

A **USDAA®** Licensed Event

**Titling & Tournament Event**

hosted by



**Southwest Agility  
Team**

**Being Held At:  
NM State Fairgrounds Horse Arena  
Albuquerque, NM**

**December 10 - 12, 2021**

Closing Date: Friday, November 26, 2021

Secondary Closing Date: Monday, December 6, 2021

(For move up in level only)

**Judges**

Valerie Reiner - Savoy, MA  
(Officiating Judge)

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## Organizing Committee

The Organizing Committee is the governing body for this event and shall be the sole authority on matters relative to conduct of the event.

<b>Chairperson</b>	Margaret Coombs Email: <a href="mailto:mmcoombs@comcast.net">mmcoombs@comcast.net</a> Phone: (505) 450-9947
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<b>Chief Scorekeeper</b>	Vicki Wilson
<b>Equipment Manager</b>	Coleen Andrews
<b>Facilities Coordinator</b>	Nancy DaCosta

## Site Information

**NM State Fairgrounds Horse Arena**  
300 San Pedro, NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87108  
United States



[View on Google Maps](#)

**Surface Type:**

**Ring Configuration:**

## Policy Prohibiting Alcoholic Consumption

No alcoholic consumption or open containers of alcohol are permitted on the grounds. Noncompliance could result in immediate expulsion from the event, legal prosecution under local law or both.

## Directions to Test Site

### From the North:

Take I-25 south to the I-40 exit. Take I-40 east to the San Mateo exit 161. Turn right (south) onto San Mateo Blvd. Turn left (east) onto Lomas Blvd. Turn right onto San Pedro Dr. and go about 0.6 mile. The Fairgrounds (Expo New Mexico) will be on your left. Take Gate 6 into the Fairgrounds.

### From the South:

Take I-25 north to Gibson Blvd. exit 222. Turn right (east) on Gibson. Turn left (north) onto San Pedro and travel for 1.7 miles. The Fairgrounds (Expo New Mexico) will be on your right. Take Gate 6 into the Fairgrounds.

### From the East or West:

Take I-40 to the San Mateo exit 161. Turn right (south) onto San Mateo Blvd. Turn left (east) onto Lomas Blvd. Turn right onto San Pedro Dr. and go about 0.6 mile. The Fairgrounds (Expo New Mexico) will be on your left. Take Gate 6 into the Fairgrounds.

## Emergency Vet

### EMERGENCY VET

ALBUQUERQUE ANIMAL  
EMERGENCY CLINIC  
4000 Montgomery NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87109  
Phone 505.884.3433

## Expo/Fairgrounds Site Information

- Loading and unloading will be allowed in front and back of the building and is restricted to 10-15 minutes. This will be enforced.
- All exhibitors must enter the Fairgrounds through GATE 6. Please note that Gate 6 closes at 8pm and reopens at 6am.
- Crating is limited and will be marked. Please crate only within the marked spaces. Please be courteous to others and limit your space. If you are using an X-pen, it must contain more than one dog.
- No mats are allowed in the concrete crating areas. Mats are only allowed in the dirt crating areas.
- Dogs may be pottied on the grass in front of the buildings and along the roads. Please do not allow dogs to potty on the flowers, shrubs, building, or anything a human will touch. Please remember to clean up after your dogs.
- **Unloading the trailer and ring set up will begin at 5PM on Thursday. Volunteers helping with this work may place their mats and crates after most of this work is completed. Any mats/crates placed in the building before this time may be moved at the discretion of the Organizing Committee. People not helping with the trial setup must wait until after 6PM on Thursday to set up their mats and crates.**

## Parking at the Expo

**Day-Of Parking:** Expo NM allows you to purchase daily passes for \$7.50 at the main gate (Gate 3). Daily parking does NOT include in-and-out privileges; if you leave the grounds you will be required to pay the \$7.50 parking fee to re-enter.

