



Warm Up for Regionals!

Sanctioned Agility Trial

May 20, 2012

Entries are Limited. Closing date: May 10 (or when trial is full)

Esteemed Judge:

Arlene Lehmann, Stouffville, Ontario

Classes Offered:

Two rounds of each:

Masters Standard
Masters Gamblers
Masters Jumpers
Steeplechase

Junior Handlers (all classes)

Entry Fees

Enter before March 15 and pay only \$17 per run
Enter between March 16 and April 15 and pay \$18 per run
Enter after April 16 and pay \$19 per run

FEO runs \$14

Junior Handlers \$10

Spot On
P.O. Box 39
Port Perry, Ontario
L9L 1A2

For more information, check out:
www.citizen canine.com
or e-mail seldom@citizen canine.com
or call (905) 442-9568 (e-mail preferred!)

HELP!

Participating in the running of a trial can be a great way to enhance your understanding of agility and your role as a competitor. By helping, you'll contribute to the efficiency of the day and gain valuable insight into everything from course design and construction to what works (and what doesn't) during a run. No experience is necessary. If you haven't worked at a trial before, there are lots of friendly folks around to show you exactly what to do. Lunch and snacks will be provided for all volunteers, as will the opportunity to win special thank you gifts.

There will be a helper sign-up sheet at the registration table. Be sure to add your name to be eligible for some great prizes. Thanks for volunteering to help make Spot On's trial a success.

Trial Format

The trial will run rain or shine in two fenced, outdoor, grass rings. Classes will alternate between the two rings so that only one ring is running at a time. Specials and veterans will run **after** the regular division in each of their respective classes.

Notice to Exhibitors

Pre-registration is required. Entries must be sent to P.O. Box 39, Port Perry ON L9L 1A2, and received prior to 6:00 pm on May 10, 2012. Confirmations will be e-mailed and/or posted on the web site no later than May 15, 2012.

This trial is being held under the Agility Association of Canada, Inc. (AAC) Rules and Regulations. Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they understand the AAC Rules and Regulations, including but not limited to the following:

1. This test is open to all dogs being at least 18 months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness that may affect the dog's physical or mental performance or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression towards people or other dogs.
2. No leashes, collars, food or toys or other training aids/devices will be permitted on the course at any time.
3. Jump heights will be 6", 10", 16", 22" and 26".
4. There will be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date, except for injured dogs or bitches that come into season. There will be no refunds in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason.
5. Before they compete, all dogs must be registered with the Agility Association of Canada by having a valid AAC Dog Identification Card. Applications can be downloaded from the "Forms" page of the AAC web site (www.aac.ca). Dogs without an AAC ID number will not receive credit for any legs earned.
6. Agility obstacles will be chosen from those described in the AAC Rule Book. 10" dogwalk and teeter will be used in the Masters ring.
7. The trial's organizing committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.
8. Move-ups from Saturday to Sunday will be permitted if requested before the close of the trial on Saturday. Other move-ups may be permitted at the discretion of the Trial Secretary.

Class Descriptions

AAC Starters Class: The starters class shall be for dogs not having earned the Agility Dog of Canada (ADC) title. A dog must achieve three clear rounds under at least two different judges to be awarded the ADC title.

AAC Advanced Class: The advanced class shall be for dogs having earned the Agility Dog of Canada (ADC) title, but that have not earned the Advanced Agility Dog of Canada (AADC) title. A dog must achieve three clear rounds under at least two different judges to be awarded the AADC title.

AAC Masters Class: The masters class shall be for dogs having earned the Advanced Agility Dog of Canada title. To be awarded the Master Agility Dog of Canada (MADC) title, a dog must achieve three clear rounds under at least two different judges.

AAC Veterans Classes: Veterans classes are for dogs seven years of age and older, or dogs five years and older who have been competing in the Specials agility class for a minimum of one year.

AAC Specials Classes: Specials classes are open to all dogs. Except for dogs who have not yet received a final measurement, a dog may no longer compete in Regular classes once entered at an official trial in any of the Veterans or Specials agility classes. Dogs moving into Veterans or Specials from regular classes take their titles with them.

