

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES FOR ALL DOGS OPEN ON: January 11, 2012 at 8am at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. From January 11 through January 13 entries for Border Collies will be accepted first. After January 13, all other entries will be accepted & processed in the order received on opening day. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON: February 13, 2012 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. Withdrawn entries are subject to a refund as allowed in Chapter 1, Section 9 and/or Chapter 1, Section 14 of the Regulations for Agility Trials. 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 Dogs
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program SM

Nutmeg Border Collie Club

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



Friday, March 2, 2012 Event #2012673801
Saturday, March 3, 2012 Event #2011673802
Sunday, March 4, 2012 Event #2011673803

Paws 'N Effect, LLC

36 Corporate Ridge Road, Hamden, CT 06514

ENTRY LIMITS

Friday, Saturday & Sunday – 430 runs per day
Ring Size: 90' x 90' - Indoors, agility mats over concrete
Trial Hours: Friday, Saturday & Sunday – 6:30am to 7:00pm
Judging will begin at 7:30am. Electronic timing will be used.

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Judges:

Keith S. VanHousen, 1110 Sacandaga Rd., Scotia, NY 12302-6045
Denise VanHousen, 1110 Sacandaga Rd., Scotia, NY 12302-6045

CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary



OFFICERS OF Nutmeg Border Collie Club

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EVENT COMMITTEE

Carolyn Biondi, Jessica Scavetta, Arlene Collins, Lara Avery, Claudette Beaulieu, Jean Freeman and all of the members of NBCC

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Denise VanHousen(#6738)
1110 Sacandaga Road
Scotia, NY 12302-6045

Friday:

Novice A, B, P Standard & JWW
Open & Open Pref Stand & JWW
Time 2 Beat & Time 2 Beat Pref

Saturday:

EX A, B, P Standard
EX A, B, P JWW

Sunday:

Novice A, B, P Standard & JWW
Open & Open Pref Stand & JWW
Time 2 Beat & Time 2 Beat Pref

Keith S. VanHousen (#7390)
1110 Sacandaga Road
Scotia, NY 12302-6045

Friday:

EX A, B, P Standard
EX A, B, P JWW

Saturday:

Novice A, B, P Standard & JWW
Open & Open Pref Stand & JWW
Time 2 Beat & Time 2 Beat Pref

Sunday:

EX A, B, P Standard
EX A, B, P JWW

Both Denise & Keith VanHousen are VMO's (Volunteer Measuring Officials)

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Cheshire Veterinary Hospital
1572 South Main Street, Cheshire, CT 06410
203-272-3266 • 24 hours a day, Monday to Sunday

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

EMERGENCY SERVICES: Fire/Ambulance/Police 911



AMERICAN
KENNEL CLUB SM

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY Judging starts at 7:30am		
Standard	Jumpers with Weaves	T2B
Excellent A,B,AP,BP	Excellent A,B,AP,BP	T2B Perf
Open & Open P	Open & Open P	
Novice A,B,P	Novice A,B,P	

CLASS ORDER ALL 3 DAYS:

EXC. JWW, EXC. STD, T2B, OPEN STD, NOVICE STD, OPEN JWW, NOVICE JWW
 Friday & Sunday: Small to Tall
 Saturday: Tall to Small

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 or higher 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
26"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion

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 26" 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.

Simplified Jump Height Card Process

When filling out the entry form, there is a section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether the dog has a valid jump height card or if the dog needs to be measured. Please check the appropriate box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include the dog entered on the Dogs To Be Measured List. It is no longer required that a copy of a dog's jump height card be submitted with an entry form or show it at check-in; although exhibitors are required to have the official form/card with them at the trial to present upon request.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place **indoors on rubber matting over concrete**. Ring size will be 90' x 90'

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 Priviledges (PAL/ILP), or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

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

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf 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 six months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... \$19
 Second entry of same dog, same day (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)..... \$19
 Third entry of same dog, same day (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)..... \$15

If you 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. E-mail confirmations will be sent to exhibitors with legible e-mail addresses on entry form.

Mail entry forms and fees to: Robin Ohrt, Trial Secretary, 159 Maple Street, Ellington, CT 06029. Please make checks payable to 4Pawrule. 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. All questions and inquiries may be directed to, Robin Ohrt at 4pawrule@comcast.net. (phone 860-871-2542 cell 860-930-3994. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

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 \$25 collection fee to the amount of each check.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

NBCC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 25 entries will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to **February 13, 2012 at 6PM**. Any entries withdrawn that are received by **February 27, 2012, 6PM** will be replaced by a wait list 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 **February 27, 2012** will receive a full refund. (Trial Secretary will destroy entry and check)

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 multiply 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.