**Weekend Parking Passes:** Exhibitors may obtain prepaid parking passes through SWAT. These passes cost \$14.00 for the three-day weekend and allow unlimited entrance and exit to the Expo for the entire weekend. Only exhibitors with a parking pass are allowed the in-and-out privileges. To obtain a parking pass, you must send a check payable to SWAT to Donna Crary-Johnson, 4829 Shin Ave., Rio Rancho, NM 87144.

Fees for the Parking Passes must be received by Donna by **November 26, 2021** so we can get your passes to you before the trial. You must include a Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope with your payment. **Please be sure your return envelope has a stamp on it.** If you have any questions concerning the parking passes, please email Donna at [drjaussie@q.com](mailto:drjaussie@q.com).

## RV Parking at the Expo/Fairgrounds

**RV Parking:** There is plenty of RV parking, and it is first-come, first-served - no reservations required. Note that the Expo RV parking is about half a mile from the Horse Arena.

RV Rates:

Full Hook-up (electric, water, sewer) - \$40.00 per night.

Dry Camp (no hook-up) - \$30.00 per night.

**How it Works:** Enter the fairgrounds through Gate 3 at Copper and San Pedro. Go to the stop sign and pull into one of the parking lots. Call the number for the 24/7 security guard - **505-401-5095**. The security guard will come and meet you, take you to your site, and take your money.

**No overnight parking** is allowed on the grounds other than paid RV parking.

## Check-in & Measuring

### Dog Measurements & Certification

All dogs not jumping 24" in the Championship Program or 20" in the Performance Program at local and regional events must be measured unless they have permanent USDAA or World Cynosport Dog Registration status or a temporary card with 3 signatures as required by the regulations, making the dog eligible for their jump height (prior to 3 years of age). Please note that only dogs 18 months of age may be officially measured.

### Advance Request for Measurement Verification

When not entering an event electronically, please send a copy of one the following items to facilitate the check-in process:

- photocopy of permanent dog registration card,
- printout of the dog-information page from your USDAA® competitor web account, or
- copy of your check-in letter from USDAA indicating your temporary card has been accepted by the USDAA office and your permanent registration card is in process.

### Team & Versatility Pairs Measure-up Policy - FEO

A dog entered in 3-dog or 2-dog (pairs) Dog Agility Masters® team tournament is required to jump an eligible height as measured for the Championship or Performance programs. Should a dog on a 3-dog team be measured up to a higher height by virtue of the judge's measurement, causing a violation of the two-height limitation on 3-dog teams, the competitor and/or judge must notify the secretary prior to the start of the event so that teams may be realigned from available dogs to comply with the two-height limitation.

In the event the competitor is unprepared to run their dog at a legal Championship or Performance program height, they may run in the tournament For Exhibition Only, noting that no team member may earn team placements or qualification; other members of the team that jump an eligible height in the tournament's individual classes may earn qualifications and/or points for those classes for purpose of individual placements, top ten and Lifetime Achievement awards.

## Class Descriptions

### Tournament Class Rules & Descriptions

One or more tournament classes may be held at this event. See tournament rules for the description, rules, and start and end dates for the current tournament season qualifying period. Rules for all tournaments may be downloaded on the Internet at <http://www.usdaa.com>. Highlights of the Tournament Regulations are included in a separate note under Class Descriptions. Qualifications in tournament classes count towards versatility titles and Lifetime Achievement Awards.

### Titling Class Rules & Descriptions

One or more titling classes may be held at this Event as described in Chapters 3 - 8 of USDAA Official Rules & Regulations, which are downloadable from [www.usdaa.com/regulations/usdaa-rules-and-regulations.cfm](http://www.usdaa.com/regulations/usdaa-rules-and-regulations.cfm). When held, these regulations and any amendments there to are hereby incorporated by reference.

### Masters Challenge Program Titling Classes

All dogs - regardless of level of competition - are eligible for entry in the Masters Challenge classes and to earn qualifying scores. These qualifying scores will remain on the dog's record and calculate toward Masters Challenge titles once the dog achieves the Masters Standard / Masters Performance Standard and Masters Jumpers / Masters Performance Jumpers titles.

