

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

First Received/Hand Deliveries – *Entries received within 24 hrs. of the opening date and time must be mailed/delivered to the Trial Secretary's P.O. Box. No hand carries will be accepted during this period. If these conditions are not met, the entries are not valid and must be returned to the sender.* Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

This club is not offering a wait list after the trial's closing date/time

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and are able to perform all obstacles safely.

Chairs only (no crating) in the two fields containing the Std. and JWW rings.

Puppies under 4 months of age are strictly prohibited from the grounds.

All dogs must be on a leash at all times on the grounds except when in the ring, when in the designated agility warm-up area, when crated, or when in a secure ex-pen.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

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 Trial Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund will be made of any entry fees paid.

Refunds (all but \$7 per dog per run of the entry fees) will be made for **bitches in season only.** (Veterinarian's note or other form of proof must be presented.) The Trial Secretary must be notified of such claims for refund in writing no later than noon on the trial date (preferably as early as possible after the closing of entries).

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitors may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY basis.

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

THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES WILL BE LIMITED TO 660 RUNS PER DAY
ENTRIES OPEN at 8:00 a.m. Thursday April 20, 2017 EDST and
ENTRIES CLOSE at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday May 31, 2017 EDST,
at the Trial Secretary's P.O. Box, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chap. 11, Sect. 6 of the Dog Show Rules.

****Accepting Online Entries for This Trial: Information Inside****

PREMIUM LIST

AKC ALL-BREED AGILITY TRIALS

This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program SM



MATTAPONI KENNEL CLUB

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

www.mattaponikennelclub.com

June 17, 2017

#2017093405

and

June 18, 2017

#2017093406

Fredericksburg Field House (Indoors)

**3411 Shannon Park Drive
Fredericksburg, VA 22408**

Show Hours 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary



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AGILITY TRIAL COMMITTEE

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JUDGES

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Saturday - Exc/Mas FAST, All Standard	Saturday – Novice & Open FAST All JWW
Sunday - T2B 20,24,26 All JWW	Sunday - T2B 4,8,12,16 All Standard

ENTRY FEES: \$20 for first run, \$20 for second run and \$15 for the third run per dog per day (Includes AKC recording fees of \$3.50 for the first entry of each dog, and \$3.00 for each additional entry of the same dog each day.)

You may enter this trial online using LabTestedOnline.com. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows 25% online and 75 % paper. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48-hour period, the club reserves the right to increase or decrease either one accordingly.

PLEASE WRITE MKC ON YOUR ENVELOPE.

CONFIRMATION OF ENTRIES: Preliminary confirmations will be sent to all exhibitors who provide a **legible, non-blocked e-mail address**, SASE or postcard. Final confirmations/judging programs will also be sent via e-mail to those providing e-mail addresses. These will be sent after the closing date of June 1, 2016.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians’ recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Owners are responsible for entering the proper class/height division. **Dogs that run in a height division lower than their proper division will be eliminated.**

Height at Withers	Regular Classes Jump Heights	Preferred Classes Jump Heights
11”or less	8”	4”
14”or less	12”	8”
18”or less	16”	12”
22”or less	20”	16”
Greater than 22”	24”	20”
At owner’s discretion	26”	--

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER: This trial is open to all dogs over the age of 15 months that are registered with the American Kennel Club or are registerable breeds that have obtained an AKC ILP or PAL number. **Mixed breed dogs that have been listed with the AKC Canine Partners may participate provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry form.** Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog’s physical or mental performance.

COURSE FAMILIARIZATION (WALK-THROUGHS) AND WARM-UPS: Handlers in all classes will be permitted to walk the course prior to the start of the class. A warm-up area (with a regulation jump) will be provided.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

Rosettes will be awarded to the 1st through 4th place dogs in each jump height division in each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving qualifying scores. Dogs must qualify to receive placement or qualifying ribbons and prizes.

MKC will also offer perfect score ribbons for Novice and Open classes new title rosettes and Double Q rosettes. Those completing MX, MXJ, MXP and MJP titles will receive a rosette. **Those completing MACHs or PACHs** will receive a special rosette, MACH or PACH bar, and a special gift. One toy per dog entered (for the weekend) will be provided at check-in (valued at \$1-\$3).

CLASS ORDER

Sat - STD Ring: Exc/Mstr FAST, Exc/Mstr STD, Open STD, Nov STD
JWW Ring: Open FAST, Nov FAST, Nov JWW, Open JWW, Exc/Mstr JWW

Sun - STD Ring: Time2Beat 4,8,12,16; Exc/Mstr STD, Open STD, Nov STD
JWW Ring: Time2Beat 20,24,26; Nov JWW, Open JWW, Exc/Mstr JWW
Small to Tall both days.

