# Premium List PRE-REGIONALS WARM-UP AAC TRIAL Friday June 14 - Saturday June 15, 2024 Hosted by

# BACKYARD AGILITY DOGS

Limited Entry

SHOW SITE:

#### BACKYARD AGILITY DOGS field 1865 Janisch Road, Petersfield MB

map available at www.backyardagilitydogs.ca outdoor, fully fenced, grass ring, rain or shine European tire, rubberized contacts and electronic timing will be used

## Our Distinguished Judges

Pierre Lalonde & Laurie Keith, Petersfield, MB

Tentative Order of Classes

FRIDAY JUNE 14, 2024		SATURDAY JUNE 15, 2024			
1	STEEPLECHASE 1 pl	GAMBLERS	MASTERS pl	ADVANCED Ik	STARTERS pl
2	STEEPLECHASE 2 lk	STANDARD 1	STARTERS pl	ADVANCED Ik	MASTERS pl
		JUMPERS	MASTERS pl	ADVANCED pl	STARTERS Ik
		SNOOKER	STARTERS Ik	ADVANCED pl	MASTERS pl

**Event Pricing** 

Volunteer per class fee: \$15.00 per run Non-Volunteer per class fee: \$25.00 per run

**OPENING DATE:** Monday May 10, 2024. Electronic entries and e-transfers will be accepted; entries will be dated when both have been received. Mailed entries will use postmark date as the date received. Entries postmarked/received prior to the opening date will not be accepted. Dropped off entries accepted.

CLOSING DATE: Received/postmarked by Friday May 31, 2024 @ 6pm, or when limit is reached

Trial Secretary: Laurie Keith

laurie@backyardagilitydogs.ca

Trial Co-Chairs: Laurie Keith & Pierre Lalonde

This premium list is available online at BADogs website: www.backyardagilitydogs.ca





#### Check-in: Friday 4:30-4:45pm. Saturday 7:00-7:30am (subject to change) is only required if:

- your dog requires measuring (you do not have a completed ID card);
- this is the dog's first time competing at a trial hosted by Backyard Agility Dogs;
- you do not have your dog's AAC ID card in your possession at the trial.

Senior handlers (65 years and over) and handlers with a disability may request a modified course time and a modified points requirement. Proof of disability or age is not required. Please indicate on the entry form if entering as a senior/disabled handler to receive modified times/reduced number of points.

#### **AAC ID Cards:**

All dogs *must* have an AAC ID card to enter this trial. If your dog doesn't have an AAC ID card, the registration form is available at <a href="http://aac.ca/en/Dog-ID-Registration">http://aac.ca/en/Dog-ID-Registration</a>

**Measuring:** Friday: 4:30-4:45pm (subject to change). Saturday 7:00-7:30am. The ONLY dogs that will receive and can compete with a temporary card are dogs that are under 2 years old. Once they are 2, they will require an official measurement. Dogs over 2 years must be measured until they have their final height circled on their ID card.

Jump Height Table: Handlers choice where two heights are indicated

Table 2.7.2- Allowed Jump Heights, by Category

Dog's Measured	Allowed Jump Heights, by Category (divisions in brackets)			
Height	Regular Special		Veteran/Junior Handler*	
12" or less	8" (mini) or 12" (medium)	4" (mini)	4" (mini)	
>12" to 15"	12" or 16" (medium)	8" (medium)	8" or 4" (medium)	
>15" to 18"	16" (medium) or 20" (open)	12" (medium)	12" or 8" (medium)	
>18 to 22"	20" or 24" (open)	16" (open)	16" or 12" (open)	
>22"	24" (open)	20" or 16"* (open)	20" or 16" (open)	

<sup>\*</sup>Giant breed dogs measuring over 22" at the shoulder may choose to compete 1 or 2 heights lower in Specials

**General Briefing:** Friday: 4:55pm. Saturday: 7:50am. Judge's briefing & first dog on line immediately following. (subject to change)

**Food:** No canteen on site. Bring your own food & water for you & your dogs.

**Prizes and Awards:** Ribbons will be self serve. Titling Rosettes will be awarded directly to the handler.

**Veterinarian:** Winnipeg Animal Emergency Hospital, 400 Pembina Hwy, Winnipeg

Bridgewater Veterinary Hospital, 100-350 North Town Road, Winnipeg

**Accommodations:** The following establishments may accept guests with dogs. Please ensure continued acceptance by keeping your dogs under control & cleaning up after them. Dogs should not be left unattended. Please contact hotels/campsites for terms and conditions, as many may charge a pet fee.

