

### ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Monday – July 30, 2018 8:00a.m. EDT** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. **ENTRIES CLOSE ON Saturday – September 22, 2018 6:00p.m. EDT** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. 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.

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

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### PREMIUM LIST

#### *AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS*

This Event is Accepting Entries for All American Dog  
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program <sup>SM</sup>

### Shenandoah Valley Kennel Club

American Kennel Club Member Club



**October 6, 2018** Event # 2018213009

**October 7, 2018** Event # 2018213010

B-Match on Friday October 5 details inside

### Weyers Cave Community Center

682 Weyers Cave Road, Weyers Cave, VA 24486

### ENTRY LIMITS

330 runs per day Saturday and Sunday

Outdoors on Grass: 2 Rings 100' x 110'

**Trial Hours:** Saturday - Sunday 7:00a.m. to 7:00p.m.



### CERTIFICATION

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

Gina Denardo, Secretary

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## OFFICERS OF THE BLUE RIDGE DOG TRAINING CLUB

President.....Marcella Smith  
 Vice President.....Sharyn Hutchens  
 Secretary.....5590 Sagefield Drive, Harrisonburg VA 22801.....Lisa Kimbrough  
 Treasurer.....Beth Grimm

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Donna Meadows, David Loomis, Wendy Pendleton

| TRIAL CHAIRPERSON   | EVENT COMMITTEE   |
|---|---|
| Wendy Pendleton<br>3171 James Branch Road<br>Harrisonburg, VA 22802<br>540-908-5150<br>Tegansmom2@aol.com | Wendy Pendleton, Kim Matson, Joy McBride,<br>Rinn Siegrist, Marcella Smith,<br>Penny Woodward |

## TRIAL SECRETARY



### **AKC Annually Licensed Agility Trial Secretary**

Debbie Kaufman  
 PO Box 1639, Inwood, WV 25428 (304) 229-9194  
[debbie@versatilek9s.com](mailto:debbie@versatilek9s.com) [www.versatilek9s.com](http://www.versatilek9s.com)

Licensed Associates:  
 Anne Laskey, Barb Miller, Janice Morton

## JUDGE – ALL CLASSES

Mark Upshaw 53138  
 Bloomsburg, PA 17815

## CLASSES OFFERED AND PROPOSED RUNNING ORDER

Classes will alternate between 2 rings. Saturday – small to tall. Sunday – tall to small.

| Ring 1  | Ring 2   |
|---|--|
| 1. FAST (Excellent/Master, Open, Novice)<br>3. Premier Standard<br>5. Excellent/Master Standard<br>7. Open Standard<br>9. Novice Standard | 2. Premier JWW<br>4. Excellent/Master JWW<br>6. Open JWW<br>8. Novice JWW<br>10. T2B |

*Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes.*

*AKC Sanctioned B Match: Friday October 5 with the first walk through at 2:30 p.m. Rings available 3 p.m. – 7 p.m. Preregistration: \$3 runs for \$25. \$10 per run day of entry. You can find the registration form at [www.versatilek9s.com](http://www.versatilek9s.com).*

The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

### HEIGHT DIVISIONS

| REGULAR  | Preferred  | Height at Withers  |
|--|--|--|
| Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division. | Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height. | Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.   |
| 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   |
| 24C"   | n/a  | Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice. |

### MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

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Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog **before** its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

*When filling out the entry form, there is a section at the middle of the form for exhibitors to designate 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.*

### DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of 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), an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

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. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under four (4) months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

### OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. The equipment for this trial is provided by **MAD AGILITY.**

[www.madagility.com](http://www.madagility.com) (717) 543-5693

## ENTRY FEES PER DAY

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| First entry of each dog each day (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee).....      | <b>\$20</b> |
| Each add'l entry of same dog each day (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)....  | <b>\$15</b> |
| <b>Junior Handler fees each run</b> (AKC fees are the same as listed above)..... | <b>\$10</b> |

### Mail entry forms and fees to:

**SVKC**, Debbie Kaufman, PO Box 1639, Inwood, WV 25428.

Please make checks payable to **SVKC**. **DO NOT SEND CASH!** No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. **No hand delivered entries will be accepted for this trial in the first 48 hours of the opening period. Express Mail entries must have a signature required waiver.**

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. **Illegible or incomplete entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor.