Jump Height Card Process

When filling out the entry form, there is a section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog has a valid jump height card or if your dog needs to be measured. Please check the appropriate box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the Dogs To Be Measured List. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

Move-Ups for the first day of the weekend entered must be received in writing (e-mail is preferable) by the Trial Secretary no later than 6:00 p.m. on Monday June 12, 2017. Move-ups for Sunday must be made by the end of the trial on the previous day. Dogs moved up will be entered at the end of the running order.

EQUIPMENT

The equipment for this event is being provided by M.A.D. Agility Equipment.

For information on equipment sales, you may call M.A.D. at (717-543-5693) or e-mail them at madagility@verizon.net

FOOD SERVICE

Food Service will be available on site.
Volunteers will receive lunch tickets and have access to club hospitality.

VETERINARIAN – ON CALL/24-hr EMERGENCY

Fredericksburg Regional Emergency Clinic 540-372-3470

Directions will be provided in the final confirmation.

MOTEL INFORMATION

Mention Mattaponi Kennel Club when making reservations.

Best Western (contact = Lorraine/Susan)
2205 Plank Rd.
Fredericksburg, VA
540-371-5050

\$89 plus tax, no pet fee
Must reserve room by June 2 to guarantee this rate; however, motel will still honor these rates after June 2 based on availability. Approximately 4.5 miles from trial site.

Note: Large grassy area has been somewhat reduced due to nearby residential construction.

Candlewood Suites (contact = Serena)
4821 Crossings Court
Fredericksburg, VA
540-376-7244

\$75 plus tax (1 bed); \$85 plus tax (2 beds), no pet fee
No deadline on making reservations as long as rooms are available.
Approximately 6 miles from trial site.

Country Inn and Suites (contact - Stefanie Burbage)
5327 Jeff Davis Hwy.
Fredericksburg, VA
540-898-1800

\$92 plus tax (single or double occupancy), no pet fee
Must reserve room by June 2 to guarantee this rate; reservations after June 3 based on availability. Maximum of 5 pets per room. Pet fees waived only if guests book under MKC. If rooms are still available after June 3, a discounted rate may be offered – but it may be higher than the MKC group rate of \$92.
Approximately 4.5 miles from trial site

Please contact individual motels prior to arrival, to verify the information provided above and to be informed about each motel's amenities.

Please keep motel rooms and grounds clean and free of dog debris in order to ensure that these motels will welcome future exhibitors.

Important note: Motels are considered to be part of the show site and as such, exhibitors can and WILL be disciplined as per AKC misconduct guidelines, as warranted. Motels will be asked to report any misbehavior to the club (including room damage, failure to keep dogs on leash, and/or to clean up after them).

General Rules of the Fredericksburg Field House

1. Individuals utilizing this facility do so at their own risk. The property owner(s), league operators, officers, and the FREDERICKSBURG FIELD HOUSE assume no liability for any injuries or accidents that may occur.
2. Conduct within the facility should be in the spirit of good sportsmanship.
3. Rude, inappropriate, and disrespectful language is not tolerated. Facility suspension will be issued for this behavior.
4. Should you find or lose any items, please report this immediately to a Fredericksburg Field House employee. The Fredericksburg Field House does not assume responsibility for any items lost or stolen.
5. **No smoking** anywhere inside the facility.
6. **No food or drinks on playing fields.**

(NOTE: this rule IS relaxed for our agility trials. However, utmost care of the turf is a priority at all times.)
7. No chewing tobacco **or chewing gum** permitted in facility.
8. No sunflower seeds or similar type products are permitted in the facility.
9. **No glass containers on the field** or in the player boxes.
10. Children must be supervised at all times.

Additional Rules Applying to these Agility Trials

1. **No crating in the fields containing the Std. and JWW rings.** Chairs are allowed in these rings.
2. Crating areas will be in other field turf ring(s) not used for competition. **All crates, ex-pens, etc. set up anywhere on field turf MUST have protective barrier underneath.**
3. **Dogs (whether crated indoors or outdoors in vehicles) must be prevented from crate guarding.** If you have a reactive dog, please choose your crating area carefully; if indoors, do not crate on aisles or near other high traffic areas. Be prepared to cover an indoor crate. If crating reactive dogs in vehicles, please park your vehicle in a remote area, and definitely not near high traffic areas such as entrances or pedestrian pathways. **Club members reserve the right to require exhibitors to modify or move their setups based on these issues.**
4. Dogs must be “exercised” ON LEASH in the designated areas outside. ALL dog debris MUST be picked up and placed in proper outdoor containers. **Do NOT walk dogs on the outdoor soccer field.**
5. **Do not allow dogs to eliminate on the landscaping (shrubs) in the front of the building.**
6. **All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their own dogs and themselves - indoors or outdoors.** Be very vigilant about dogs at doorways, corners, etc., in order to avoid indoor accidents.
7. **Do NOT approach field house staff regarding the indoor temperature.** Climate control will be set to the maximum level that the field house can provide. If the predicted temperatures or humidity levels for the weekend are high, please be prepared with appropriate battery-operated fans, cooling pads or other items for your dogs’ comfort, whether you are crating indoors or in your vehicle.
8. All persons attending these events hereby waive any claim for damages against Mattaponi Kennel Club, Inc., or their members in the event a motor vehicle must be entered to rescue a dog from overheating or suffocation due to improper ventilation.
9. In order to ensure that all dogs are under direct control at all times, **NO flexi-leads are to be used anywhere indoors.**

