts, distance, weavepoles or just introduce an inexperienced dog to the trial setting without the pressure of trying to qualify.

**We are supporting Take the Lead for
the 2017 Make a Difference Match!**
www.takethelead.org

Rules to Enter:

- Dogs must be at least 1 year of age
- Dogs must compete in regulation jump height (or preferred height)
- Dogs do not need to be entered in the LEAP trial
- A jump height card is not required nor are dogs required to be measured

Exhibitor Rules:

- Toys are allowed in the ring
- Food is NOT allowed in the ring
- Maximum course time of 75 seconds
- 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 Info:

- Classes offered: Novice, Open, and Excellent/Master Standard. Entries limited to 50 run for Novice, 50 for Open, and 100 for Excellent/Master.
- No scoring or ribbons/prizes offered.
- **Match judging to follow approximately 30 minutes after conclusion of the LEAP trial on Friday.**
- Pre-entered dogs will run first.
- 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:

Pre-entry: \$10 for first entry of each dog; \$7 for the second run of the same dog; \$5 for the third entry. Pre-entries must be received by Monday, November 20, 2017, 6 p.m..

Day-of-match entry: *If space permits, day-of-match entries will be accepted until 12 p.m. on Friday.* \$11 for first entry; \$7 for the second and third entries of same dog.

Match Chairman: Debbie Loomis
235 Ames Road
Hampden, MA 01036

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO LEAP AGILITY CLUB.

Mail to Match Secretary: Noreen Bennett, PawPrint Trials
1 West Street
Belchertown, MA 01007

Questions? Contact Debbie at windyhollow@charter.net or (413) 566-5733 before 8 p.m.

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2017 MAKE A DIFFERENCE MATCH
LEAP Agility Club of Central Mass.
Eastern States Exposition, Mallary Building
1305 Memorial Avenue
West Springfield, MA 01089
Friday, November 24, 2017

Entries open WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2017 at 10 a.m. Pre-Entry Fee: \$10 for first entry of each dog /\$7 for the second entry of the same dog/\$5 for the third entry. Day-of-match Entry Fees: \$11/\$7/\$7.

Pre-entries must be received by MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2017 at 6 p.m. Day-of-match entries accepted until 12 p.m. on Friday if limit has not been reached.

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Mail to Noreen Bennett, 1 West Street, Belchertown, MA 01007.

BREED	VARIETY	SEX	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
CALL NAME		DATE OF BIRTH	
STANDARD AGILITY CLASS (Circle One) <input type="checkbox"/> Novice <input type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent/Master		JUMP HEIGHT (Circle One) 4" 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"	
NUMBER OF RUNS (Maximum of 3 per dog) 1 2 3	Pre-Entry Fee Totals (same dog): (1) Run = \$10 (2) Runs = \$17 (3) Runs = \$22	Day of Match Entry Totals (same dog): (1) Run = \$11 (2) Runs = \$18 (3) Runs = \$25	Fee Enclosed \$ _____
OWNER			
ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE & ZIP + 4			
HANDLER			
Entry must include the "Agreement".			
Thank you for supporting Take the Lead.			

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

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 **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? _____

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 #: _____



Join us for the Nutmeg
Border Collie Club AKC
Sanctioned OB Match

To be held following the Holyoke
Kennel Club Obedience Trial
November 24, 2017.

Located at:

**Mallory Building
Eastern States Exposition Center, West Springfield, MA**

Judging begins 30 minutes after obedience trial.
**Obedience Classes open to ALL BREEDS: Beg Novice, Novice, Open and
Utility.**

*Approximate time will be announced once judging program is out by 11/17/14.
Obedience classes limited to 20 per class

Day of show entries accepted if limits have not been reached. Pre-entry is strongly encouraged.
Toys will be allowed. No food.

