

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR ENTRY IN THE

## MILE HIGH AGILITY CLUB OF BOULDER

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

# August 10-11, 2024

AKC AGILITY TRIAL AT

## APEX FIELD HOUSE 5724 OAK STREET, ARVADA, CO 80002

ENCLOSED IS SPECIFIC INFORMATION RELATING TO YOU AND YOUR DOG. PLEASE TAKE A FEW MOMENTS TO CHECK IT OVER CLOSELY. PLEASE REPORT ANY INACCURACIES TO THE TRIAL SECRETARY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE to DEB LEWIS, (970.744.1077), deb@lookoutK9Trials.com

#### TRIAL AND SITE REGULATIONS. AVAILABILITY & CRATING

Paper Gate sheets will be used for check in and running. Results will be physically posted. Maps will be posted at <a href="https://www.lookoutk9trials.com">www.lookoutk9trials.com</a> the morning of each event, after midnight. Posted map copies will also be available at the trial.

Important information regarding dogs in the APEX Field House:

- The Facility Management has asked us to keep dogs out of the lobby area. Many groups are using the building and the staff is concerned about the dogs going through the lobby area with all the children present.
- Dog Treats will be allowed on the turf, but to minimize the chances of dropped treats, the club will also have a special treat area available for dogs entering or exiting the ring, please be careful so we don't lose this privilege. Only dogs getting ready to run are allowed on the turf.
- DO NOT ALLOW YOUR DOG TO RELIEVE ITSELF ON THE FLOWERS, LANDSCAPING OR ROCK AREAS ALONG THE WALK WAYS AND BUILDING SURROUNDINGS.

You can make it easier to hold future dog events at this facility by adhering to the following site requirements:

- Only dogs that are getting ready to run, that are running, or that just ran are allowed on the turf. Unentered dogs are not allowed on the turf.
- To minimize traffic on the turf and to give dogs warming up and cooling down as much room as possible, we are asking you to leave your personal chair outside the turf area unless you are working in the ring and prefer your own chair for your volunteer assignment.

#### Crating:

- Please bring clean mats to put under your crates. The cleaner we leave the facility, the easier it will be for clubs to schedule events here. It also helps reduce the impact of cleaning expenses on entry fees.
- Please be courteous with your set up. The aisle ways are narrow, and everyone should make an attempt to allow as much space for dogs and handlers to move about as possible. There is ample space available for crates and chairs, but not for extras like tables and excessive storage. The trial committee reserves the right to rearrange set ups if necessary to accommodate all participants.
- X-Pens are permitted, but size should be appropriate to the number of dogs within.
- Please leave the corners and wider aisle areas for those with large dogs and the tight aisle near the penalty boxes for small dog crates.
- Please remember to keep the exit ways more open, as everyone must pass through these areas, and they should have a space that lets them be comfortable doing so.
- Please respect "NO CRATING" areas.

## Trial set up:

- Set up starts at 6:30 am on Saturday. We would greatly appreciate assistance with set up Saturday morning. So that we may prepare for the trial as quickly as possible.
- No Friday set up.

## FOOD AND REFRESHMENTS AT THE TRIAL

No Food Vendor will be onsite for this event. Several food establishments are close by.

Filtered water is available in the arena. Please bring your own water bottle.

## **VOLUNTEERS**

Please consider helping at this trial by volunteering. Volunteer positions can be obtained by signing up directly at

**MHACB Trial Volunteer Sign Up Form** 

(Questions? Chief Ring Steward Bruce deMichaels <bruce.demichaels@gmail.com>)

#### **USEFUL INFORMATION ABOUT THE APEX FIELD HOUSE:**

- The facility contains two full-sized turf arenas connected by a lobby. We will be using the south field. As you stand in the parking lot looking at the lobby, our field will be the one on the right. The door on the southwest corner of the building will provide the easiest access to the field and it will be open during trial hours.
- The arena is climate controlled, with built in radiant heat and evaporative cooling as needed.
- The parking lot is close to the arena, so crating out of the car is a viable option depending on weather conditions. The trees in the parking lot are not mature enough to provide useful shade.
- Some bleacher seating for spectators is available outside the field. Tables and chairs are also available in the lobby.
- Grassy parks and athletic fields surround the facility. Dogs are allowed in the parks. Dogs must be leashed.
- The areas around the building and parking lot that are landscaped with rocks and mulch are off-limits to dogs. Grassy areas are fine.
- Soccer leagues will use the north indoor field during trial hours on Saturday. Expect children in the building.
- Soccer leagues are scheduled on our field at 5:00 pm on Sunday. We have a full trial, so your assistance with clean up on Sunday would be appreciated.