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$25 collection fee to the amount of each returned check. **Preliminary confirmations** will be sent to those who provide an email address or SASE/postcard. **Final confirmations** will be sent by USPS only to those not providing an email address or upon specific request.

Please make sure your email account is set to accept email from [Debbie@versatilek9s.com](mailto:Debbie@versatilek9s.com).

**You may enter this trial online using [LabTestedOnline.com](http://LabTestedOnline.com).**

During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows 16% online and 84 % 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.

## COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

## RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Rosettes will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

|                               |                        |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>First Place</i> .....      | <i>Blue</i>            |
| <i>Second Place</i> .....     | <i>Red</i>             |
| <i>Third Place</i> .....      | <i>Yellow</i>          |
| <i>Fourth Place</i> .....     | <i>White</i>           |
| <i>Qualifying Score</i> ..... | <i>Flat Dark Green</i> |

A New Title ribbon will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH/PACH rosette and decorated MACH/PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH/PACH. A toy or treat (\$3 value) will be given to all dogs entered.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

### SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

**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 able to perform all obstacles safely.

**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 an unnecessary disturbance 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 of any fees paid will be made. The **SVKC** and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The **SVKC** reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the SVKC or any official thereof.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

### REFUNDS

**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. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

**Bitches in season** are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. As such, the club will refund all but \$3 per run of the entry fee paid for bitches unable to compete for this reason upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate. This certificate must be presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial. The club will refund all but \$6 per run of the entry fee for injured dogs upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial.

### RINGSIDE

**Dogs may arrive** any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

**Judges are not required** to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

### VENDORS

Please contact Wendy Pendleton at 540-896-2290 or [teqansmom2@aol.com](mailto:teqansmom2@aol.com).

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

## ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

**SVKC** and the **Weyers Cave Community Center** not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

**A food concession** will available on the site.

**Exhibitors are responsible** for cleaning up after their dog(s) at the site and at the hotels. Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show ground.

## VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Shenandoah Valley Regional Veterinary Emergency Service  
(540) 248-1051  
Verona Shopping Center, 465 Lee Highway (U.S. Rt 11)  
Verona, VA 24482

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police  
**911**

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

From North or South: **Interstate 81**, Exit 235 Weyers Cave, VA. Turn east on Route 256 for approximately 1.3 miles to the Weyers Cave Community Center.

From East: **I-64** west to Staunton, then I-81 North to Exit 235. Turn east on Route 256 for approximately 1.3 miles to the Weyers Cave Community Center.

## HOTEL INFORMATION

*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.*

### HOTELS

Days Inn – 273 D. Bells Lane, Staunton, VA 22401  
(540)248-0888

Motel 6 - 96 Baker Ln. Staunton, VA 24401  
(540)248-5111

Comfort Inn – 1440 E. Market St., Harrisonburg, VA 22801.  
(540) 433-6066

Candlewood Suites - 1560 Country Club Rd., Harrisonburg, VA 22801.  
(540) 437-1400.

Days Inn - 1131 Forest Hill Rd. Harrisonburg, VA 22801.  
(540)- 433-9353

Quality Inn - 200 Frontier Drive, Staunton, VA, 24401  
540-887-0200

**RV parking is available.** The Weyers Cave Community Center is now charging for RV parking. The fee is \$20 per night. Reservations are required. There are no hook-ups at this site, and vehicles must stay on the asphalt parking lot. Please contact Wendy Pendleton at 540-896-2290 or tegansmom2@aol.com.

## OFFER TO VOLUNTEER AT THE TRIAL

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP AT OUR TRIAL, PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM AND RETURN IT WITH YOUR ENTRY. WE WILL NOT SCHEDULE YOU TO HELP IN CLASSES IN WHICH YOU ARE ENTERED.