Additionally, these dogs continue to be eligible for their appropriate level in the regular classes at all levels, unless stipulated otherwise in the Agility Test Schedule. Competitive placements in the Masters Challenge Standard and Jumpers classes accumulate points for annual ranking for Agility Top Ten<sup>SM</sup> and Performance Top Ten<sup>SM</sup>.

## Veterans Program Classes

Veterans level classes offered at this event are open to a competitor with any dog that is at least eight (8) years of age as of the first day of this event. Previous experience in the sport sufficient to establish proficiency and confidence in performance is strongly encouraged. A dog entered in a Veterans class on a day may not be entered in that class in the Championship or Performance Programs. Complete program rules can be found at [USDAA Rules & Regulations](#) including amendments.

## Combined Relay Titling Class Offered at this Event

Relay classes at this event will be held as on a "Combined" basis for each program. Pursuant to USDAA's amendments taking effect April 2, 2020, a Group may offer a Pairs Relay class for titling class on a Combined basis, which is to be run on an Advanced level course and scored under Advanced level rules. The Qualification is valid for any level title. This is in lieu of separating the Relay class by levels, as previously required within a program and is in keeping with the purpose of the Relay class in promoting camaraderie in working a course with a partner.

To enter the Relay class, simply complete the form marking the appropriate Program, list a partner of choice, or by indicating on the entry form that the entry will be a "Draw" partner. All pairs entries without a partner listed shall be accepted as "Draw" entries and paired with someone entered in the class for the indicated Program from any level. All pairs within a Program will compete for overall awards.

When a second offering of the class (indicated "2nd run" on the Entry Form) is to be run on the same course, immediately following the first run, the pair runs with the same partner and each partner must run the opposite side of the course from the first run.

## Dog Agility Masters® Team Tournament Update

The Dog Agility Masters® tournaments are combined into a single event for local competition as either a 3-dog team or 2-dog (pairs) event. Qualifications will satisfy the requirements for titles in either program in addition to meeting for tournament advancement & eligibility requirements. Competitors may form teams without regard to program; however, there cannot be more than two heights on a team, and a dog must jump the same height or higher as entered in other tournament events at the trial. Both tournaments may be offered at Regional Championships and at Cynosport®. A competitor may enter only one of the two tournaments with the same dog.

## Masters Challenge Biathlon - Concurrent Titling Scores

The Masters Challenge (MC) & Performance Masters Challenge (PMC) Biathlon tournaments each consists of two classes; Standard and Jumpers. In addition to the combined score of these two classes being scored for tournament qualification purposes, each class will be scored independently in order to determine if title qualification has been earned for the MC and PMC standard and jumpers classes.

See complete biathlon tournament rules and title qualification rules at [USDAA Rules & Regulations](#) and [Tournament Rules](#)

## 2022 Tournament Season Regulations

The tournament qualifying season for Cynosport® 2022 shall run from September 10, 2021 – September 30, 2022. Cynosport 2022 is scheduled for Scottsdale, Arizona, November 30 – December 4.

Eligibility for entry to Cynosport® 2022 will require that a competitor pre-qualify in at least one tournament. Entry to each tournament requires two qualifications to be earned at local and/or regional events during the qualifying season. A single wild card qualification (five qualifications in the core titling classes) may be substituted for one qualification in one tournament.

Local event qualifying criteria remains unchanged in all significant respects, and the 10" height division will remain as an available jump height for dogs measuring 12" or less.

Competitors may earn "Byes" into the Cynosport® 2022 Semifinals of the Grand Prix of Dog Agility® World Championships and the \$10,000 Dog Agility Steeplechase® by competing and meeting the Bye criteria in the final round at a Regional Championship during the 2022 tournament season. The number of regional championships and their locations will be announced on or before November 30, 2021. A Bye earns a competitor the right to bypass the Quarterfinal rounds in the Grand Prix of Dog Agility and the Dog Agility Steeplechase at Cynosport 2022. Competitors who previously earned Byes at a 2020 Regional Championship but did not compete in Cynosport 2021 may use that Bye in Cynosport 2022 for the tournament in which the Bye was earned.