### TRIAL AND SITE HOURS SATURDAY and SUNDAY:

The trial site opens at 6:30 am. Judging starts at 8:00 am on Saturday and 7:30 AM on Sunday. The site remains open until 30 minutes after conclusion of judging.

#### NO DOGS MAY BE LEFT IN THE BUILDING OVERNIGHT.

#### VETERINARY & EMERGENCY INFORMATION

TRIAL VETERINARIAN (on call):

#### **Animal Urgent Care**

12520 W 64th Ave, Arvada CO 80004 303-342-0738

Directions: Animal Urgent Care is located at the SW corner of 64th Avenue and Ward Road. Head north on Oak Street toward Van Bibber Creek Trail, turn left onto W 58th Avenue. Turn right onto Ward Road. Us the left land to turn left onto W 64th Avenue, (pass by Burger King on the left). Make a U turn and the destination will be on the right. A map to the Urgent care facility will be at the show site by the treat table.

NEAREST HOSPITAL: Lutheran Medical Center

8300 West 38th Avenue, Wheat Ridge, CO 80033 \* (303) 425-4500

Directions: Go south on Oak Street, then west on 56th Pl. Turn right on Kipling. Turn left on 38th Ave. The hospital is on the right.

ON SITE EMERGENCY PHONE: (970) 744-1077

## **ROUTES TO THE TRIAL**

\*\*There are several facilities throughout Arvada that start with the prefix "APEX." Our trial is in the APEX Field House. Please review the following directions to ensure that your GPS system, if you choose to use one, does not take you to the wrong facility. \*\*

From the intersection of I-70 and Kipling, go north. Turn left on 58<sup>th</sup> Ave, and then take the next left on Oak Street. The Apex Field House is on the left.



#### AREA ACCOMMODATIONS

## Please check with Hotels for current information regarding fees and pet policies.

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well -mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.

Motel 6 - 9920 W. 49th, Wheat Ridge, CO 80033 (I - 70 and Kipling) 303 - 424 - 0658.

MHACB does not guarantee availability at these hotels. You are REQUIRED to clean up after your dog at all of these motels. All dogs should be aired on lead. DO NOT leave dogs unattended inside motel rooms. Please crate your dogs while in motel rooms. The future for using these motels for all Dog Sports is in your hands. PLEASE do not damage any motel rooms or their surrounding areas. Your cooperation will ensure the future availability of the area motels. Failure to comply with these simple courtesies is grounds for a show committee, which can result in suspension of AKC privileges and prohibit participation in all future MHACB events.

RV's:

The facility will not allow overnight RV parking. RV daytime parking only in the lower parking adjacent to the field house.

The facility will not allow RVs on the concrete parking lot near the building.

Offsite RV Parks:

Dakota Ridge - 17800 W. Colfax, Golden CO 80401 (12 miles from site. 303 - 279 - 1625.

Prospect Park - 12600 E. 44th, Wheat Ridge CO 80033 (I - 70 and 44th). 303 - 424 - 4414.

WalMart at I - 70 and Youngfield, Wheat Ridge CO 80033 (overnight parking only, no facilities).

MHACB does not guarantee availability at these motels or RV facilities.

## AFTER CLOSING WAIT LIST

#### THERE ARE NO WAIT LISTED DOGS FOR THIS EVENT. NO ENTRY PULLS ARE AVAILABLE AFTER THE CLOSING DATE.

## **MOVE UPS AND CLASS CHANGES**

From Chapter 1, Section 20: Move-Up entries will be accepted for dogs that have completed a title after the closing date. Email notification of move up or class change is acceptable, with return receipt verification from the secretary. Either Move Up forms or emails must be completed and delivered to the Trial Secretary prior to 6 PM on the Monday evening preceding the event. Move-up entries for Sunday must be delivered to the Trial Secretary within 30 minutes of the conclusion of judging of the class they are moving up from. Dogs so moved up will run at the end of the running order. Move-ups can only be accepted if judging limits are not exceeded.

