



LAUGHING DOG AGILITY

MARCH 20, 21, & 22, 2020
R.H. KIRKPATRICK AGRICULTURAL PAVILION
2224 Hwy 14 W, Autauga County,
Autaugaville, AL 36033

Judge:

Karen Hough
Blue Ridge, VA

Ring Surface:

Indoors on Dirt

Contact Surface:

Rubber Belting

Crating Set up times:

Thursday After 2:00pm

Briefing at:

7:45am

First dog on the line at:

8:00am

Preliminary Class Order:

May change depending on weather, judges preference,
time or number of entries

Friday, Mar 20

| Class: | Number of Rounds: |
|-----------|-------------------|
| Tunnelers | 2 |
| Weavers | 2 |
| Regular | 2 |
| Jumpers | 2 |

Saturday, Mar 21

| Class: | Number of Rounds: |
|------------|-------------------|
| Chances | 2 |
| Gamblers | 2 |
| Touch n Go | 2 |
| Regular | 2 |

Sunday, Mar 22

| Class: | Number of Rounds: |
|------------|-------------------|
| Touch n Go | 1 |
| Chances | 1 |
| Tunnelers | 2 |
| Jumpers | 2 |

Entries Open on:

When Premium becomes available

Entries Close on:

March 14, 2020

Double run or Standard format:

Double Run Format

Entry Limits:

500 Runs Per Day

Maximum of 350 runs with jumps/day

Crating available:

Plenty of crating space

Move ups:

Move ups for next day accepted until 15 minutes after last class finishes on Friday & Saturday. No same day move ups.

Day of show Entries:

Entries will be accepted on the trial date for each class. DOS entries will be \$15.00 for each run. If trial fills, day of show entries will not be offered.

Refunds:

A 100% refund will be given for any requests for withdrawals received prior to the Closing Date. A 75% refund will be given for bitches in heat, injured or ill dogs (with verification from a vet upon request), injured handlers (with verification from a doctor upon request) or family emergency. There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal.

Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$30.00 service charge for bank returned checks.

Show Committee

Trial Chair: Sara Langston

Secretary: Sara Langston

Chief Ring Steward: Lee Ann Doan

Chief Course Builder: Sandra Huner

Confirmations

CONFIRMATIONS WILL BE SENT VIA E-MAIL ONLY. No hard copies will be sent. Please be sure your e-mail address is legible. If you don't have e-mail, please include a SASE with your entry.

Food info:

Concession will be available for breakfast & lunch

Volunteer info:

The trial can't run smoothly without volunteers. We count on you for help. Please sign up to work at least one class each day when you get to the trial.

Thanks so much.

Awards and Ribbons:

Placements ribbons will be awarded to at least fourth place in each jump height for each class, in each category, except Chances which is a pass/fail class. A purple qualifying ribbon shall be given for each qualifying round in each class. New Title ribbons are also available.

Equipment info:

Standard NADAC equipment with rubber contacts

Jump Height Info:

MEASURING

Measurement forms may be obtained at <http://nadac.com/Application-for-Permanent-Height-Card.htm>

Dogs which require measuring:

Dogs in the Proficient Category, Novice, Open or Elite jumping 4", 8", 12" or 16"

Dogs which do not need to be measured:

Dogs jumping 16" in the Veteran or Junior Handler Division

Dogs jumping 20"

Dogs in the Skilled Category

Dogs with a permanent height card

Dogs listed on the Height Exemption List

JUMP HEIGHTS

There are four Standard Division-Proficient jump heights: 8", 12", 16", and 20".

There are four Standard Division-Skilled jump heights: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

There are four jump heights for the Veterans and Junior Handler divisions: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

Please see the NADAC Rulebook for the full jump height table

Brief Summary of Rules:

Please refer to www.nadac.com for a full explanation of all NADAC rules and up to date information.

