

Agility Trial Premium List

**NADAC**  
**SANCTIONED AGILITY TRIAL**  
(North American Dog Agility Council)



**Hosted by: Canine Agility Training Society, Swanzey, NH**

**Saturday & Sunday August 25-26, 2018**

**Location:**

**Monadnock Humane Society**

**101 West Swanzey Road,**

**(Route 10)**

**Swanzey, NH**

**Surface: Outside on grass, fully fenced**

**Judge: Mike Whall from Massachusetts**

**DOUBLE RUN FORMAT** (Run same course twice, one walk thru with the exception of Touch N Go and Weavers on Saturday)

**Classes Offered:**

Saturday: Touch N Go, 2 Regular, 2 Chances, Weavers, 2 Barrelers

Sunday: 2 Tunnelers, 2 Hoopers, 2 Jumpers, 2 Regular

Elite, Open, Novice, Intro

Standard, Veterans, Junior Handler

No Entries Accepted with POST MARK Date Before Wednesday, July 11, 2018

Entries Close at 6:00pm, Wednesday, August 15, 2018.

or when limit is reached

**This trial is limited to 500 “traditional” runs, with no more than 350 runs with jumps.**

**IMPORTANT.** Please check your dog's NADAC registration number on your trial confirmation as soon as you receive it; also, please check the copy of the results posted at the trial. You should report any errors to the Trial Secretary immediately.

NADAC records trial results as they are submitted by the host clubs/groups. The individual trial results submitted by the club are uploaded to the [www.NADACForum.com](http://www.NADACForum.com) within two weeks after the NADAC office receives them from the club. Please accept the responsibility to review those results, and check that your registration number and qualifying points, as reported by the club, are correct. You can join the Forum by going to [www.NADACForum.com](http://www.NADACForum.com) and submitting your request. If you find an error in the reporting of your dog's qualifying points or registration number, please contact the host club. The host club is responsible for correcting any errors and informing NADAC.

**Levels.** Points earned at a higher level of a class, prior to the completion of the lower level title, will not be recorded by NADAC for future use. If a dog earns points in a level of a class that they are not eligible to title in, those points will not be added to the dog's records.

**Non-Jumping Classes—Veteran or Disabled Handler.** Handlers who are 60 years or older, or who have a disability that restricts mobility, may choose to enter the non-jumping classes as a Veteran Handler and receive 10% more standard course time. This option is for Veteran/Disabled handlers in the non-jumping classes only. The Veteran/Disabled Handler division is designed for handlers who, due to age or impairment, are mobility limited and need extra time to guide their canine partners through an agility course. When entering as a Veteran/Disabled Handler, you must enter all dogs in all classes for the entire trial in this Division and must jump 4" lower than your Proficient, Standard Division jump height requires. In the non-jumping classes, dogs will be scored and placed with their Standard Division jump height.

**As of January 2014:** Dogs must enter the Veterans Division in all jumping classes after their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday. After their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday, dogs must enter the Skilled Category, Veterans Division for jumping classes and Skilled Category for non-jumping classes.

**Awards:** Rosettes will be awarded for new titles. Double flat ribbons will be awarded for Qualifying scores. Placements Ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> place in each class except Chances. Chances is a pass/fail class so no placement ribbons are awarded. We will have NATCH ribbons and bars available as well!

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Below is a brief summary of NADAC rules.

Please refer to [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com) for a full explanation of all NADAC rules and up to date information. You'll also find it helpful to join the NADAC Forum at [www.nadacforum.com](http://www.nadacforum.com)

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 be a \$25.00 service charge for bank returned checks.

\*\*Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted.  
<http://nadac.com/afm/dogregfrm.asp>

A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site:  
[www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com)

**Facility opens at 7:00 AM (subject to change –please read your final confirmation)**  
**First walk through at 7:30 AM, general briefing at 7:45 AM, first dog on line at 8:00 AM**  
**Check in and Measure** will begin at 7:15 AM Saturday and Sunday.

All dogs entered in the Proficient category, Standard Division for Novice, Open or Elite jumping 8", 12" or 16" are required to be measured.

Dogs jumping 20" are not required to be measured, nor are Veteran or JH dogs that jump 16", nor are Skilled category dogs at any jump height.

Height cards are not issued for dogs jumping 20". Dogs with permanent height cards need not be measured.

Jump Height Exemptions: Dogs listed on the Jump Height Exemption list are not required to be measured.

It is believed that, at all times, handlers will enter their dogs at the appropriate heights, using sound ethics and good sportsmanship. This height exemption is for the health and well-being of the dog, not to give one dog a competitive edge over another dog. NADAC assumes that any handler who enters a dog at a lower lever height has done so to maintain the longevity and good health of their canine companion.

**General briefing** will be at approximately 7:45 each day and may be following the first walk through. Either way, the first dog on the line no later than 8:00 am both days. This schedule is tentative. Please see confirmation for exact times.