Entry move-up valid only if the dog was already entered in the Event indicated and only if approved by the Trial Secretary. Dogs moved up will run at the end of the class running order.

## Effective February 1, 2017

Regulations for Agility Trials: Chapter 1, Section 21. Change of Entry. In addition to Move-ups as described in Chapter 1, Section 20 entries may also be changed as noted in this section. A dog which has been entered in a Novice "A" class for which it is not eligible to be entered in due to class restrictions on the dog or handler may be moved to the Novice "B" class under the following conditions:

The request for the move must be in writing and presented to the superintendent or trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each trial. The request must state the reason and justification for the move from a Novice "A" class to the Novice "B" class.

After the close of entries, a dog may be moved down in their class level (i.e., Master to Excellent). The request for the move to the class for which the dog is eligible must be in writing and submitted to the superintendent or trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial.

If a VMO or Field Representative at a trial measures a dog into a height other than what they entered, the entry may be changed from Regular to Preferred or from Preferred to Regular, as long as the dog has not run any classes that day. If the dog has already run, the change may be made for the next trial day(s). The exhibitor must provide the Trial Secretary the AKC Agility Measurement Form when requesting the class change.

If your dog needs to be measured, there will be VMOs present at this trial.

# **MHACB Trial Hours & Schedule of Events**

The trial site opens at 6:30 both days. Judges starts at 8:00 am Saturday, and 7:30 am Sunday.

The site remains open until 30 minutes after conclusion of judging.

Classes will be judged in the following order. Breaks may be called at the judge's discretion. Preliminary running order contingent on move-up entries not yet received and wait listed entry changes not yet received. (\*\*Judges reserve the right to reorganize the schedule below to accommodate the needs of the trial\*\*) "B" class dogs will run prior to "A" class dogs in the Novice classes, within height classifications, except where otherwise indicated. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, shall be provided for all exhibitors.

## **JUDGES**

Tracy Mazur (96643) Saturday Exc/Mast STD and JWW Classes, All Classes Sunday 354 W GOLDEN HARVEST RD, DRAPER, UT 84020

Mrs. Susan Denning (113091) Novice/Open STD and JWW Classes Saturday only

13899 N Double Tree Trail, Parker, CO 80138

| RING 1 SATURDAY JUDGING 8:00 AM         |     |
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| FIRST BRIEFING/WALK-THRU 7:40 a m       |     |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / 24" - 16" M/MP/E/EP     | 41  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / 20" M/MP/E/EP           | 41  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / 12" - 8" - 4" M/MP/E/EP | 44  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / OPEN (Tall to Small)    | 18  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / NOVICE (Tall to Small)  | 31  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / 24" - 16" M/MP/E/EP     | 41  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / 20" M/MP/E/EP           | 39  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / 12" - 8" - 4" M/MP/E/EP | 45  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / OPEN (Tall to Small)    | 18  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / NOVICE (Tall to Small)  | 25  |
| TOTAL RUNS                              | 343 |

| RING 1 SUNDAY JUDGING 7:30 AM<br>FIRST BRIEFING/WALK-THRU 7:10 am |     |
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| WALK/RUN: STD / 4" - 8" - 12" M/MP/E/EP                           | 43  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / 16" - 24" M/MP/E/EP                               | 44  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / 20" M/MP/E/EP                                     | 37  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / OPEN (Small to Tall)                              | 18  |
| WALK/RUN: STD / NOVICE (Small to Tall)                            | 29  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / 4" - 8" - 12" M/MP/E/EP                           | 44  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / 16" - 24" M/MP/E/EP                               | 43  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / 20" M/MP/E/EP                                     | 37  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / OPEN (Small to Tall)                              | 17  |
| WALK/RUN: JWW / NOVICE (Small to Tall)                            | 29  |
| TOTAL RUNS  | 340 |

KEY:

E= Excellent Regular EP= Excellent Preferred M=Master Regular MP=Master Preferred