- Please note that NADAC trials should provide a safe and fun environment for both exhibitors and their dogs.
- Aggressive dogs will not be tolerated and will be excused from the trial.
- The show committee has the right to refuse any entry. Anyone not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed to enter this trial.
- Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$30.00 service charge for bank returned checks.
- Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted. <http://nadac.com/afirm/dogregfrm.asp> A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadac.com
- Bitches in heat, lame, or blind dogs are ineligible for entry, as is any dog with a deformity which may cause a judge to not be able to reasonably assess the dog's ability to function and perform agility obstacles safely, and in a manner that is in the best interest, health and welfare of the dog.
- No clickers, audible aids/toys or open food shall be permitted on the course or within 10 feet of the ring during a qualifying run. Handlers may attach a small, non-audible toy, no larger than their hand, to their leash. The toy cannot be detached. In a Containerized Trial, handlers may use a small container (a zip lock bag works well) to secure food or a small non-audible toy in their pocket during their run. They cannot indicate its presence to the dog until they leave the ring. Only Intro & Novice handlers may bring a non-audible toy into the ring for training purposes. They cannot earn a Qualifying score and must declare to the judge they are training before they commence their run.
- The sponsoring clubs will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result be accident or other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

Laughing Dog Agility, March 20, 21, & 22, 2020

Kirkpatrick Agricultural Pavilion, 2224 Hwy 14W, Autaugaville, AL 36003

Make Checks Payable to: Laughing Dog Agility

Send entries to: Sara Langston, 1520 Bridge Creek Road, Prattville, AL 36067

Entries Close March 14, 2020

| Owner | | | | | Dog | | |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| Name | | | | | Call Name | | |
| Address | | | | | NADAC Reg # | | |
| City/State/Zip | | | | | Date of Birth | | |
| Phone | | | | | Height at Withers | | |
| Email | | | | | Breed | | |
| Handler, if not owner | | | | | Emergency Contact Name/Phone | | |
| PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR DOG'S HEIGHT CARD IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE ON FILE. | | | | | | | |
| CATEGORY: PROFICIENT <input type="checkbox"/> SKILLED <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | |
| DIVISION: STANDARD <input type="checkbox"/> VET DOG <input type="checkbox"/> VET HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | |
| I WANT MY DOG TO JUMP: <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20 | | | | | | | |
| Class | Level | | | | Day | | |
| | Intro | Novice | Open | Elite | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| Regular | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Chances | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Jumpers | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Touch n Go | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tunnelers | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Weavers | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| Barrelers | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Gamblers | | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we certify that I/we have knowledge of, and are familiar with, and agree to abide by, the Rules and Regulations of NADAC in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by NADAC for this trial. I/we certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. I/we further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on page 5 of this premium | | | | | | | |

Number of Total Runs Entered: # _____

\$12 each = _____

Junior Handler \$5 each run = _____

Day of Show (after closing) \$15 each run = _____

NEW TO NADAC: YES _____ -\$36.00

TOTAL ENCLOSED = _____

Owner/Exhibitor: _____ Date _____

Parent or Legal Guardian of Junior Handler _____

AGREEMENT

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

- 1.1. As used here "NADAC" means the North American Dog Agility Council, LLC., its members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.
- 1.2. Exhibitor/owner agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
- 1.3. Exhibitor/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.
- 1.4. Exhibitor/owner acknowledge all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the surface, restrooms, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fittings, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.
- 1.5. Exhibitor/owner releases NADAC (including its respective officers, directors, employees, and members), **Laughing Dog Agility, LLC**, (including its officers, directors, members, and event organizing committee), the Autauga County Commission, and R.H. Kirkpatrick Agricultural Pavilion (including its officers, agents, and employees) and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assumes sole responsibility for and agrees to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

Exhibitor understands there is a returned check fee of \$30.

THE MANAGEMENT will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Show Committee be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of fees paid will be made.

I have read, understood, and acknowledge the above Agreement. I am knowledgeable of the North American Dog Agility Council's (NADAC) Rules and Regulations governing sanctioned agility trials.

