



Verde Valley Dog Agility Club

NADAC AGILITY TRIAL



Saturday, April 24, 2010

Sunday, April 25, 2010

AT

Cottonwood Kid Park  
350 S. 12<sup>th</sup> St., Cottonwood, AZ 86326

Judges

Jeff Lyons, C A

Entries open March 15, 2010

VVDAC  
c/o Bunny Jochim  
P.O. Box 1536  
Cottonwood, AZ 86326

ENTRIES CLOSE: April 14, 2010

No entries accepted prior to March 15, 2010

## Trial Committee

Co-Trial Chairmen: Carrie Burns [mantlemafia@gmail.com](mailto:mantlemafia@gmail.com)

Carla Zimmerman [carlazim@msn.com](mailto:carlazim@msn.com)

Trial Secretary: Bunny Jochim [bjochim@aol.com](mailto:bjochim@aol.com)

Equipment Manager: Alex Figures [k9equip@cox.net](mailto:k9equip@cox.net)

Chief Ring Stewards:

Ring 1—Jennifer Coleman

Ring 2—Karen Edgar

Chief Course Builder:

Ring 1—TBA

Ring 2—Alex Figures

Trial will be held in 2 rings with grass surface. You must provide your own water and shade. As of this date there will not be a food vendor.

### Daily Fees and Package Rates Trial

Regular Agility - \$13 per run, Jumpers - \$13 per run All Other Classes \$10 per run

Weekend (2 Day) Package: \$105 first dog, \$95 second and subsequent dogs

(4 Regular, 2 Jumpers, 2 Chances, 1 Touch N Go, 1 Tunnelers,

Junior Handler Weekend Package \$15:

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### Tentative Running Order

Walk through and briefing will begin at 7:00 am, Judging will begin at 7:30 am

Saturday Ring 1 – Jumpers 1, Chances 1  
Ring 2 –Touch N Go, Regular 1, Regular 2

Sunday Ring 1 – Jumpers 2, Tunnelers  
Ring 2 –Regular 3, Regular 4, Chances 2

**This is a 1 judge, 2 ring trial, and we will alternate between rings.**

Dogs will run small to tall in each ring Saturday and tall to small on Sunday  
(both days subject to change as necessary)

\* Running order is determined alphabetically. Handlers with more than One dog in a class will be separated if possible.

\* All Exhibitors for a given class should be present at ringside at least one half-hour prior to the start of the scheduled classes for walk through and briefing.

\* Any dog and handler not present when called will be ineligible to run.

## Check-In

\*\*\*If you include a readable photocopy of your dog's NADAC card (for max height dogs) OR Permanent Jump height Card, with your entry; you will be automatically checked in. This does NOT apply to dogs who need to be measured\*\*\*

Friday: Early check-in will be 6:00 PM till 6:30 PM only.

Saturday: Check-in and measure in will be at 7 AM till 7:30 AM only.

Sunday: Check-in and measure in will be at 7AM till 7:30 AM only.

Measuring is not optional. If a dog is not measured, if required; it is not eligible to run. So don't miss your check-in/measure-in time.

## Move-Ups

After submitting your entry form, we will accept move-ups or changes in writing only (or e-mail to [bjochim@gmail.com](mailto:bjochim@gmail.com)) through April 19, 2009 at 6:00 PM. No changes will be accepted after this date. This includes if there are any changes that need to be made because of incorrect entry on trial secretary's part. Please read your confirmations carefully prior to April 19th. **MOVE UPS WILL ALSO BE ALLOWED BETWEEN SATURDAY & SUNDAY AT THE TRIAL.**

## Refunds

There will be no refunds for entries 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 bitch coming into season after the closing date will be eligible for a refund up to 75% of the total entry fee paid. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR WITHDRAWAL DUE TO ILLNESS OR INJURY.**

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

### Important Information

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 the trial.

Dogs must have valid NADAC registration numbers before entries will be accepted.

The application for a NADAC registration number is available at: [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com)

Please double-check your entry form to ensure it is filled out completely and correctly. Entry may be returned if missing information is critical to entry.