PLEASE PRINT:

Owner/Handler: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Dog's Call Name _____ Jump Height _____

Breed: _____ Sex (M/F): _____

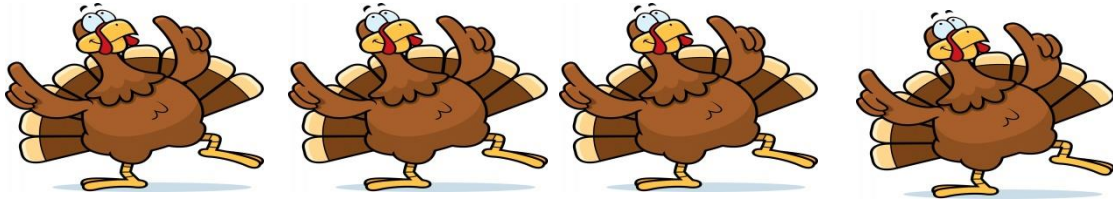
Class _____ # Runs _____

Class _____ #Runs _____

Please send pre-entries to: Noreen Bennett
1 West St
Belchertown MA 01007

Closing date for pre-entries November 17, 2017
Entry fees are \$10 per class. Please make check payable to Nutmeg Border Collie Club.

Thanksgiving Cluster Team Competition



4 Turkeys to a team

Scores will be used from

Saturday Standard + Saturday JWW

Scores will be determined as such:

Standard runs start with 150 points

Jumpers runs start with 100 points

- Each fault (R,W,T,F) subtract 5 points
- Subtract your course time (rounded up)
- E equals zero. No points for that run

Sample

Saturday Standard 150 points

Ran clean –no faults

Time: 44.35 (round to 45)

$150 - 45 = \mathbf{105 \text{ points}}$

Saturday JWW 100 points

1 refusal minus 5 points

Time: 22.89 (round to 23)

$100 - 5 - 23 = \mathbf{72 \text{ points}}$

Total for this

team member = 177points

The team with the highest score after Saturdays JWW run will win!

Your team member is responsible for filling in scores on your individual score sheet. All teams must be registered before the first run. Entry forms will be collected at the Trophy table.

Each team must be made up of 4 INDIVIDUAL handlers. An individual may be in more than one team with a different dog. All class levels accepted.

Don't forget to come up with a creative team name!!

Turkey Trifecta

In celebration of our 20th year of the Thanksgiving Cluster, we are introducing a perpetual trophy
The Turkey Trifecta!



Here's how it works:

Scores from any qualifying run from Fri/Sat/Sun will be added together and the dog with the highest total will win the Turkey Trifecta!!

Friday & Saturday -ALL classes will count.

Sunday -FAST, Standard, Premier Std & JWW only will count

How many points will I get??

Standard runs start with 150 points minus your course time, rounded up

Jumpers runs start with 100 points minus your course time, rounded up

FAST total score (55 to 80 points)

Time2Beat score x 10 (10 pts=100 pts, 9=90 etc)

Premier JWW 25 points

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No need to sign up-everyone is automatically in the running!!

The winner will receive a director's chair with 2017 Turkey Trifecta embroidered on the back. An engraved plate with the name of the owner and dog will be attached to the base of the Turkey Trifecta trophy.

We have been the largest AKC Agility Trial for 20 years. Play to win the Trifecta!!

2017 Thanksgiving Cluster Vendors Mallary Building

Max200 - Performance Dog Equipment and supplier of agility equipment for the Thanksgiving Cluster! We sell Agility, Obedience, Flyball and general dog training equipment. <http://www.max200.com/>

Back To Essentials - Wellness advocate - doTERRA Essential oils
<https://www.facebook.com/backtotheessentials/>

Beanie Braided Leashes & Tugs - Tightly braided Fleece for durability & strength - soft on your hands & your dog's mouth!
<https://www.etsy.com/shop/BeanieBraidedLeashes/items>

Beauty of the Beasts - Clothing - Magnets - Italian charms with performance and breed themes.
<http://www.beautyofthebeasts.com/>

Blue-9 Pet Products - KLimb platforms & accessories & Balance Harnesses <https://www.blue-9.com/>

All volunteer tickets may be used towards any purchase
at any vendor in the Mallary Building.
It pays to volunteer!!