Games Classes are offered to Starters, Advanced and Masters dogs. Progression from one level to the next is as follows:

- Movement into an Advanced Game from a Starters Game requires two qualifying scores in that game at the Starters level earned under two different judges (or completion of one qualifying score in that game prior to January 1, 2009).
- Movement into a Masters game from an Advanced Game requires three qualifying scores in the game or, if earned prior to January 1, 2009, two qualifying scores in the game at the Advanced level under two different judges.

AAC Steeplechase Class: Steeplechase is open to dogs competing at all levels (Starters, Advanced, Masters).

Prizes and Awards

All dogs with a qualifying score will be awarded a qualifying rosette. As well, in each of the Starters, Advanced, Masters, and Games rounds, first to fourth place ribbons will be awarded in each height division. Title rosettes will be available for dogs who complete title requirements.

About Spot On

Spot On is a training facility located in Blackstock, Ontario, about 25 minutes north of the 401 at Whitby. With two full rings of regulation equipment and acres of play space, Spot On offers agility enthusiasts a state-of-the-art outdoor training and trialing experience.

In order to help make everyone's visit a pleasant one, please observe a few simple rules:

1. Dogs must be on a leash at all times except when competing in the ring or when in the designated off-leash area.
2. Please clean up after your dog. Enough said.
3. Please clean up after yourself. Dispose of waste and cigarette butts in the appropriate containers.
4. Please do your best to keep barking to a minimum. I like my neighbours and want to keep them happy.
5. **Drive very slowly** (max 10 km/h) and carefully while on the property.
6. Leave choke chains and prong collars at home.
7. Leave bitches in heat at home.
8. Be nice to all judges and ring crew. Better yet, volunteer to help! To keep the trial running smoothly, I'll require the assistance of all participants. Whether you're sharing your experience or learning a new job, your contribution will be greatly appreciated.

Accommodations

The following hotels offer a limited number of rooms to dog owners. All indicated that they should be told in advance (when reservations are made and at check-in) that dogs will be in the rooms. **This is a busy vacation area. In all cases, book early so as not to be disappointed.**

Residence Conference Centre (Great Value!)

1910 Simcoe St. N. (between Taunton and Conlin)
Oshawa, Ont.
1-877-225-8664

www.residenceconferencecentre.com/oshawa/index.html

All suites, kitchenettes, complimentary continental breakfast, games room, cable TV, on-site laundry
About 15 minutes from trial site, very easy commute
(Can be noisy depending on who else is staying there, but usually OK)

Bon-Voyage Motel

7645 Baldwin Street
Brooklin, Ont
Tel (905)655-5308
10 minutes North of Whitby on Hwy 12
About 15 minutes from trial site
(this would not be a first choice)

Comfort Inn (Oshawa)

605 Bloor St. W
Oshawa, Ont
Nearest main intersection is Park and Bloor
Tel: (905)-434-5000
or 1-800-228-5150
About 30 minutes from trial site

Camping

Goreski's Lakeside Recreation
225 Platten Blvd., Scugog Island, Port Perry
1-800-331-9935 or 905-985-9763
<http://www.intario.com/goreski/>

Quality Suites

1700 Champlain (just east of Thickson)
Whitby, Ont
Tel (905) 432-8800
or 1-800-228-5151
About 25 minutes from trial site, **very** close to the 401

Travelodge

940 Champlain Avenue (just east of Thickson)
Whitby, Ont
Tel (905) 436-9500
or 1-800-578-7878
About 25 minutes from trial site, **very** close to the 401
Accepts "small" dogs only. This should be verified when reserving.

Holiday Inn

1011 Bloor St. E. (closest main intersection is Harmony and Bloor)
Oshawa, Ont
Tel (905) 576-3296
or 1-800-HOLIDAY
About 35 minutes from trial site

Springwater RV and Camping Resort
Hwy 7A, Nestleton (10 minutes east of trial site/30 minutes from Oshawa)
905-986-0274

Another Great (and Very Affordable!) Option

There are also many lovely bed-and-breakfasts in the area, some of which accept dogs as guests. For more information on this option, check out "Where to Stay" on our web site or go to www.bbcanada.com and search on Port Perry.