## TRIAL COMMITTEE:

Trial Secretary	Michelle Whall: <a href="mailto:mickeycw@aol.com">mickeycw@aol.com</a> (508) 699-9276
Trial Chair	Donna Allen <a href="mailto:donnaa6546@gmail.com">donnaa6546@gmail.com</a> (603) 585-3401
Chief Course Builder	Mark Gwillim
Hospitality:	Gayle Treat

### Move-Ups and Move-Downs

There will be no same day move-ups: however, if you title on Saturday, you may move up or down for Sunday. Move Up forms will be available at the score table. Move-Ups MUST be requested no later than 15 minutes after the last scores of the day are posted on Saturday – No exceptions.

### FEE STRUCTURE

#### Individual Runs      (combined total number of runs for all dogs in household)

1-4 Runs	\$15.00 per run
5-11 Runs	\$14.00 per run
12-20 Runs	\$13.00 per run
21-36 Runs	\$12.00 per run
37+ Runs	\$11.00 per run
Jr. Handler (17 & under)	\$7.00 each (all classes)

### Important Dates

- Refunds: ALL ENTRY WITHDRAWALS MUST BE RECEIVED IN WRITING (email preferred, [mickeycw@aol.com](mailto:mickeycw@aol.com)) BY THE TRIAL CLOSE DATE of August 15, 2018.
- Move Ups/Downs: The deadline for move-ups is 6 PM ET, Monday, August 20, 2018. Contact Michelle Whall by email (preferred) at [mickeycw@aol.com](mailto:mickeycw@aol.com).

### Entry Information

- **PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR ENTRY IS LEGIBLE!** If we can't read them we can't enter you in the trial ☺
- **Please be sure to include all correct fees and required information on the entry form.** Any entry missing required information and/or does not include correct fees will be returned to the exhibitor unprocessed.
- **Checks not honored by the bank DO NOT constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$30 service charge for checks returned by the bank.**
- Express mail entries must include signature release to avoid returned entries. However, express mail is not required to enter this trial.

### Policies & Information

- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, snow, an act of God, public emergency, an act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Slatless & rubber coated contacts will be used.
- All dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring.
- Dogs must be appropriately crated or penned when not with their handlers/owners. Dogs may not be left unattended tied to chairs, doors, etc.
- There will be no refunds in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition regardless of the reason for such dismissal.

- A withdrawal from the competition after the closing date due to a dog's injury and/or illness and/or a bitch coming into season after the closing date will be eligible for a refund up to 50% of the total entry fee paid. A veterinarian's notice of injury or illness will be required for a refund and must be provided by the end of the trial on Sunday.

### **Food**

**Light snacks will be available to workers. There will be a list of places nearby where lunch may be purchased. There are several places within a mile where take out is available**

### **SITE INFORMATION & AMENITIES**

**The MHS store will be available to purchase dogs treats and toys.**

- Set up on Friday between 4 PM and 6:30 PM
- Please clean up after your dogs! Anyone not doing so at the trial site or hotels will be dismissed from the trial with no refund.  
This is NOT a containerized Trial
- There will be picnic tables where you can eat.
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- Light Worker Snacks will be available.
- Indoor Bathrooms. One outside porta- potty near the ring
- There is a large field for the dogs to play in and 2 enclosed areas for warm up.
- New this year, shaded area to set up tents, chairs and x-pens opposite the gates to the ring.

### **HOTELS/MOTELS**

Always confirm rates and pet policy when making reservations.

#### **Days Inn**

3 Ashbrook Rd. - Route 9, Keene, NH  
603-352-9780

#### **Best Western Sovereign**

401 Winchester Street, Keene, NH  
603-357-3038

#### **Holiday Inn Express**

175 Key Rd., Keene, NH  
603-352-7616

#### **Motel Courtesies**

Please check that these hotels still accept pets, and ask about any extra pet fees. Cover the motel's bedding with a sheet. Please pick up after your pet and dispose of properly.

It is also a good idea not to leave your dog(s) alone in the room.

### **RV PARKING**

Limited RV Parking for Self Contained Vehicles is available at \$15 per night. Please make check payable to Monadnock Humane Society and include with premium. For more information email Donna at [donnaa6546@gmail.com](mailto:donnaa6546@gmail.com)

### **CAMPGROUNDS**

Ashuelot River Campground – 152 Pine St. 603-357-5777, [ashuelotriverscampground.com](http://ashuelotriverscampground.com). This campground is less than five miles from the trial site.

### **Directions to Show Site**

You can use Map quest or GPS directions for

101 West Swanzey Road, Swanzey, NH

The Monadnock Humane Society is located in Swanzey, New Hampshire.

At the junction (rotary) of Rt.101 and Rt. 10 take Rt. 10 south towards Winchester, NH for 1.3 miles. You will see the Monadnock Humane Society on your right.