A warm-up area, consisting of one regulation agility jump for each ring, may 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, AWARDS AND PRIZES

Rosettes will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

First Place..... Blue
Second Place Red
Third Place Yellow
Fourth Place White
Qualifying Score Dark Green

A MACH rosette & MACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain the MACH.

A PAX rosettes & PAX bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain the PAX.

A PACH rosettes & PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain the PACH.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the *Regulations for Agility Trials* by contacting the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Dr., Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390, by phone (919) 233-9767, by email at info@akc.org, or on their website at www.akc.org.

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 event committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The NBCC, 4Pawrule Trial Secretary Services 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. The NBCC 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 NBCC 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

After the closing date but prior to start of trial:

Injured or sick dogs, or injured or sick handlers will get a full refund of entry fees, minus a \$7.00 administration charge per run. A veterinarian's note or doctor's note AND a copy of the Final Confirmation is required and be received by the trial chair or the trial secretary in writing or e-mail arriving before the start of the trial.

Bitches in season are not permitted to compete in agility trials . Bitches in season will get a

full refund, minus \$7.00 administrative charge per run. A veterinarian's note or doctor's note AND a copy of the Final Confirmation is required and be received by the trial chair or the trial secretary in writing or e-mail arriving before the start of the trial.

Requests for refunds received after the start of the trial will not be given for any reason. There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date (except for the reasons and conditions listed above) or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for such dismissal.

No entry fees 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.

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/handler 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.

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

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

- Crating space available at Little Paws, will be available on a limited basis. The trial site requires a tarp to be placed on the floor underneath your crates. The NBCC and the Paws 'N Effect will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

- Food will be provided by **The Bistro Box**.

- No overnight parking will be allowed at the trial site. No electrical hook-ups for motor homes or campers are available. No RV's are allowed at this site.

- 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 site.

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.

Clarion Hotel & Suites, 2260 Whitney Ave., Hamden, CT 06518(203) 288-3831
(\$99 per night pet fee, \$25 per night REFUNDABLE, if room is not damage/clean)

Holiday Inn Express, 30 Frontage Road, East Haven, CT 06512(203) 469-5321

Holiday Inn-North Haven, 201 Washington Ave., North Haven, CT 06473(203) 239-6700
(pet fee, \$25 per night REFUNDABLE, Security deposit, hold for 24 hours to verify no damage to the room)

Group rate \$89 per night/mention Paws N Effect

Motel 6, 320 E Main Street, Branford, CT 06405(203) 483-5828

Days Inn, 2387 Berlin Tpke, Berlin, CT 06037.....(860) 828-4181

Baymont Inn & Suites, 3 Business Park Dr., Branford, CT 06405.....(203) 488-4991
(pet fee \$20 per night, no limit, cost \$79 per night, code L13, please call to book in advance)

Hawthorn Suites by Wyndham Meridan, 390 Bee St., Meridan, CT 06450 (mention 4pawrule).....(203) 634-7770

Candlewood Suites, 1151 East Main St, Meridan, CT 06450 (mention Paws N Effect)(203) 379-5048

AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM

(Do not send this form to AKC. Send/Email to the Trial Secretary)

USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for a day-to-day move-up must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than 30 minutes past the last run the day preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. It is the option of the club to allow move-ups. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

**Move ups prior to the trial date, must be received in writing (email is fine) by
Monday, February 27, 2012 at 6pm.**

I answer all correspondence and acknowledge receipt of all move-ups and corrections to entries.

Nutmeg Border Collie Club

Date _____

Breed: _____ Sex: _____

Dog's AKC Registration Name# _____ Dog's AKC # _____

Dog's Call Name _____

Move Entry to
Agility Class: (Circle One)

Jump Height Division: (Circle One)

Regular Standard	Open	Excellent A	Excellent B	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	26"
Regular JWW	Open	Excellent A	Excellent B	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	26"
Regular FAST	Open	Excellent A	Excellent B	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	26"
Preferred Standard	Open	Excellent A	Excellent B	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Preferred JWWrd	Open	Excellent A	Excellent B	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Preferred FAST	Open	Excellent A	Excellent B	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	

Owners Name: _____

Handlers Name: _____

Signature of owner or agent
duly authorized to make this entry: _____

Signature of trial secretary
If Approved: _____

Time Received: _____ Date _____

DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

PAWS N EFFECT

36 Corporate Ridge Road, Hamden, CT 06514

I-91: Take Exit 10 (Rt. 40) to end, Right on Rt. 10 (Whitney Avenue), go approx. 1.5 miles, turn left on Sherman Avenue (Dunkin' Donuts), 1.1 miles, turn right on Corporate Ridge. Continue up Corporate Ridge to #36. Building is on the left.