Recommended Roads leading to Spot On 2830 Regional Rd 19 (Shirley Road), Blackstock, Ontario



From the 401, west of Whitby/Oshawa:

Take the 401 to Pickering and exit at Brock Road (not Brock Street, which is farther east). Head north on Brock Road to Highway 7 (9.5 km). Turn right on Highway 7 and go 13 km. At this point, Highway 7 joins Highway 12 and heads north. Ignore this, and carry on along the same road (that is, go straight through the intersection onto what becomes Winchester Road). Stay on Winchester through the village of Brooklin and continue until you reach Simcoe Street, 5 km from the junction of 7 & 12. (Put more simply: stay on the same road, going straight through all intersections, for 18 km from the intersection of Brock Road and Hwy 7 until you reach Simcoe Street.) Turn left on Simcoe Street, and head north 9.5 km to Regional Road 19, also known as Shirley Road. (The turn is shortly after a large, winding hill. There is a small commuter parking lot at the corner of Simcoe and Shirley Road, as well as signs to Dreamcrest Equestrian Centre.) Turn right on Shirley Road and follow it to the first stop sign (3.5 km). Turn left at the stop sign, go 0.6 km, then follow the road's curve to the right. After the curve, go 2.4 km along Shirley Road. When you see the blue camel (honest!) at the top of the hill, you're almost there. You'll find Spot On on the right, just past Breezy Acres Farm and its four large silos.

From the 401, east of Whitby/Oshawa:

Take the exit for Waverley/Regional Road 57 (exit 431), and head north 23 km on 57 to Shirley Road/Regional Road 19. Turn left, and go 4.2 km along Shirley Road. At the top of the hill on the left is a small hall with an orange roof. The next driveway on the left leads to Spot On.

From the 407:

If you don't mind paying the toll, the 407 offers an easy route to the site. Take the 407 all the way to its easternmost point (Brock Road). At the end of the 407, the road becomes Highway 7. Carry on through the intersection, and go 13 km on Highway 7. At this point, Highway 7 joins Highway 12 and heads north. Ignore this, and carry on along the same road (that is, go straight through the intersection onto what becomes Winchester Road). Stay on Winchester through the village of Brooklin and continue until you reach Simcoe Street, 5 km from the junction of 7 & 12. (Put more simply: stay on the same road, going straight through all intersections, for 18 km from the end of the 407 until you reach Simcoe Street.) Turn left on Simcoe Street, and head north 9.5 km to Regional Road 19, also known as Shirley Road. (The turn is shortly after a large, winding hill. There is a small commuter parking lot at the corner of Simcoe and Shirley Road, as well as signs to Dreamcrest Equestrian Centre.) Turn right on Shirley Road and follow it to the first stop sign (3.5 km). Turn left at the stop sign, go 0.6 km, then follow the road's curve to the right. After the curve, go 2.4 km along Shirley Road. When you see the blue camel (honest!) at the top of the hill, you're almost there. You'll find Spot On on the right, just past Breezy Acres Farm and its four large silos.

From the northwest/404:

Take Hwy 7/12 to Hwy 7A. Head east on 7A through Port Perry, over the south end of Lake Scugog and past Island Road and its many signs pointing to the Great Blue Heron Casino. Stay on 7A until you reach Cartwright West 1/4 Line (not on the map). (If you reach the stoplight at Regional Rd 57, you've gone too far.) Turn right on the West 1/4 Line. Go 4.1 km to the first stop sign, and turn right onto Shirley Road. Go 1 km up the hill. At the top of the hill on the left is a small hall with an orange roof. The next driveway on the left leads to Spot On.

From the northeast/Peterborough/Lindsay:

Make your way to Hwy 7A and head west past the stop light at Regional Road 57/Old Scugog Road. Continue along 7A (2.5 km past the stop light) to Cartwright West 1/4 Line (not on the map). Turn left (south) on the West 1/4 Line. Go 4.1 km to the first stop sign, and turn right onto Shirley Road. Go 1 km up the hill. At the top of the hill on the left is a small hall with an orange roof. The next driveway on the left leads to Spot On.

GPS users: If Blackstock isn't recognized, try Scugog.

Spot On - Official Entry Form – May 20, 2012

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO "SPOT ON"
and send them along with your entry form and signed waiver (see next page) to:

Spot On
P.O. Box 39
Port Perry, Ontario
L9L 1A2

For more information, check out:
www.citizen canine.com
or e-mail seldom@citizen canine.com

Handler Information (please print clearly!)

