

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES OPEN on Wednesday, April 17, 2019, 8:00 a.m. at the Trial Secretary's address.  
 ENTRIES CLOSE on Wednesday May 29, 2019, 6:00 p.m. 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.  
 Online entries being accepted; details inside

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>

MATTAPONI KENNEL CLUB  
 (Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



www.mattaponikennelclub.com  
**Saturday, June 15, 2019**  
 #2019093405  
 and  
**Sunday, June 16, 2019**  
 #2019093406

Fredericksburg Field House  
 3411 Shannon Park Drive  
 Fredericksburg, VA 22408

ENTRY LIMITS  
 660 runs per day

Trial Hours Saturday & Sunday – 7:00am to 7:00pm



AMERICAN  
 KENNEL CLUB

CERTIFICATION  
 Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding  
 of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.  
 Gina Dinardo, Secretary

OFFICERS OF THE MATTAPONI KENNEL CLUB

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JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Judy Smotrel ZG397 2575 Hawkins Mill Rd. Lynchburg, VA 24503-4968	Jim Smotrel ZG393 2575 Hawkins Mill Rd. Lynchburg, VA 24503-4968
Saturday: JWW, Prem JWW, 20-24" T2B Sunday: Excellent/Master FAST, Standard	Saturday: Standard, Prem Standard, 4-16" T2B Sunday: Open & Novice FAST, JWW

**PROPOSED RUNNING ORDER & JUDGING TIMES**

Small to Tall both days

Saturday - Ring One: Briefing to follow 4-16" T2B  
Standard – Premier, Exc/Master, Open, Novice

Ring Two: Briefing at 8:15 ◦ Judging starts at 8:30  
T2B  
JWW - Novice, Open, Exc/Master, Premier

Sunday -Ring One: Briefing to follow Exc/Master FAST in Ring 2  
Standard – Exc/Master, Open, Novice

Ring Two: Briefing at 7:45 ◦ Judging starts at 8:00  
Exc/Master, Open, Novice FAST  
JWW – Novice, Open, Exc/Master

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

<u>Regular</u>	<u>Preferred</u>	<u>Height at withers</u>
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" and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14" and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18" and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22" and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22" at the withers
24C"	N/A	Dogs who measure into the 8"-20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24C height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24C.

**MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION**

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 or deaf 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.

**ENTRY INFORMATION**

ENTRY FEES: \$20 each for first and second runs, \$15 each for subsequent runs 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.)

Mail entry forms and fees to:  
MKC, Janice Morton P.O. Box 1799, Martinsburg, WV 25402-1799.

Please make checks payable to MKC. No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. 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. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible 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.

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 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.

**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.

Move ups must be received by 6pm Monday, June 10, 2019 in writing. Email is preferred, just reply to confirmation. Day to day move ups are allowed.

## RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

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. Those completing an AGCH will receive a special rosette.

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/>.

## 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.

## OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Indoor on field turf. (soccer facility - climate controlled). Two rings: 82' x 120' each. Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials.

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](mailto:madagility@verizon.net)

## VETERINARIAN ON CALL

### VETERINARIAN – ON CALL/24-hr EMERGENCY

Fredericksburg Regional Emergency Clinic 540-372-3470  
Directions will be provided in the final confirmation.

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police  
911

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

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.

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 and/or injured dogs. (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.

## General Rules of the Fredericksburg Field House

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.

Conduct within the facility should be in the spirit of good sportsmanship.

Rude, inappropriate, and disrespectful language is not tolerated. Facility suspension will be issued for this behavior.

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.

No smoking anywhere inside the facility.

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.)

No chewing tobacco or chewing gum allowed in facility.

No sunflower seeds or similar type products are permitted in the facility.

No glass containers on the field or in the player boxes.

Children must be supervised at all times.

### Additional Rules for These Agility Trials

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. Clubmembers reserve the right to require exhibitors to modify or move their setups based on these issues.

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.

Do not allow dogs to eliminate on the landscaping (shrubs) in the front of the building. 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.

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.

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. In order to ensure that all dogs are under direct control at all times, NO flexi-leads are to be used anywhere indoors.

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

Exhibitors should mention Mattaponi KC when making reservations:

### Candlewood Suites

4821 Crossings Court, Fredericksburg, VA

540-376-7244

\$85 plus tax (1 bed); \$95 plus tax (2 beds), no pet fee.

No deadline on making reservations as long as rooms are available.

NOTE: When you call for reservations, tell the clerk immediately that you are calling for a “dog show” reservation. Otherwise, your call will be forwarded to central reservations, who has no information on the special dog show rate. Approximately 6 miles from trial site.

### Country Inn and Suites

5327 Jeff Davis Hwy., Fredericksburg,

VA 540-898-1800

\$75 (two beds) or \$90 (king bed) plus tax, no pet fee. Deadline on making reservations June 7. Maximum of 5 pets per room (this many cannot be left unattended at any time). Pet fees waived only if guests book under MKC.

Approximately 4.5 miles from trial site.

### Red Roof

5324 Jeff Davis Hwy., Fredericksburg, VA

540-898-1102

\$70 + tax (one or two beds), no pet fee or restrictions. 2<sup>nd</sup> floor – non-smoking doubles; 1<sup>st</sup> floor – non-smoking Kings and smoking doubles.

### Holiday Inn Express

5422 Jefferson Davis Hwy Fredericksburg, VA

540-898-5550 mention Mattaponi Kennel Club

\$94+tax per night (includes pet fee) must reserve by 5/20/19

Onsite RV reservations: Email Lynda Mohr [lkmoehr@gmail.com](mailto:lkmoehr@gmail.com) no later than noon, Thurs, June 13, for reservations.

## DIRECTIONS TO SITE

### 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).



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Mattaponi Kennel Club

Fredericksburg, VA

Opens: 4/17/19 • Closes: 5/29/19

Table with 6 columns: Day, STD, JWW, T2B, Prem Std, Prem JWW. Rows for SATURDAY 6/15/19 and SUNDAY 6/16/19.

Entry Fee: 1st and 2nd run - \$20 each, subsequent runs \$15 each
Make checks payable to MKC.
Mail to: MKC, Janice Morton, PO Box 1799, Martinsburg, WV 25402-1799

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. Sub-columns for jump heights (8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 24C) and class types (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B).

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured (Yes/No), BREED, AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY), SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, VARIETY, CALL NAME.

Form fields: AKC® NO (with registration #), DATE OF BIRTH, ILP NO., PAL NO., FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER, PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY).

Form fields: SIRE, DAM, ACTUAL OWNERS, OWNERS ADDRESS (with NEW ADDRESS checkbox), CITY, STATE ZIP + 4, HANDLER, ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable.

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...

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...

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.

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.

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.

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 #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

# VOLUNTEER FORM

Please print legibly.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Classes and heights entered:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Circle the days you will work:

Saturday    Sunday

Check the jobs you prefer:

- Timer                       Bar Setter  
 Scribe                       Course Builder  
 Assistant Scribe     Gate Steward  
 Leash Runner         Scribe Sheet Runner  
 Any

Volunteers will be given coupons for the snack bar or towards a future entry.

Coordinator: Janet Kolakoski at [agileess@starpower.net](mailto:agileess@starpower.net)