

Premium List  
AKC Agility Titling Event

March 31 & April 1, 2012  
(event #2012029501 & #2012029502)



Licensed by the American Kennel Club

Sports Plex  
1400 Foundry Street, St. Charles, Illinois 60174  
(indoors on sports turf, 2 rings 85 x 100)

Show Hours: 6:30 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.  
Judging begins at 8:00 a.m.

Entries are limited to 330 runs per judge, 660 runs per day  
**\*\*This event is accepting entries for Mixed Breed Dogs\*\***

Entries to be determined by random draw.  
Entries open at 8:00 a.m. February 6, 2012 at the trial secretary's residence. Draw closes at 8:00 p.m. March 5, 2012. Draw will be held at 7:00 p.m. on March 6 at the trial secretary's residence, 9N909 Koshare Trail, Elgin, IL 60124.

Final closing date: March 17, 2012 at 8:00 p.m.  
After which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

Beth Elliott  
9N909 Koshare Trail  
Elgin, IL 60124



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Certification: Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for holding this event under the American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.  
James Crowley, Secretary

**OFFICERS**

President.....Terri Byerly  
Vice President.....Ed Herdes  
Treasurer.....Dana Weller  
Secretary.....Carolyn Pearson  
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**Trial Chairman**

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(847) 464-5909 Cathyschance@cs.com

**Trial Secretary**

Beth Elliott  
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**Trial Committee**

Donna Bihner Kent Hildebrand  
Vera Nyberg Taffy Wille Cathy Fleury

**Veterinarian (on call)**

Emergency Veterinary Services  
530 Dunham Road, St. Charles, IL 60174  
(630) 584-7447

**Judges**

Joan Simon  
68 Lincoln Avenue, Sheboygan, WI 53081  
Saturday – all standard classes Sunday – all jumpers classes

Christie Bowers  
P.O. Box 320, South Prairie, WA 98385  
Saturday – all jumpers classes Sunday – all standard classes

**ENTRY FEE** is \$24 for the first entry, \$14 for the second entry of the same dog, per day (includes AKC recording fees of \$3 for each run). Mail entries, maximum of 10 per envelope, with fees payable to Fox Valley DTC, to Beth Elliott, 9N909 Koshare Trail, Elgin, IL, 60124. Express mail entries must waive the signature requirement or they will be refused!

**MOVE-UP REGULATIONS:** Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, provided that the request is made in writing to the trial secretary only. Move-ups for Saturday March 31st must be received not later 6:00 p.m. on Monday March 26th. Move-ups for Sunday April 1st will be accepted on Saturday March 31st until the last ribbon has been awarded. Dogs so moved up will be entered at the end of the running order, and every effort will be made to accommodate handlers running multiple dogs in the same class.

**REGULATION FOR MOVING FROM NOVICE A TO NOVICE B**

A dog which has been entered in Novice A, but is ineligible due to restrictions on the dog or handler, may be moved to Novice B under the following conditions: the request must be made in writing and presented to the trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial and the request must state the reason and justification for the move.



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Move-ups must be made in writing - verbal requests will not be accepted. Email move-ups are acceptable. Return forms to the Trial Secretary only.

AKC Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Variety: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the appropriate selection(s):

<b>PROGRAM:</b>	Regular	Preferred	<b>CLASS:</b>	Standard	Jumpers		
<b>DAY:</b>	Saturday	Sunday					
<b>ENTERED IN:</b>	Nov	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Exc A		
<b>MOVE TO:</b>	Open	Exc A	Exc B				
<b>JUMP HEIGHT:</b>	4	8	12	16	20	24	26

## Volunteer Sign-up Form

### We need your help!

This trial will not go smoothly without everyone's help. Please consider volunteering whatever time you have available to working. All effort will be made to make sure you have plenty of time with your dog(s) to prepare for your run(s). Please fill in the information below and return it to the trial secretary with your entry.

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

Days available (circle all that apply):      Saturday                  Sunday

Jump height(s) entered:    4      8      12      16      20      24      26

Standard class(es) entered:    Novice    Open    Excellent

Jumpers class(es) entered:    Novice    Open    Excellent

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the jobs you would be willing to do and cross out the jobs you do not want to do.