The Dog Agility Masters® tournament shall continue to be offered on a combined program basis, with local event hosts offering the tournament in either the 2-dog or 3-dog format. All Regional Championships and Cynosport 2022 are planned to offer both formats, providing the opportunity for competitors to team up as 2-dog or 3-dog teams.

Qualifications in tournaments offered through USDAA@Home!SM events are for title qualification only and do not satisfy tournament eligibility requirements for entry to Cynosport®.

Final regulations for the 2022 tournament season will be available on or before October 1, 2021, and shall be posted to the USDAA website. Should events be preempted due to pandemic-related causes or other matters beyond our control, requirements are subject to change.

## Tentative Schedule

### Friday, December 10, 2021

	Ring 1		Ring 2	
<b>Event</b>		<b>Judge</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Judge</b>
Dog Agility Masters® 2-Dog Team Gamblers		Reiner, Valerie	Dog Agility Masters® - Team Snooker	Reiner, Valerie
Dog Agility Masters® 2-Dog Team Relay		Reiner, Valerie	Dog Agility Masters® - Team Jumpers	Reiner, Valerie
Dog Agility Masters® 2-Dog Team Standard		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers - Masters	Reiner, Valerie
			Jumpers Level 3	Reiner, Valerie
			Jumpers - Veterans	Reiner, Valerie

### Saturday, December 11, 2021

	Ring 1		Ring 2	
<b>Event</b>		<b>Judge</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Judge</b>
Gamblers - Veterans		Reiner, Valerie	Performance Speed Jumping - Qualifying Round	Reiner, Valerie
Gamblers Level 3		Reiner, Valerie	Dog Agility Steeplechase® - Qualifying Round	Reiner, Valerie
Gamblers - Masters		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker - Veterans	Reiner, Valerie
Gamblers Level 2		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker Level 3	Reiner, Valerie
Gamblers - Advanced		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker - Masters	Reiner, Valerie
Gamblers Level 1		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker Level 2	Reiner, Valerie
Gamblers - Starters		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker - Advanced	Reiner, Valerie
Standard - Veterans		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker Level 1	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Level 3		Reiner, Valerie	Snooker - Starters	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Agility - Masters		Reiner, Valerie	Other Nonstandard Class - Performance Heights	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Level 2		Reiner, Valerie		
Standard Agility - Advanced		Reiner, Valerie		
Standard Level 1		Reiner, Valerie		
Standard Agility - Starters		Reiner, Valerie		
Performance Grand Prix - Local Qualifier		Reiner, Valerie		
Grand Prix of Dog Agility® - Local Qualifier		Reiner, Valerie		
Combined Pairs Relay - Performance		Reiner, Valerie		
Combined Pairs Relay		Reiner, Valerie		

### Sunday, December 12, 2021

	Ring 1		Ring 2	
<b>Event</b>		<b>Judge</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Judge</b>
Biathlon MC Standard Agility		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers - Masters	Reiner, Valerie
Biathlon MC Performance Standard		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers Level 3	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Agility - Masters		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers - Veterans	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Level 3		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers - Advanced	Reiner, Valerie
Standard - Veterans		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers Level 2	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Agility - Advanced		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers - Starters	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Level 2		Reiner, Valerie	Jumpers Level 1	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Agility - Starters		Reiner, Valerie	Biathlon MC Jumpers	Reiner, Valerie
Standard Level 1		Reiner, Valerie	Biathlon MC Performance Jumpers	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker - Masters	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker Level 3	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker - Veterans	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker - Advanced	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker Level 2	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker - Starters	Reiner, Valerie
			Snooker Level 1	Reiner, Valerie

## Entries & Acceptance

### Policy on Refusal of Entry

The Organizing Committee of an event may refuse the entry of any competitor or dog for just cause should the Committee view that participation by the competitor or dog could be prejudicial to the sport. However, in such case, the Committee must notify the competitor in writing upon receipt of entry, but in no case, more than three days following the event closing date for acceptance of entries. The burden of responsibility for the appropriateness of such action rests solely with the host group and its Organizing Committee.