## **Emergency Veterinary Services**

Cheshire Animal Hospital - 603-352-8585, 505 Winchester St., Keene, NH  
Park Place Veterinary Hospital, 603-357-4049, 92 Old Homestead Hwy., N. Swanzey, NH  
Robert Desena, DVM, 876-3760, 115 Main St., Marlborough, NH

### **TENTATIVE RUN ORDER (Subject to Change)**

Saturday- Touch N Go, 2 Regular, 2 Chances, Weavers, 2 Barrelers

Sunday- 2 Tunnelers, 2 Hoopers, 2 Jumpers, 2 Regular

If you haven't entered a NADAC trial in a while here is some information that might help you fill in your entry form. If you need further information please refer to the full Exhibitor's Handbook at [www.NADAC.com](http://www.NADAC.com).

Elite-all Proficient and Skilled points are now combined to earn titles and the NATCH and Versatility NATCH awards. Elite-level runs that qualify for the Platinum Speed Star and Purple Achievement Awards are combined for the two Categories; see the **Titles and Awards** section for more details.

#### **Categories:**

Each class will be split into two categories, Proficient and Skilled. **A dog may only be entered in ONE category per weekend.** The dog must be entered in all Proficient or all Skilled categories for all classes entered on a particular weekend.

In the **Proficient Category**, dogs must jump their measured jump height per the current jump height table. There are five Standard Division-Proficient jump heights: 8", 12", 16", 20".

In the **Skilled Category**, exhibitors **MUST** jump their dog one jump height lower than they are required to jump in the Standard Division in the Proficient Category. There are four Standard Division-Skilled jump heights: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

For example, a dog who measures to jump 20" in the Standard division, Proficient category, must jump 16" in the Standard division, Skilled category and will receive the benefit of the additional time allotted to the 16" dogs. If this same dog is also a Veteran, or is handled by a Veteran/Disabled Handler or Junior Handler, he may enter the Veteran or JH Division and jump another 4" lower. This dog would receive the time allotted to the 16" Vets jumping 12".

Runs in both Proficient and Skilled must be clean, with no course faults or time faults, in order to qualify. However, in Regular Agility the run may receive a 5-point qualifier if the total number of faults (time- or course-faults) are 5 or fewer.

#### Double Run Format:

When 2 runs of the same class are offered you may enter one or both runs. That said, you may Q on 1 run, 2 runs, or not at all. When there are 2 classes we will have one walk thru, run the first run according to the gate sheets and then start running the 2<sup>nd</sup> class according to the gate sheets without another walk thru. It is the same course so you have a chance to try different handling or "improve" on that "one" thing you wish you had done better. It is a lot of fun.

**SATURDAY – POT LUCK!! EVERYONE ATTENDING THE TRIAL AND ALL CATS MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO JOIN US. THE POT LUCK WILL BE AT APPROXIMATELY 5:00!**

**Canine Agility Training Society  
NADAC Agility Trial Entry Form  
August 25-26, 2018**

Owner											
Address											
City					State			Zip			
Email	Check here if this is a new email address _____										
Phone											
Dog Call Name											
Breed							Sex				
NADAC Registration # (required):											
Dogs Height at Withers						DOB					
<b>JUMP HEIGHT – Circle the height you would jump in STANDARD.    4    8    12    16    20</b>											
Please Circle ONE category only						Proficient			Skilled		
Class Entered	Division				Level				Day		
	JH	VET	VET HAND	STD	Intro	Novice	Open	Elite	Saturday	Sunday	
Regular 1											
Regular 2											
Chances 1											
Chances 2											
Jumpers 1											
Jumpers 2											
Touch N Go											
Weavers											
Tunnelers 1											
Tunnelers 2											
Hoopers 1											
Hoopers 2											
Barrelers 1											
Barrelers 2											
HANDLER NAME								Entry Fees			

Make Checks Payable to: Canine Agility Training Society  
 Mail To: Canine Agility Training Society - August Trial,  
 c/o Michelle Whall, 144 Lyman Street, North Attleboro, MA 02760

**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 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 floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fitting, 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 release NADAC (including NADAC officers, directors, employees, and members), Canine Agility Training Society (including its officers, directors, and members, and event organizing committee), Monadnock Humane Society (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 assume sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save 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 be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

1.6. Exhibitor understands there is a returned check fee of \$30.00.

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In consideration of the acceptance of the entry, I/we agree to abide by the rules and Regulations of NADAC LLC. in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by the board of NADAC for this trial. I/We certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or to other dogs. I/We further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed above.

**EXHIBITOR OR OWNER MUST READ AND SIGN THIS FORM. PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF JUNIOR HANDLERS MUST SIGN.**

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Signature of Owner/Exhibitor Date

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Signature of Parent of Legal Guardian of Minor Date

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Telephone Email (please print legibly)

Okay to receive Confirmation via email?      Yes      No