#### **Hotels:**

Canalta Hotel 1061 Manitoba Avenue, Selkirk, MB 1-844-484-7474 or 204-482-7474

Selkirk Inn 162 Main Street, Selkirk, MB 1-204-482-7722

Camping:

Birds Hill Park Hwy 206, Oakbank 1-888-482-2267
Winnipeg Beach Winnipeg Beach 1-888-482-2267
Netley Creek RV Park Petersfield 1-204-738-4653
Selkirk Park Campground 490 Eveline Street, Selkirk 1-204-485-6197

#### **Notice to Competitors**

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgable of current AAC Rules and Regulations including, but not limited to, the following:

- This event will be held in accordance with the current rules and regulations of the Agility Association of Canada (AAC). The obstacles shall be chosen from those described in the current edition of the rules and regulations of the AAC and shall conform to AAC specifications
- This event is open to all dogs being at least 18 months of age, purebred or mixed breed, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may effect the dog's physical or mental performance (Judge's discretion)
- Dogs must have an AAC number before their entries will be accepted in an AAC sanctioned trial, even if only to compete FEO. Dogs with pending numbers are not eligible to compete. Competitors must have their Dog ID Cards with them.
- Backyard Agility Dogs (BADogs) reserves the right to refuse any entry.
- Entries will be accepted after the closing date only if the limit has not been reached.
- After the closing date, refunds will only be given to competitors if a bitch comes into season or the dog or handler is injured sufficiently to prevent them from competing. The Trial Secretary must be informed prior to the trial date and a certificate from the veterinarian or doctor must be provided. All refunds made will be less any AAC or other administrative fees owing on the entry.
- All entries will be confirmed via email only where a valid address is supplied. If supplying an email address please ensure that it is valid and legible.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, Acts of God, public emergency, an act of public enemy or any other cause beyond the control of the Trial Organizers.
- No leashes, toys, food or other training devices are allowed during a qualifying run. Close-fitting collars with no attachments are permitted. Toys of any general configuration will be allowed during FEO runs but must be in a good state (no fur or stuffing coming loose). Handlers are permitted to interact with their dog by tugging the toy. Food, toys containing food, audible toys & audible training aids are not permitted in the ring. Be considerate of the dogs before & after you, as a toy may distract the dog on course and/or may over excite the dog following you.
- We will accommodate handlers running more than one dog to the extent possible. Running order will be determined at the Trial Organizer's discretion. Any dog and handler not present for their run when their name is called will be ineligible to run, unless prior arrangements are made with the gate steward.
- All dogs must be penned, crated, or leashed when not in the ring and may not be tied to any obstacle, permanent or temporary anywhere on the grounds of the trial site. Dogs are not to be left unattended unless appropriately crated. Please take responsibility for your dogs and children. Any exhibitor whose dogs or children create unnecessary disturbances or engage in unsafe or disruptive behaviour may be asked by the Trial Committee to bench in your vehicle or leave the trial site. There will be no refunds for entries if the dog or handler is dismissed from the competition for any reason.
- Competitors must keep the crate and exercise areas clean. Please pick up after yourself and your dog.
- Backyard Agility Dogs is a non-smoking environment. There is no smoking permitted anywhere on the Backyard Agility Dogs' premises. Please smoke in your car. Thank you.
- \* PLEASE NOTE: Abuse in any form, of judges, competitors or volunteers will NOT BE TOLERATED! Anyone disrupting the trial due to poor sportsmanship or abusive behaviour will be DISMISSED from the trial. No fees will be refunded and any legs earned to that point will be null. REMEMBER: this sport is FUN for dog, handler, judges and volunteers.

#### **DIVISION DESCRIPTIONS:**

FEO (For Exhibition – or Experience or Entertainment – Only)

Open to all dogs, 18 months of age or older with an AAC ID #, as described within the current AAC rules. The handler can choose to enter a dog FEO in any division, any class and/or any height but they will not be competing for placements, titles or prizes and the results will not be reflected on the dog's permanent record. See Rule 2.5.1.

Regular Open to all dogs, 18 months of age or older, as described within the current AAC rules.

Specials Open to all dogs at the handlers discretion; Special dogs will jump one height lower than

regular. A dog may no longer compete in Regular classes after being entered at an official trial in

any Special class. However, they are eligible for the Veteran class level.