### Refund Policy

There shall be NO REFUNDS for entries withdrawn after the closing date for acceptance of entries, for absentee, dismissal from the event as a result of disciplinary action, dismissal from a class, or for any other reason. Also, no entry fees will be refunded if the event cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, acts of terrorism, fire, "act of God", public emergency, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the host organization.

### NSF Check/Credit Card

Any check or credit card that is charged back by the bank or other financial institution may be assessed a service charge of up to \$40 per incident at the discretion of the host group.

Returned checks or credit card returns do not constitute a valid entry. Amounts shall be paid within 30 day of postmarked notice of the returned payment if such date follows the event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice will result in cancellation of event results for all classes related to the entry for which payment was made. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution.

Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event, or entry is canceled without recourse.

## **Spam Blocker**

Confirmations will be sent via email using the secretary's address. If you have a spam blocker on your email account, please configure it to allow email from the secretary's address since confirmations will be sent from this account.

## **General Rule on Eligibility**

This event is sanctioned by the United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. ("USDAA").

This test is open to all persons with dogs being at least 18 months of age (14 months of age pursuant to Chapter 10 for Intro Program when offered OR for Sanctioned Match), regardless of pedigree or absence thereof, who have a current registration with USDAA and whose owners and the dog's handler are currently in good standing with USDAA.

This event will be held under USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations, a copy of which may be viewed and printed online at [USDAA Rules & Regulations](#), as amended.

## **Express & Overnight Entries**

Entries sent by Fedex, Express Mail or other courier service will only be accepted if the waiver allowing delivery **without signature** is signed. The club will not be responsible for deliveries delayed if a signature is required.

## **Mixed-Height Pairs Entry Allowed**

Dogs entered as partners in pairs relay at this event may be combined without regard to jump height, i.e. a mini dog may be entered as a partner with an open dog. Any pair consisting of at least one open dog must qualify in accordance with the QCT set forth by the judge of record for Open Pairs AND will be considered an open pair for placement purposes.

## **Next-Day Move-Ups Allowed At This Event**

Competitors earning a qualification during the Event that is needed to complete a title may advance their level THE NEXT DAY at the same event, i.e. move-ups on consecutive days ARE allowed.

Competitors are responsible for keeping accurate records of their qualifying scores and the judges from whom these scores were earned prior to this event to ensure that the dog is eligible to move up based upon scores earned at this Event. Competitors are advised to confirm scores earned with the scorekeeper and judge at the conclusion of a class to ensure the qualifying score has been accurately calculated and awarded in accordance with regulations. If for any reason it is determined that the score or previous scores were inaccurate, making the entry ineligible for the higher level class, any results (including awards) shall be forfeited and the entry will be deemed invalid without refund or other recourse.

Move-up forms supplied by this event must be used to notify the secretary BEFORE she leaves the site the day on which you earn your title.

## **Submission of Entries with Secondary Move-Up Date**

All entries or cancellations must be received at the Secretary's address no later than the closing date, after which time no entries will be accepted or cancelled. For entries received by the closing date, the level of entry into a given class may be advanced by notifying the Secretary in writing via email by the "Secondary Closing Date". No other changes, cancellations or additions may be made after the initial closing date.

To be accepted, entries must be complete, signed (by parent or legal guardian if handler is a minor), received by the closing date and accompanied by the correct fees and include a valid USDAA registration number on a completed registration form.

## **General Entry Conditions**

### **Policy on Fault Limits**

In the event of a larger entry, fault limits may be set at the discretion of the Organizing Committee and/or Judge without pre-event notice.

## **Evolving COVID-19 Environment Health Safety Measures**

The health environment related to COVID-19 and its variants are continuing to evolve nationwide. Competitors, show organizers, and guests are urged to remain respectful of individual choices and varied practices that may occur. USDAA recognizes that the biology for each person is different with respect to any illness, and each may have their own preferences on what is necessary for them to return to open events given their personal situation.