BRAVO Pet Foods – Great deals on a wide variety of all natural treats & chews!!

<http://www.bravopetfoods.com/index.html>

Clean Run Productions – Dog toys – Dog Treats – Dog Agility Supplies & Dog Training Supplies

<https://www.cleanrun.com/>

Comfy Critters of Cape Cod – Handmade pet mats.

<https://www.facebook.com/comfycritterscapecod/>

Elite Science – 1TDC Providing proven-effective, natural health technologies that provide your pet Total Wellness. Oral Health and Joint/Muscle Health.

<https://elitescience.net/products/animal/>

EMB Monogramming – Monogramming & embroidery with a clothing line for the Agility Minded

<https://www.embmonogramming.com/>

Fluggles Plus – Interactive hand-made fleece training toys & leads in a variety of colors, shapes & textures! Soft on your hands – easy to wash – dogs love ‘em! Special – unique hand stenciled clothing sale & clearance bin!

http://www.fluggles.com/New_fluggles.htm

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Frank Allen's Farm Market – All natural dog chews!
faallen2@myfairpoint.net

Heaven and Earth – Offering Chinese Energy Work for both people & dogs – Acupressure and Tui Na Massage – plus a wide selection of handcrafted martingale slip leads for dogs of all sizes!

<http://www.heavenandearthenergy.com/default.html>

Indek Chiropractic – Dr. Bruce will be offering Canine & People chiropractic adjustments as well as cold laser. No appointment needed just stop by our booth!

<https://www.indekchiropractic.com/>

Kool Kids Agility – Training facility offering Classes, Practice Run-thrus, Workshops, Private Lessons, Online Training <http://koolkidsagility.com/wordpress/>

MAD Agility – We manufacture quality agility equipment at a reasonable price! <http://www.madagility.com/>

David Louis – Animal Communicator – Once you begin to communicate with your animal friends, your life will never be the same. And neither will theirs.

<http://www.talktoyouranimals.co/>

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Northborough Canine Rehabilitation & Fitness Center – We have the ability to improve your dog's conformation, stamina, soundness and attitude in any sport! Come by and learn how we can help! You will not be disappointed!

<https://www.northborocaninerehab.com/>

Oma's Pride –Our philosophy that an animal's diet should be "*as nature intended.*" We are dedicated to providing dogs and cats with the truly all-natural, raw diet they were meant to enjoy. <http://omaspride.com/>

Rebecca Therian -The Animal Touch & Coby Nassar, DVM – Offering canine massage & chiropractic therapy.

Sue Usher – Homemade dog treats perfect size for training! Don't throw that crate away –we do soft crate repair. We also have custom made Title Holders

<https://www.facebook.com/fixmycrate/>

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our vendors.*

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Beginner Novice

handler	dog
Charlene	Denali
Jo Ann	Aoife
Jeanne	Seraphina

Novice

handler	dog
Noreen	Sequel
Merry	Heaven
Claudette	Keeper
Noreen	Sequel
Charlene	Denali
Allison	Karma
Jeanne	Seraphina
Joe	Granite

Merry	Heaven
Claudette	Keeper

Open

handler	dog	jump ht.
Allison	Karma	16
Wendy	Aggie	16
Allison	Bodee	18
Mary H.	Dakota	20
Karen	Caddy	20
Bonnie	Nick	20
Pat	Johnny	22
Nancy D.	Gimme	22
Carolyn	Jib	22
Mary V.	Zorro	24
Jennifer	Rome	24
Sue Ann	Flint	24

Allison	Bodee	18
Pat	Johnny	22
Nancy D.	Gimme	22
Carolyn	Jib	22
Jennifer	Rome	24
Mary V.	Zorro	24

Utility

handler	dog	jump ht.
Sally	Reese	8
Allana	Slick	16
Jean	Fuse	20
Mary H.	Dakota	20
Karen	Caddy	20
Bonnie	Nick	20
Sue Ann	Flint	24

Sally	Reese	8
Jean	Fuse	20