- We will provide electronic confirmations to all entrants who include their email addresses with their entry. If you included an email address, your confirmation will be sent as an attachment (PDF) in an email. It is your responsibility to make sure that [bjochim@aol.com](mailto:bjochim@aol.com) is allowed by your spam blocker or to change options that strip attachments from emails.
- Confirmation of entry will be sent to the address provided on the entry form (email or snail mail) after closing date. If an exhibitor has not received a copy of the confirmation within 7 days of the closing date, contact the Trial Secretary.
- Please review this confirmation carefully as there ARE ONLY MOVE UPS BETWEEN SATURDAY AND SUNDAY (not on Saturday morning!) at this trial. If there are any changes that need to be made because of incorrect entry on trial secretary's part, you must notify Trial Secretary prior to April 19<sup>th</sup>. Corrections will not be made the day of the show.
- Checks not honored by the bank DO NOT constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$35 service charge for bank returned checks.
- All dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring.
- Neither Alcoholic Beverages nor Smoking will be allowed on the show site.
- Rosettes/Coupons will be awarded to first through fourth places in all jump heights in all classes, except Chances class where no placement rosettes will be awarded as this is a pass/fail class. Rosettes/Coupons awarded for those finishing a title and qualifying Rosettes/Coupons awarded for those achieving a qualifying score.
- The sponsoring club will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result is an accident or other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. 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 of fees paid will be made.

### We reserve the right to refuse entries without reason

#### Proficient/Skilled Categories:

Each class will be split into two categories, Proficient and Skilled.

As of January 2009 in the Skilled Category, dogs must jump 4" lower than than their Proficient, Standard Division jump height requires.

In the Proficient category a qualifying round must be clean; no course faults, and no time faults. Runs in Skilled must be clean, with no course/time faults. However, in Skilled Regular Agility the run may receive a 5-point qualifier if the total number of faults (time or course faults are 5 or fewer).

SEE NADAC FOR NEW RULES

[HTTP://WWW.NADAC.COM/RULES.HTM](http://www.nadac.com/rules.htm)

#### Cottonwood Kid Park

350 S. 12<sup>th</sup> St., Cottonwood, AZ

DIRECTIONS: From Flagstaff take I-17 south; from Phoenix take I-17 north. Take Exit #287 off I-17 and travel west on Hwy 260 approximately 15 miles onto Hwy 260 to Cottonwood. (If you're coming from the north turn right onto Hwy 260; if you're coming from the south turn left onto Hwy 260.)

Turn left at the traffic light where you see Sizzler restaurant on right and Giant Gas station and Taco Bell straight ahead. Continue to next traffic light and turn left, go to next traffic light (12<sup>th</sup> St.) turn right and travel about ¼ mile. You will see Cottonwood Kid Park on left.

From Prescott Valley (Ashfork), you can take Hwy 89A south to Jerome. When you get to the bottom of the hill after leaving Jerome turn right. Go to the third traffic light (12<sup>th</sup> St. in Cottonwood & Auto Zone on right). Turn Left onto 12<sup>th</sup> St. and go approximately ¼ mile. You will see Cottonwood Kid Park on left.

This event will be held outdoors on grass.

#### Overnight RV dry camping will be allowed.

There will be a \$10 per night fee. Any checks should be made out to VVDAC. RV Fee is NOT included in Premium

Dogs, equipment or personal items left on Show Grounds overnight are the responsibility of each exhibitor. Verde Valley Dog Agility Club is not responsible for lost or stolen dogs or equipment.

## Notice to Competitors

This trial will be held under the current rules and regulations of NADAC with Verde Valley Dog Agility Club as the sponsoring club. NADAC rules will prevail. Exhibitors through submission of entry acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations and agree to abide by all the rules in effect at the time of this trial. The trial committee has the right to refuse entry to anyone including anyone not in good standing with NADAC.

### DOGS MUST BE REGISTERED AND HAVE A VALID REGISTRATION NUMBER BEFORE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption List, description of classes, levels and divisions and equipment descriptions are included in the current Exhibitors Hand book.

A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com). Exhibitors may request a hard copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook by sending \$5.00 to:

North American Dog Agility Council, P.O. Box 1206,  
Colbert, OK 74733

**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 files section of the [NADACagility@yahoo.com](mailto:NADACagility@yahoo.com) list within two weeks after the NADAC office received them from the club. The trial results will remain on the list for at least 30 days. 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 [www.NADACagility@yahoo.com](mailto:www.NADACagility@yahoo.com) list and set your settings to "no mail". You will be able to view trial results and check for any possible discrepancies, without receiving list mail. 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 banked 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.

## 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. As used here "NADAC" means the North American Dog Agility Council, Inc., their members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.
2. Exhibitor/owner agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
3. Exhibitor/owner certifies 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.
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, fittings, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.
5. Exhibitor/owner release NADAC, (including their officers, directors, employees, and members), Verde Valley Dog Agility Club (including their officers, directors, employees agents and members) Cottonwood Kid Park (including their officers, directors, employees and agents) and the city of Cottonwood (including its officers, agents and employees) and will defend them and hold them 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 have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.
6. Exhibitor understands there is a returned check fee of \$35.