Groups may set specific requirements for their events as they deem necessary to provide a safe and enjoyable event for competitors. Because of the many uncertainties, the host Group, USDAA, and event officials can assume no liability related to these risks, and individuals shall be solely responsible for making their own decisions regarding health risk and safety measures taken, or whether to attend the event. Any stipulated requirements by the Group shall be set forth either in a note in the test schedule for the event, communicated in event confirmations (or otherwise by email), and/or posted at the event. Competitors shall expect that a host Group shall enforce whatever rules they set in place under authority set forth in USDAA Disciplinary Rules published in USDAA rules & regulations..

Each person attending this event as an official, volunteer, or competitor shall be solely responsible for and assume liability for their own decisions regarding health risk and safety measures, and each person shall be accountable for their actions relative to any procedures in effect, which may or may not include:

- Maintaining social distancing measures
- Wearing a mask or gloves

- Being aware of items that you may touch and that may have been touched by others
- Washing hands and/or use of hand sanitizers
- Enjoying of food and refreshments, if provided

Additional health and/or safety measures may be required by the facility owner at which this event is being held, or by the Event Organizer. Such statements may be included in this test schedule, in the event confirmation, or posted on site at Check-In for this event. Failure to comply with these requirements, as well as other provisions in this test schedule are subject to disciplinary action as described in Appendix C to USDAA Official Rules & Regulations, which could result in dismissal from the event and/or cancellation of all results from performance at the event, without recourse.

**Further**, if you have been exposed to anyone that may have been exposed or infected with a virus or flu or any other contagious illness within one to two weeks prior to the event, or if you are feeling ill, please take responsibility and stay home and rest.

## Prohibitions on Aids & Devices

No leads, collars, food, toys or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course at any time, except as provided for in Chapter 10 when Intro Program classes are offered, or in Chapter 8 when Junior Handler Program classes are offered.

## Statement of Responsibility

Competitors alone are responsible for the behavior of themselves, their dogs, children, and guests. A competitor whose dogs, children or guests create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Organizing Committee, be asked to leave the test site.

## Running a Class "For Exhibition Only" (FEO) at Local Events

A competitor may enter a class at a local event (events other than regional, national and international championship or special events) and declare on the day of the event that they are going to run "For Exhibition Only" (FEO). Declaring "For Exhibition Only" requires that-

- the Gate Steward, or the Competitor in the absence of a gate steward, clearly mark "FEO" by the competitor's entry number on the posted running order
- the Competitor vocally declares to the Judge and Scribe, "FEO", when advancing to the start line
- the Scribe clearly marks "FEO" on the scribe sheet
- the Scorekeeper records the round as "Withdrawn", denoting the round as a noncompeting round in the official results and shall be ineligible for awards

Additionally,

- non-audible toys are allowed but must be used in a manner that does not distract other dogs running in adjacent rings
- the dog shall be run at the height at which it was entered.
- the maximum time on course allowable is the Standard Course Time (SCT); however, the judge, in their sole discretion, may dismiss a competitor from the ring for any behaviors that are deemed unsafe or harsh, or that do not present the sport in a positive way.

## Fix & Continue Will Be Allowed At This Event

The USDAA Policy Statement on Training in the Ring or "Fix & Continue" has been adopted for this event and is hereby incorporated in its entirety by reference. Competitors are expected to familiarize themselves with this policy, which can be found on the USDAA web site at [Official USDAA Policy Statements](#)

Fix & Continue during a competition run generally provides for repeat of an obstacle at handler's discretion under conditions set forth in the Policy Statement. When discretion is exercised to utilize the Fix & Continue, their score will be recorded as an elimination and the maximum course time set to 60 seconds. This practice may be utilized only once in any Standard, Jumpers, or Relay class (including similarly-styled tournament classes at qualifying events). The competitor must continue working the course in flow, while "fixing" and "continuing" on the course. See the Policy Statement referenced above for complete details.