Site Information and Directions

**Fredericksburg Field House
3411 Shannon Park Drive, Fredericksburg, VA 22408**

This site is an INDOOR site (soccer facility - climate controlled). Ring size is 82' x 120'. The surface is "field turf".

All exhibitors and guests are expected to abide by the rules of the field house (outlined in this premium list).

This is a non-smoking facility. Smoking is allowed outside ONLY.

Please clean up after your dogs and yourselves - Help us keep the grounds clean and neat so that dog events will be welcomed here in the future. Do NOT walk dogs on the outdoor soccer field.

Overnight RV/Camping is allowed on site (no hookups).

(Indoor shower facilities are available to exhibitors while building is open each day.)

Please park in RV parking area as directed. If you would like to reserve a space (no charge), please contact Becky Grant at [703-369-3487](tel:703-369-3487) no later than Sunday June 11, 2017.

Directions from I-95:

Take exit 130 A to Fredericksburg/ Route 3 East.
Travel approx. 3 miles.
Take Route 2/17 South toward Bowling Green (Dixon Street). Travel approx. 5 stoplights and turn RIGHT on Shannon Park Dr.
(WaWa is on the Corner). The Field House is the large warehouse style building at the end of the road.

Directions from Route 1:

Take Route 3 East. Travel approx. 1.5 miles.
Take Route 2/17 South toward Bowling Green (Dixon Street).
Travel approx. 5 stoplights and turn RIGHT on Shannon Park Dr.
(WaWa is on the Corner).
The Field House is the large warehouse style building at the end of the road.

Using Alternate Routes:

Take Mine Rd. to Lansdowne Rd.(left)
Turn RIGHT onto Route 2/17 South.
Turn RIGHT at the second stoplight (WaWa is on the Corner).

VOLUNTEER FORM

Mattaponi Kennel Club

We have made every effort to ensure that our agility trials will run smoothly. However, your help would be greatly appreciated. If you are able to help at our trials, please fill out this form and return it with your entry. Thanks in advance for your offer to help!

Volunteer Coordinator: Janet Kolakowski at agileess@starpower.net

Name: _____ City/State: _____

E-Mail _____ Phone # _____

Are you a club member? circle Yes or No
If you are a club member, are you running dogs? circle Yes or No

Class(es) I am entered in: (please circle all applicable)

- | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Exc/Mas Standard 4-8" | Exc/Mas JWW 4-8" |
| Exc/Mas Standard 12" | Exc/Mas JWW 12" |
| Exc/Mas Standard 16" | Exc/Mas JWW 16" |
| Exc/Mas Standard 20" | Exc/Mas JWW 20" |
| Exc/Mas Standard 24"-26" | Exc/Mas JWW 24"-26" |
| Open Standard | Open JWW |
| Novice Standard | Novice JWW |

I can help on: Saturday_ _____ Sunday____

I would be willing to do the following: (please circle one or more)

- | | |
|--------------|----------------|
| Gate Steward | Ring Steward |
| Timer | Leash Runner |
| Scribe | Score Runner |
| Asst. Scribe | Course Builder |

Other: (grounds, breakdown, etc.) _____

Lunch ticket and worker hospitality will be provided for all volunteers.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Mattaponi Kennel Club

Fredericksburg, Virginia

Opens: 4/20/17 • Closes: 5/31/17

Table with columns for Saturday 6/17/17 and Sunday 6/18/17, and rows for STD, JWW, FAST, and T2B classes.

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$20; 2nd run \$20, 3rd run \$15. Make checks payable to: MKC

Mail to: MKC, Debbie Kaufman, PO Box 1639, Inwood, WV 25428

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height / Circle class selections / Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table comparing Regular Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 26") and Preferred Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20") with options for STD, JWW, FAST, and T2B.

Non Regular Classes International Sweepstakes STD JWW NOT OFFERED

ISC Jump Height Select: 14" 18" 26" or Jump Height Same as Reg/Pref

Form fields for dog information: This Dog Needs To Be Measured, BREED, SEX, VARIETY, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, CALL NAME.

AKC* NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields for registration: AKC* NO, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH.

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS NEW ADDRESS

CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.

AGREEMENT

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. 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 any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them.

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 THIS 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.

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.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine PartnersSM 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?

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: _____ Phone #: _____