Course Builder	Timer	Scribe	Transcriber
Gate Steward	Bar Setter	Chute Straightener	
Leash Runner	Score Sheet Runner		

**MEASURING:** Exhibitors are no longer required to submit a copy of their dog's jump height card with their entry or show it the day of the show at check in. Instead, please fill out the section at the top of the entry form. It is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to have their original, official jump height card or temporary jump height form at each trial to present upon request. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running.

**HEIGHT DIVISIONS:** Owners are responsible for entering the proper height divisions. Judges reserve the right to measure all dogs without a valid height card. Handlers may opt to run in a higher height division in the Regular program, but not in a lower division than their proper height division. Handlers must run in their proper height division in the Preferred program.

Regular	Preferred	
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"		dogs may be entered at this height at owner's discretion

Envelopes containing more than 10 entries will be returned in their entirety. Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on their entry forms, and the correct entry fee. *Please* do not use staples to attach checks and/or height cards to your entry! Checks returned due to non sufficient funds will be assessed a \$25 fee. All illegible or incomplete forms, or those with insufficient entry fees, will be returned, no attempts by email or phone will be made!

Notification of entry status prior to closing will be emailed to all exhibitors providing an email address. Any exhibitor that does not have an email address should send a SASE or postcard to be returned with their entry status information. No other acknowledgment of entry status will be given! Exhibitors with email addresses are responsible for making sure their email address is legible and that any mail from the trial secretary is not blocked by spam blockers or rejected due to a full mailbox. No further attempts will be made to resend any entry status email that is returned or rejected!

Final entry confirmations and judging schedules will be sent after the final closing date to all exhibitors, as per Chapter 1, Section 18 of the Regulations for Agility Trials. Exhibitors providing an email address will be emailed their confirmations, exhibitors with no email address will be sent their confirmation via the US Postal Service.

**DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER:** This trial is open to all dogs 15 months or age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners Listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate.

**PRIZES AND AWARDS:** Rosettes will be awarded to the 1st through 4th place dog in each jump height in each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. A decorated MACH bar and MACH ribbon will be awarded to any dog and handler earning their MACH title at this event. No ribbons or prizes will be mailed.

**WAIT LIST:** This club is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the September 3rd closing date. A maximum of 40 entries (runs, not dogs) will be placed on the wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the closing date and time of March 17th at 8:00 p.m. Any entries withdrawn by March 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. will be replaced by a wait listed entry, if available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list and into the trial will receive a full refund.

**CLASSES:** All Standard and Jumpers with Weaves titling classes will be offered. There will be no FAST, ISC or non-regular classes at this trial. Electronic timers will be used.

**EQUIPMENT:** All equipment meets AKC specifications. Contacts are rubberized and weave pole spacing is 24".

**CATALOGS/RUNNING ORDERS:** Running orders will be posted the day of the trial and available on request to exhibitors. Full catalogs will be available by presale, with a limited number on hand for sale the day of the trial. If you would like a catalog, please check the box on your entry form, and include \$10.00 in addition to your entry fee.

**NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:** Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, excused, disqualified, or barred from the competition by action of the Show Committee. No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. Any bitch that comes into season after the closing date may have their entry fee returned, less \$5 per run administrative fee, by providing the trial secretary with a signed statement from a veterinarian at least ½ hour before judging begins. There will be no refund for injured dogs after the closing date.

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 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 cases, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

The club reserves the right to remove any animal in distress from a parked vehicle or crate, and all persons attending this agility trial hereby waive any claim for damages against the club for such removal.

Dogs are not required to be at the trial until the scheduled time of judging, however handlers arriving after the scheduled course walk through for their class has taken place are not guaranteed a chance to walk the course. All dogs not needed for further judging are excused. The owner/handler is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when the class is to be judged. Conflicts between rings should be discussed with the judge prior to the start of the class and the gate steward notified.

Exhibitors and spectators are expected to keep the show grounds clean. Please pick up after your dogs. Anyone witnessed not picking up after their dog will be excused from the trial weekend with no monies refunded. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. Exhibitors are required by the state of Illinois to maintain proof of either rabies vaccination or titer.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the official AKC entry form for this event.

**SITE INFORMATION:** The agility trial will be held at Sports Plex. Fast food restaurants are nearby. Pinch/prong collars are not allowed on the show site. Flexi leads must not be extended at all inside the building. Crate mats or other ground cover must be used underneath all crates. Unentered dogs are not allowed on the show site. Dogs must use the specified exercise area. Do not allow dogs to relieve themselves on the shrubbery or landscaping. Anyone caught not cleaning up after their dogs or exercising them in prohibited areas will be asked to leave, and may be subject to a Committee hearing. In such case, no refund of any fees will be made!