## Mulligan Runs

Based upon the number of runs per day at this trial Mulligan Runs may be available for one or more classes each day. The Show Committee shall determine in which class(es) a Mulligan Run will be allowed. Availability and cost for each run shall be announced in final confirmations. Only competitors entered in the class are eligible for a Mulligan Run per USDAA policy which is hereby incorporated by reference.

A competitor must sign up and pay for their Mulligan Run immediately following their titling run (if they didn't sign up/pay for a Mulligan Run prior) and prior to the completion of the class. A Mulligan Run sign-up sheet will be made available. When Mulligans are running concurrently with another ring at an event, only silent toys are allowed and may not be tossed. Food, treats, training aids are not allowed.

## Media Release & Rights of Privacy Waiver

### Media Rights Release

I HEREBY GRANT TO USDAA and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.

### Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality

FURTHER, I HEREBY RELEASE United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

## Hotel Information

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## **Other Information**

### **Special Event -- Tunnelers Jackpot**

#### **Tunnelers Jackpot**

Course will be tunnels and jumps. Entry fee: \$10

Handlers choose their dog's Performance Program jump height limited to 8", 12", 16", 20" - dogs may not jump lower than their Performance Height. Judged under Steeplechase rules (no refusals), and wrong course or dropped bars nullifies the run for prizes. Fastest clean run wins.

50% payout of entry fees. Cash prizes (no ribbons) awarded for the fastest four dogs in each jump height.

### **No Food Vendor**

**There will not be a food vendor at this event.**

**SWAT will provide lunch for all exhibitors on Friday, and for workers on Saturday and Sunday.**

**Snacks and water will be provided for all exhibitors all three days.**

**There are several fast-food restaurants nearby, including a McDonald's across the street and a Smith's grocery store nearby. Keep in mind that only exhibitors with a three-day parking pass will be allowed in-and-out privileges. Others will be required to pay the 7.50 daily parking fee upon re-entry.**



## Volunteer Information

### Volunteer Form Sign Up

To help keep things running smoothly at this event, we encourage everyone to volunteer to work one or more classes as your schedule permits. If you are willing to help, please fill out the form below and return it with your entry. **We will make sure that your volunteer duties WILL NOT interfere with your walk-throughs or running your dogs.** We will be happy to train inexperienced volunteers, so do not be shy! THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR VOLUNTEERING! We cannot hold these events without you!

**I am running in the following classes:**

Level/Classes	Jump Height	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
DAM Team				
Performance Versatility Pairs				
Masters Titling Classes				
P3/Vet Titling Classes				
Advanced Titling Classes				
P2 Titling Classes				
Starters Titling Classes				
P1 Titling Classes				
Grand Prix/PGP				
Steeplechase/PSJ				

**The jobs & days that I would like to work are:**

Job	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Scribe			
Timer			
Gate Steward			
Course Builder			
Bar Setter			
Leash Runner			
Scribe Sheet Runner			
Chute Straighter/Long Jump			

**Number of Dogs entered:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

# General Agreement

## 1.1 - Consideration and Waiver & Acceptance of Liability

IN CONSIDERATION OF the acceptance of this entry and the opportunity to participate and/or to be judged in the event on the dates to which this entry form applies (the "Event"), I understand and willingly accept that there are inherent risks in participating in sporting events, including but not limited to risks associated with events involving animals.

I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS each of the parties listed below (including each of their members, officers, directors, agents and employees), hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Event Organizers", from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of myself or the dog listed on the entry form while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto -

- The Event's Organizing Committee
- The Event Organizer, being the USDAA Affiliated Group (or Groups) hosting or otherwise responsible for conduct of the event
- United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. ("USDAA"), World Cynosport Limited and affiliated companies
- Event Sponsors and Sponsors of the aforementioned parties
- Property Owners of the premises upon which the event is held

I FURTHER AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS the aforementioned parties from any claim for loss arising as the result of death, injury or illness to myself and the dog listed on my event entry form, or other dogs under my care that are present at the Event, without regard to the cause of such loss, including but not limited to, disappearance of property, theft, injury or other loss caused by the actions of dogs, exposure to or contraction of communicable diseases, whether such loss or injury is caused or alleged to be caused for any reason, including negligence.