**EXHIBITORS WHO SIGN UP TO HELP WILL RECEIVE A VOUCHER WORTH \$5.00 TOWARD LUNCH OR TOWARD A FUTURE SVKC TRIAL ENTRY.**

HANDLER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE CHECK THE JOBS YOU ARE WILLING TO WORK AND CROSS OUT THE ONES YOU WOULD NOT LIKE TO DO. WE WILL BE HAPPY TO TRAIN YOU IF YOU ARE INEXPERIENCED!

| SATURDAY       |  | SUNDAY         |  |
|----------------|--|----------------|--|
| COURSE BUILDER |  | COURSE BUILDER |  |
| SCRIBE         |  | SCRIBE         |  |
| ASST. SCRIBE   |  | ASST. SCRIBE   |  |
| TIMER          |  | TIMER          |  |
| GATE STEWARD   |  | GATE STEWARD   |  |
| RING CREW      |  | RING CREW      |  |
| SCRIBE RUNNER  |  | SCRIBE RUNNER  |  |
| LEASH RUNNER   |  | LEASH RUNNER   |  |
|                |  |                |  |

I AM SHOWING IN THE FOLLOWING CLASS(ES)

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*THE SHENANDOAH VALLEY KENNEL CLUB APPRECIATES YOUR OFFER TO HELP!*

### AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM

(Do not send this form to AKC. Send it to the Trial Secretary)

#### **USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY**

#### **MOVE-UPS**

Move-ups for the first day a dog is entered must be received in writing by October 1, 2018 6 p.m. Day to day move-ups may be submitted any time during the day, but must be received within 10 minutes of the last class of the day.

Dogs moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

#### **Shenandoah Valley Kennel Club**

**Name of Club** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breed** \_\_\_\_\_

**Call Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dog's AKC Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dog's AKC #** \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Move Entry to:**

#### **Agility Class: (Circle One)**

#### **Jump Height Division: (Circle One)**

|                    |      |           |        |    |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------------------|------|-----------|--------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Regular Standard   | Open | Excellent | Master | 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | 24" | 24C |
| Regular JWW        | Open | Excellent | Master | 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | 24" | 24C |
| Regular FAST       | Open | Excellent | Master | 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | 24" | 24C |
| Preferred Standard | Open | Excellent | Master | 4" | 8"  | 12" | 16" | 20" |     |
| Preferred JWW      | Open | Excellent | Master | 4" | 8"  | 12" | 16" | 20" |     |
| Preferred FAST     | Open | Excellent | Master | 4" | 8"  | 12" | 16" | 20" |     |

**Owners Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Handlers Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(If applicable)

**Signature of owner or agent  
duly authorized to make this entry:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Trial Secretary**

**If Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_





Shenandoah Valley Kennel Club

Weyers Cave, VA

Opens: 7/30/18 • Closes: 9/22/18

Table with 2 rows and 7 columns for dates (October 6, 2018 and October 7, 2018) and class options (Standard, JWW, FAST, T2B, Std Premier, JWW Premier).

Daily Entry Fee: first run each dog, each day- \$20 each additional run each dog, each day \$15

Junior Handler Fees: each run - \$10.

Make checks payable to SVKC

Mail to: SVKC 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 with 2 main columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Each column lists classes (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B) and their corresponding jump heights and options.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes  STD  JWW

Form section for dog information: This Dog Needs To Be Measured (Yes/No), BREED, SEX, VARIETY, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, CALL NAME.

AKC\* NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form section for registration details: AKC\* NO, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY).

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

Form section for owner address: OWNERS ADDRESS, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE ZIP + 4, NEW checkbox.

Form section for handler: HANDLER applicable, ENTER JR. HANDLER # if

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

**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 the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 person. **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. 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 whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice **height division** for all **Regular** titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice. 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<sup>SM</sup>** 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 \_\_\_\_\_

EmailAddress: \_\_\_\_\_  *New Email*

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_