Rt. 15 S: Take Exit 62 (Whitney Avenue North). Follow directions as above.

Rt. I-84: Exit onto I-691, first exit (Cheshire, Rt. 10, South), follow Rt. 10 through Cheshire into Hamden (Rt. 10, Whitney Avenue), take right onto Sherman Avenue (Dunkin' Donuts), follow as above.

Rt. 15 N: Take Exit 60 (Dixwell Avenue), left at end of exit, 0.8 miles, bear left at Duchess Diner, go through light onto Shepard Avenue, four lights, right onto Sherman Lane, 1st left onto Sherman Avenue, go 1.5 miles. Take a left onto Corporate Ridge Road. Continue up Corporate Ridge to #36. The building is on the left.

VOLUNTEERS

**The Nutmeg Border Collie Club appreciates all volunteers,
an email with a link to the google document worker schedule
will be emailed prior to closing.**

CASH RAFFLE ALL 3 DAYS

VENDORS

**If you would like vendor space, please contact
Guylaine Doyon at bebedoyon@yahoo.com**



OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM FOR AGILITY TRIALS
NUTMEG BORDER COLLIE CLUB
 HAMDEN, CT

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2012
SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 2012
SUNDAY, MARCH 4, 2012

Standard JWW T2B
 Standard JWW T2B
 Standard JWW T2B

Make Checks Payable to: **4Pawrule**
 Mail to: **Robin Ohrt, 159 Maple St., Ellington, CT 06029**

Entries Open: Wednesday, January 11, 2012 at 8am. From Jan 11 to Jan 13 entries for Border Collies will be accepted first. After Jan 13 all other entries, beginning with those received on opening day, will be accepted and processed in the order received until trial is full. **Entries Close:** Monday, February 13, 2012 at 6pm

Entry Fee: \$19 for each dog entered in first run/\$19 for same dog entered in 2nd run/\$15 for same dog entered in 3rd run (Inc. \$3.50 AKC recording fee for 1st run and \$3 fee per additional run for same dog/same day.) ENTRY MUST INCLUDE AGREEMENT.

(IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE FILLING OUT)
 BREED _____ VARIETY _____

SEX _____ MY DOG NEEDS TO BE MEASURED _____ HEIGHT AT WITHERS _____

CHOOSE EITHER REGULAR OR PREFERRED AND CHECK THE JUMP HEIGHT

REGULAR CLASSES 8 12 16 20 24 26 **PREFERRED CLASSES** 4 8 12 16 20

CHECK CLASS SELECTIONS - ONE PER TYPE (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)

STANDARD AGILITY				JUMPERS WITH WEAVES				FAST						
<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-A	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-B	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-A	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-B	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-A	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-B	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-A	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-B	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-A	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-B	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-A	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-B
<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-P	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN-P	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-AP	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-BP		<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-P	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN-P	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-AP	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-BP		<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-P	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN-P	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-AP	<input type="checkbox"/> EXC-BP	

TIME 2 BEAT (CHECK ONE)	NON-REGULAR AGILITY CLASSES: (if offered)	JUMP HEIGHT (CHECK ONE)
<input type="checkbox"/> T2B <input type="checkbox"/> T2B-P	<input type="checkbox"/> INTERNATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES CLASS <input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> JWW	<input type="checkbox"/> 14 <input type="checkbox"/> 18 <input type="checkbox"/> 26

AKC® NAME (include AKC titles only) _____ CALL NAME OF DOG _____

AKC NO. _____ (Enter number below) DATE OF BIRTH _____
 PAL/ILP NO. _____ PLACE OF BIRTH (List Country) _____
 FOREIGN REG. NO. _____

BREEDER _____

SIRE _____

DAM _____

ACTUAL OWNERS _____

OWNERS ADDRESS _____ NEW ADDRESS

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP + 4 _____

HANDLER (Junior Handler see back) _____ If Junior Handler, Please enter # Below _____ FEE ENCLOSED _____

EXHIBITOR / OWNER MUST READ AND SIGN THE REVERSE 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 lesser 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 there from, 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 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 listed in the **AKC Canine Partners ProgramSM** 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 above on this 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 his agent duly authorized to make this entry _____

TELEPHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____