I FURTHER WAIVE RIGHT OF CLAIM and agree to hold harmless the aforementioned parties for any claim for loss that may be or have been sustained or incurred as a result of cancellation of this event and any series of events of which this event is a part by reason of war, terrorism, earthquakes, hurricanes, acts of government, plague, pandemic, war, or other circumstances or events beyond the control of the parties.

THROUGH ENTRY TO THIS EVENT I UNDERSTAND, ACKNOWLEDGE, AND ACCEPT ALL RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY FOR ANY LOSS, INCLUDING LEGAL FEES SHALL BE MINE AND MINE ALONE.

## 1.3 - Acknowledgment & Representation of Accuracy

I ACKNOWLEDGE, REPRESENT AND WARRANT that the information supplied by me in the entry form is correct and complete. If any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my entry, such finding shall render my entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid or other recourse against the Event Organizers. Any acceptance of additional information or corrections to information after the closing date shall be at the sole discretion of the Event secretary.

## 1.5 - Media Release, Grants & Waivers of Rights to Broadcast & Promote

COMPETITOR HEREBY GRANTS TO USDAA and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.

## 1.6 - Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality

FURTHER, COMPETITOR HEREBY RELEASES United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

## 1.7 - Signature/Electronic Submission Execution

THROUGH MY PHYSICAL SIGNATURE ON THE PAPER ENTRY FORM, OR THROUGH MY SUBMISSION OF AN ELECTRONIC ENTRY TO THE EVENT, I ACKNOWLEDGE, ACCEPT AND AGREE TO ABIDE by the provisions of this General Agreement, and all policies, rules, regulations and conditions of entry to the Event

FURTHER, IF ENTRY IS FOR A MINOR, THROUGH MY PHYSICAL SIGNATURE ON THE PAPER ENTRY FORM, OR THROUGH MY SUBMISSION OF AN ELECTRONIC ENTRY TO THE EVENT, I REPRESENT AND WARRANT THAT I AM THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF THE COMPETITOR/HANDLER entered in the Event, and I ACKNOWLEDGE that I have reviewed all provisions of this General Agreement, policies, rules, regulations, and conditions of entry to the Event with the Minor and I SHALL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR ACTIONS AND COMPLIANCE WITH ALL RULES, REGULATIONS, POLICIES AND PROVISIONS FOR THE EVENT, AND ASSUME FULL LIABILITY FOR MINOR'S ACTIONS AND ACTIONS OF THEIR DOG.

## 1.4 - Representation of Ownership or Agency

I HEREBY REPRESENT AND WARRANT that I am the owner of the dog listed hereon, or that I have full authority from the dog's owner as their agent to enter the dog in competition and to assume their responsibilities for the care, custody and control of the dog for entry to the Event, and

I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS the Event Organizers listed in paragraph 1.1 from any liability or claims, including legal fees, related to such ownership or agency status.

## 1.2 - Acknowledgment & Acceptance of Regulations

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations and rules for competition (e.g., tournament rules) that relate to the Event, whether incorporated in this General Agreement by reference or as stipulated herein for the Event to which this entry form pertains.

I ACCEPT AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY any and all rulings of the Organizing Committee (and its members), the Event's Disciplinary Action Committee and/or USDAA relative to matters related to the Event.

# USDAA® Official Dog Registration Form

**DOG REGISTRATION - \$40.00**

FOR USDAA USE ONLY	
REG #	UJHP #
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Dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete in USDAA sanctioned events. A registration card and number with a "U" prefix will be issued to facilitate entry at USDAA events and tracking of show results in the regular classes.

**You must complete ALL information for a valid registration:**

## **OWNER/HANDLER INFORMATION:**

Primary Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) to appear on awards: \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Handler: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City / State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## **DOG INFORMATION:**

Formal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Dog name to appear on certificates; please print clearly or type)

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Height @ Withers: \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify breed or state "All American" to denote mix-breed)

(Estimate if unknown)

(To nearest 1/4")

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