Veterans For dogs seven years of age or older that are currently competing in the Regular division

and for dogs five years of age or older which have competed in the Specials division for

a minimum of 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the move to Veterans.

Single & Double Drop Veterans All Vet dogs MUST jump at least one jump height lower (single drop vet) and may jump two jump heights lower, at the handler's discretion

Jr. Handler Open to youths registered with the Jr. Handler program with a valid JH ID number. If running

under JH rules, titles are awarded to the Junior Handler, not the dog and the dog MUST jump

one height lower than their Regular height with the option of one further jump height drop.

Sr. Handler & handlers with disability

Senior handler (65 years and over) and handlers with disability may request a modified course time and points. Proof of age or disability is not required.

#### **CLASS DESCRIPTIONS:**

Standard demonstrates proficiency on all agility obstacles in a numbered course.

Challenge tests the speed and handling skills of the agility team through a standard course designed

more to world and international levels. This class is open to Masters Level dogs only.

Gamblers demonstrates the handler's strategy and the dog's ability to work at a distance from the

handler. The object of this game is to accumulate as many points as possible during the

opening sequence and successfully complete the gamble.

Snooker demonstrates the handler & dog's versatility as they work together against the clock. The

object of the game is to accumulate as many points as possible in the opening and closing

sequences within the allotted time.

Jumpers demonstrates a dog's natural jumping ability. The dog is required to complete a course

comprised of jumps and tunnels as prescribed by the judge.

Steeplechase demonstrates the dog's ability to run and jump at high speeds while maintaining control on the

A-frame and weave poles. This class is open to all dogs eligible to compete in other AAC

qualifying events at the Starters, Advanced or Masters Levels.

Team Relay consists of 2 dogs, each with a different handler. The game demonstrates team spirit, strategy

and sportsmanship. This class is open to all dogs eligible to compete in other AAC qualifying events at the Starters, Advanced and Masters Levels. This class is run in accordance with

Masters Standard rules, regulations and course design guidelines.

# BACKYARD AGILITY DOGS

#### June 14 - 15, 2024 Pre-Regionals Warm-up Trial AAC OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM - LIMITED ENTRY



Please make cheques payable to: Backyard Agility Dogs

Mail entry: Laurie Keith, 225-1865 Janisch Rd, Petersfield, MB R0C 2L0

Opening Date: Friday May 10, 2024 Closing Date: Friday May 31, 2024 at 6pm

Owner's Name  Address  City  Province  Postal Code  Phone  Email (please ensure it's legible)  CONFIRMATIONS WILL BE SENT OUT VIA EMAIL AFTER THE CLOSING DATE	n owner)			
Address  City Province Postal Code Phone  Email (please ensure it's legible)  Junior Handler's (JH) Name & Number	n owner)			
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DOG INFORMATION         Dog 1         Dog 2         Dog 3				
Dog's Name				
AAC#				
Breed Breed				
Birth Date (dd/mm/yy)				
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- \* Electronic entries and e-transfers will be accepted. Please send payment to <a href="mailto:laurie@backyardagilitydogs.ca">laurie@backyardagilitydogs.ca</a> (use password: Backyard. Note: Changes, cancellations or refunds may result in a service fee.
- \* Entry is not valid until payment is received.