Signature of Owner/Exhibitor

Date

Signature of Parent of Legal Guardian of Minor

Date

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

Run Pricing Info
Entry Fee: \$12.00 per run
Junior Handler Entry Fee: \$5.00 per run
Day of Show Entry Fee: \$15.00

Lodging Info and Directions:

Directions: **R. H. Kirkpatrick Agricultural Pavilion** is located at 2224 Highway 14 West, Autaugaville, AL 36003. The arena is in Autauga County.

From North or South: Take I-65 to Exit 179-Prattville, AL. From the north turn right, from the south, turn left. Go approximately ¾ mile. Turn left on US-82W/AL6 and continue approximately 5 miles. Turn Left onto AL-14 West and go approximately 10 miles. The Pavilion will be on the right behind a small office building.

From East: Take I-85 to I-65, go north towards Prattville and follow instructions above.

From West (Selma, AL): Take AL-14 East approximately 25 miles. The Pavilion will be on the left behind a small office building.

Hotel Information

REMEMBER TO PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOGS.

Verify when making reservations that the hotel still accepts dogs and any fees charged.

Super 8 - Prattville, AL I-65 Exit 181, Hwy 14, 639 Malwest Dr., 36066, 334-365-7250 (Approx 18 miles from site)

La Quinta Inn – Prattville, AL I-65 Exit 181, 261 Interstate Commercial Park Loop, 36066, Phone 334-358-5454 (Approx 18 miles from site)

Quality Inn - Prattville, AL, I-65 Exit 181, Hwy 14W, 797 Business Park Drive, Prattville, AL, 36067, Phone: (334) 365-6003 (Across from Cracker Barrel) (Approx 18 miles from site)

Econolodge – Prattville, AL I-65 Exit 181, Hwy 14W, 798 Business Park Drive, Prattville, AL 36067, Phone (334)361-2007 (Behind Cracker Barrel) (Approx 18 miles from the site)

Baymont Inn & Suites – Prattville, AL I-65 Exit 179, 104 Jameson Court, Prattville, AL 36066, Phone (334) 361-6463 (Across street from Wal Mart) (Approx 12 miles from site)

Key West Inn – Millbrook, AL I-65 Exit 179, 2275 Cobbs Ford Road, 36054 334-309-2004 (approx 15 miles from site)

RV Parking – Kirkpatrick Pavilion, 2224 Highway 14 West, Autaugaville, AL 36003. RV parking fee is \$15.00 a night. There are 20 hookups with **50 amp** power and water. There are others at the barn with some 30 amp hookups and some 50 amp hookups. Half the spots require a long extension cord as you will have to park one in front of the other. Reservations are required. Contact Arena Manager, Lee Pittman, at 334 365-5638.

ENTRIES & CHANGES: Entries must be received by the Trial Secretary by the closing time to be valid. Please allow 4 days for entries mailed via USPS regular mail. Entries made before closing are \$12.00 per class entered. Accepted entries may be changed up until 12:00 Noon on the Monday before the trial. E-mail change requests to Sara Langston, sarabillandpups@att.net. **NO CHANGES will be made at the trial, so please read over your confirmations carefully.**

GIVE NADAC A TRY!!!!



NADAC has been under new management for the past two years and there have been great improvements!!! Effective January 1, 2019, NADAC will allow grandfathering of levels! If you've wanted to try NADAC, but didn't want to start in Novice with your experienced dog, you can move laterally into the Open or Elite level if you wish, by submitting a copy of your equivalent title certificate from another venue to the NADAC office. Please contact the trial secretary for instructions.

To celebrate NADAC's exciting new direction, we're making a special offer. If you've **never** tried NADAC agility, or **haven't tried it in the last 3 years**, your first 3 runs are on us! Just fill out your entry form the way you normally would, subtract the cost of your free runs from your total, and write "New to NADAC" on the bottom on the entry form. If you only enter 3 runs, your entire entry is on us. Give us a try!



COME JOIN THE FUN!!!!

Vendors contact Sara Langston, sarabillandpups@att.net for information and reservations!!!