I have read, understand, and acknowledge the above Agreement and I am knowledgeable of the NADAC Rules and Regulations governing sanctioned agility trials.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner/Exhibitor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian of Minor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone #

Emergency Contact Info: \_\_\_\_\_

Clubs' use only:  
 Entry # \_\_\_\_\_ Rec'd \_\_\_\_\_ Chk# \_\_\_\_\_ Amt \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Verde Valley Dog Agility Club April 24, 25, 2010

Use one entry form per dog entered. PRINT CLEARLY or TYPE all the following information. Entries must be received by April 14 . Any Express mail entries must include signature permitting them to be left at the Secretary's address without recipient signature.  
**SEND FORMS & PAYMENTS TO: VVDAC c/o Bunny Jochim,**  
**P.O. Box 1536, Cottonwood, AZ 86326**

Proficient Jump Height					Skilled Jump Height					
8	12	16	20	20+	4	8	12	16		
Circle height you actually want to jump Vets & JH dog may <b>not</b> jump over 16" 4" Proficnt Ht is for Vet dogs/handlers, disabled handlers, & JH only					Circle height you actually want to jump Note: There are no 20" dogs in skilled. 8" dogs may jump 4" as their std jump ht. Skilled Vet/JH/VH do not jump 16" jump ht.					
					Saturday			Sunday		
Event	Fees	Division(Circle One)			Elite	Open	Novice	Elite	Open	Novice
Regular 1	\$13	Std	Vet	Jr						
Regular 2	\$13	Std	Vet	Jr						
Jumpers 1	\$13	Std	Vet	Jr				N/A	N/A	N/A
Jumpers 2	\$13	Std	Vet	Jr	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Chances 1	\$10	Std	Vet	Jr				N/A	N/A	N/A
Chances 2	\$10	Std	Vet	Jr	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Touch N Go	\$10	Std/Vet & Disabled						N/A	N/A	N/A
Tunnelers	\$10	Std/Vet & Disabled			N/A	N/A	N/A			
Regular \$13 each, Jumpers \$13 each, All Other Classes \$10 each Jr Handlers \$5 each								\$		
Full Weekend Package \$105 Add'l dog \$95 (Same owner/handler) Junior Handler Weekend Package \$15					Coupons/ Credit			\$		
<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED (Make checks payable to: VVDAC)</b>								<b>\$</b>		

#### Owner/Handler Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Handler, if not owner \_\_\_\_\_

Vet or Disabled Handler Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

#### Dog's Information

NADAC Reg. # \_\_\_\_\_ Dog Hgt: \_\_\_\_\_

(You must have a NADAC registration number to enter. Register on-line at [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com))

Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

## PLEASE NOTE:

There will be a Regular Fun Run on Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>. It will begin right after set-up. We are asking all volunteers to show up around 3:00 pm to get the equipment trailer unloaded and the Fun Run course set up so the runs can begin by 4:00 pm. Fee is \$5.00 per run per dog. We will go until dark.

## VOLUNTEERS

We expect exhibitors to help with the trial. There will be a sign-up board for each group at the show. We will be giving a VVDAC coupon to everyone who works. These will be redeemable for future VVDAC trials, VVDAC Fun Runs not associated with trials, or other events.

Thank you for your continued enthusiastic support.

## Accommodations

### Cottonwood:

Pines Motel	920 Camino Real	928-634-9975
Little Daisy Motel	42 S. Main St.	928-634-7865
Best Western	993 S. Main St.	928-634-5575
Quality Inn	302 W. Hwy 89A	928-634-4207

### Sedona:

Matterhorn Inn	230 Apple Ave.	928-282-7176
LaQuinta	6176 Hwy 179	928-284-0711
Sedona Real Inn	95 Arroyo Pinon Dr.	928-282-1414

### Camp Verde:

Days Inn	1640 W. Finnie Flat Rd.	928-567-3700
Comfort Inn	340 N. Industrial Dr.	928-567-9000
Super 8 Motel	1550 W.Hwy 260	928-567-2622

Verde Valley Dog Agility Club expects that all exhibitors will control their dog so that their dog does not bark to excess when not in the rings. This makes the show environment more pleasant for all exhibitors and gives all dogs a chance to qualify without the distraction of barking dogs in close proximity to the rings.