# AGILITY ASSOCIATION OF CANADA ("AAC")

### PARTICIPATION WAIVER AND RELEASE

Handler Name:		
Dog 1 Name:	_(the " <b>Dog</b> ")	AAC Dog ID#:
Dog 2 Name:	_(the " <b>Dog</b> ")	AAC Dog ID#:
Dog 3 Name:	_(the " <b>Dog</b> ")	AAC Dog ID#:
In consideration of the acceptance of this entry by AAC and ▼ [insert year] have the Dog participate, compete in and/or be judged at this event or trial (the 1. I certify that I am the actual owner of the Dog, or that I am the duly a a hazard to persons, property or other dogs. 2. I agree that AAC or the Organizing Club for the Event may refuse my 3. I understand and acknowledge that participation in the Event carrie injuries and death) to myself, the Dog, another dog under my control or person and other losses. I waive any and all claims that I have or may have in the futu Organizing Club or any of the directors, executives, committees, representativ Club (the "Personnel") for any injury, death, property damage or other loss including negligence, breach of contract, breach of duty, statutory or otherwise, 4. I assume full responsibility for the conduct of myself and my Related harmless AAC, the Organizing Club and the Personnel from and against any a or liability (including, without limitation, lawyers' fees on a solicitor and own clie	"Event"), I, the unuthorized agent of the entry for any reasons certain risks, included a stending as my greagainst, and relevances, employees, volumental or my Relation or mistakes or error parties during the end all claims that my the end all claims the end all claims that my the end all claims the end all claims that my the end all claims that my the end all claims that my the end all claims t	dersigned, agree as follows: the actual owner of the Dog and that the Dog is not that it deems to be sufficient. Induding, but not limited to injuries (including serous guests (my "Related Parties"), damage to property the asse from all liability and agree not to sue AAC, the tunteers or agents of either AAC or the Organizing the Parties sustain due to any cause whatsoever, tors of judgment of any kind. The interest of the Event. I agree to indemnify and save that any be made against them or costs, fees, expenses
may arise due to:  (a) any act or omission of myself, my Related Parties or any particles (b) aggressive behaviour by the Dog or any other dog under myself and the rules of competition and the adwell as the policies of AAC pertaining to discipline (collectively, the "Rules"). accordance with the Rules. I understand that myself and/or the Dog may be and agree to respect and be bound by any disciplinary decision made by AAC.  6. I understand that AAC and/or the Organizing Club may, in the coulcollect, use or disclose my personal information and that any personal information will be treated in accordance with AAC policy and applicable privacy and perdisclosure by AAC and/or the Organizing Club of my personal information.	y control.  ditional rules (if any large to abide by subject to disciplinal arse of administerination collected, use	y) appearing in the trial schedule for the Event, as y the Rules and to conduct myself and the Dog in ry procedures or sanctions for breach of the Rules of the Event or conducting its activities generally, d or disclosed by AAC and/or the Organizing Club
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I Hereby Grant to AAC and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents are their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persentransmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.  Waiver of Rights to Privacy, P	ona, or other indic	cia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast,
Further, I hereby release Agility Association of Canada Inc, and its affiliates, refor invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any	epresentatives, age	•
<ol> <li>I have been given the opportunity to read and understand the terr understand that by signing this Agreement, I am restricting my legal rights and</li> </ol>		
Signature:	undler is under 1	9 years of ago
Parent or Guardian must sign if the Ha	maler is under 1	o years or age.
Date (dd/mm/yy):		

Entry not valid unless Agreement is signed, dated and submitted with the correct fee.

#### **BACKYARD AGILITY DOGS VOLUNTEER FORM**

Thank you for your help. Volunteers entering dogs get a \$7.00 discount per run entered. Please check <u>all</u> the jobs you would like to work. Be sure to include your name in the hi-lighted area below.

POSITION	DESCRIPTION	EXPERIENCED	LEARNER
GATE	Makes sure dogs and handlers are lined up and ready to run. Ensures all class workers are in place to start.		
SCRIBE & TIMER (combined position) Standard, Jumpers, Team & Steeplechase only	Records faults or other marks on scribe sheet as indicated by the judge. Uses electronic timer or stopwatch to time a run and indicates on scribe sheet at the end of the run.		
SCRIBE	Records faults or other marks on scribe sheets as indicated by the judge. Returns scribe sheet to Trial Secretary after the class.		
TIMER	Uses electronic timer or stopwatch to time a run. Reads off time to Scribe at the end of the run.		
LEASH RUNNER	Carries leash from drop off point to the exit of the ring		
RING CREW	Reset bars when they are down or at jump height changes; resets tunnels as needed		
COURSE BUILDER	Moves obstacles between classes as directed by the Chief Course Builder.		

We will attempt to schedule you for jobs according to your preferences indicated above. However, if the need arises, you may be re-assigned. Please make note in the Special Instructions below if there is any job you cannot do. **If someone is travelling with you who isn't running a dog and would like to help, please have them complete a <u>separate</u> form.** 

Volunteer's Name	
Phone Number	
Email Address	
Special Instructions	
Travelling with	

Please check all classes you have entered for all the dogs you will be running so we avoid scheduling conflicts

DAY	CLASS	All Levels			
FRIDAY EVENING	Steeplechase 1				
JUNE 14, 2024	Steeplechase 2				
	Gamblers 1				
SATURDAY	Standard 1				
JUNE 15, 2024	Jumpers 1				
	Snooker 1				