RV Parking is allowed on site, but spots will be assigned. Please contact Cathy Fleury, Trial Chairman, to make reservations.

Directions to the site are as follows:

From the north, take I-90 to the Randall Road exit. Go south on Randall Road approximately 11.5 miles to Dean Street and turn left. Continue on Dean Street for .4 miles and turn left on 17<sup>th</sup> Street. Drive .1 miles to Foundry Street and turn right.

From the south, take I-88 to the Orchard Road exit and drive north to Randall Road. Turn left onto Randall road and continue north approximately 8 miles to Dean Street. Turn right onto Dean and drive .4 miles to 17<sup>th</sup> Street then turn left and go .1 miles to Foundry Street. Turn right onto Foundry.

From the east or west, take Route 64/North Avenue/Main Street to Randall Road. Head north on Randall, cross the rail road tracks and turn right at the first stop light, Dean Street. Drive .4 miles to 17<sup>th</sup> Street and turn left, then drive .1 miles to Foundry Street and turn right.

The following hotels will accept guests with dogs, but may have restrictions or additional fees. Please be a responsible pet owner and keep the hotel rooms and grounds clean

Super 8: 1520 E. Main Street (Rt. 64 & Tyler Road), St. Charles, IL	630-377-8388
Best Western: 1635 E. Main Street, St. Charles, IL	630-584-4550
Days Inn: 100 S. Tyler Road, St. Charles, IL	630-513-6500
Red Roof Inn: 1698 W. Diehl Road (I-88 & Rt. 59), Naperville, IL	630-369-2500



**Fox Valley Dog Training Club**

**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 lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. 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** program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. Box.

**Junior Handlers** should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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 entry 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: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Sat. March 31	<input type="radio"/> Standard only (\$24)	<input type="radio"/> Jumpers only (\$24)	<input type="radio"/> STD & JWW (\$38)
Sun. April 1	<input type="radio"/> Standard only (\$24)	<input type="radio"/> Jumpers only (\$24)	<input type="radio"/> STD & JWW (\$38)
	<input type="radio"/> Catalog \$10		

ENTRY FEE is \$24.00 for each dog for the first entry, and \$14.00 for the additional entry of the same dog, per day. Entries open at 8:00 a.m. on February 6, 2012. Mail entries with fees payable to FVDTC to Beth Elliott, 9N909 Koshare Trail, Elgin, IL, 60124. Final closing date is March 17, 2012 at 8 p.m.

**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 CIRCLE THE JUMP HEIGHT			
REGULAR CLASSES 8 12 16 20 24 26		PREFERRED CLASSES 4 8 12 16 20	
CIRCLE CLASS SELECTIONS – ONE PER TYPE (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)			
STANDARD AGILITY		JUMPERS WITH WEAVES	FAST
Nov-A Nov-B Open Exc-A Exc-B	Nov-A Nov-B Open Exc-A Exc-B	Nov-A Nov-B Open Exc-A Exc-B	Nov-A Nov-B Open Exc-A Exc-B
Nov-P Open-P Exc-AP Exc-BP	Nov-P Open-P Exc-AP Exc-BP	Nov-P Open-P Exc-AP Exc-BP	Nov-P Open-P Exc-AP Exc-BP
TIME 2 BEAT	NON-REGULAR AGILITY CLASSES (if offered)		SELECT JUMP HEIGHT
T2B T2B-P	INTERNATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES CLASS		STD JWW 14 18 26
AKC REGISTERED NAME (Include AKC titles only)			CALL NAME OF DOG

<input type="checkbox"/> AKC REG. NO. (Enter number here)	DATE OF BIRTH
<input type="checkbox"/> ILP <input type="checkbox"/> PAL	PLACE OF BIRTH (List Country)
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO.	

BREEDER \_\_\_\_\_

SIRE \_\_\_\_\_

DAM \_\_\_\_\_

ACTUAL OWNERS \_\_\_\_\_

OWNERS ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  NEW ADDRESS

CITY, STATE, ZIP +4 \_\_\_\_\_

HANDLER \_\_\_\_\_ If Junior Handler, please enter number below

FEE ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBITOR/OWNER MUST READ AND SIGN THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM**