Name: _____ Owner (if not handler): _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Dog Information

Call name as it appears on dog's ID card: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Breed: _____ Dog's AAC Registration Number: _____

Height at Withers: _____ Height your dog will jump at trial (circle): 6 10 16 22 26

Division (please circle one): Regular Specials Veterans

Check to Enter	FEO	Order of Classes Ring One
		Masters Gamblers 1
		Masters Standard 1
		Masters Gamblers 2
		Masters Standard 2

Check to Enter	FEO	Order of Classes Ring Two
		Steeplechase 1
		Steeplechase 2
		Masters Jumpers 1
		Masters Jumpers 2

Payment

Enter by March 15 \$17			
# of classes	\$	# of classes	\$
1	17.00	7	119.00
2	34.00	8	136.00
3	51.00	9	153.00
4	68.00	10	170.00
5	85.00	11	187.00
6	102.00	12	204.00
Enter by April 15 \$18			
# of classes	\$	# of classes	\$
1	18.00	7	126.00
2	36.00	8	144.00
3	54.00	9	162.00
4	72.00	10	180.00
5	90.00	11	198.00
6	108.00	12	216.00
Enter after April 16 \$19			
# of classes	\$	# of classes	\$
1	19.00	7	133.00
2	38.00	8	152.00
3	57.00	9	171.00
4	76.00	10	190.00
5	95.00	11	209.00
6	114.00	12	228.00

_____ pre-paid classes (one **2012** sticker per class)

_____ classes x \$ _____ per class = \$ _____

_____ FEO classes x \$ 14 per class = \$ _____

Total = \$ _____

(payable to "Spot On" or by Interac Transfer to seldom@citizencanine.com)

AGILITY ASSOCIATION OF CANADA ("AAC") PARTICIPATION WAIVER AND RELEASE

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry by AAC and Spot On (the "Organizing Club") and the opportunity to have the Dog participate, compete in and/or be judged at this event or trial (the "Event"), I, the undersigned, agree as follows:

- I certify that I am the actual owner of the Dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner of the Dog and that the Dog is not a hazard to persons, property or other dogs.
- I agree that AAC or the Organizing Club for the Event (Spot On) may refuse my entry for any reason that it deems to be sufficient.
- I understand and acknowledge that participation in the Event carries certain risks, including, but not limited to injuries (including serious injuries and death) to myself, the Dog, another dog under my control or persons attending as my guests (my "Related Parties"), damage to property and other losses. I waive any and all claims that I have or may have in the future against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue AAC, Spot On or any of the directors, executives, committees, representatives, employees, volunteers or agents of either AAC or Spot On (the "Personnel") for any injury, death, property damage or other loss that I or my Related Parties sustain due to any cause whatsoever, including negligence, breach of contract, breach of duty, statutory or otherwise, or mistakes or errors of judgment of any kind.
- I assume full responsibility for the conduct of myself and my Related Parties during the entirety of the Event. I agree to indemnify and save harmless AAC, the Organizing Club (Spot On) and the Personnel from and against any and all claims that may be made against them or costs, fees, expenses or liability (including, without limitation, lawyers' fees on a solicitor and own client basis) incurred by AAC, the Organizing Club or the Personnel that may arise due to:
 - any act or omission of myself, my Related Parties or any party for whom I am liable at law; or
 - aggressive behaviour by the Dog or any other dog under my control.
- I have read, and do understand the rules of competition and the additional rules (if any) appearing in the trial schedule for the Event, as well as the policies of AAC pertaining to discipline (collectively, the "Rules"). I agree to abide by the Rules and to conduct myself and the Dog in accordance with the Rules. I understand that myself and/or the Dog may be subject to disciplinary procedures or sanctions for breach of the Rules and agree to respect and be bound by any disciplinary decision made by AAC.
- I understand that AAC and/or Spot On may, in the course of administering the Event or conducting its activities generally, collect, use or disclose my personal information and that any personal information collected, used or disclosed by AAC and/or the Organizing Club will be treated in accordance with AAC policy and applicable privacy and personal information laws. I hereby consent to the collection, use and disclosure by AAC and/or the Organizing Club of my personal information.
- I have been given the opportunity to read and understand the terms of this Agreement before signing it, and have in fact done so. I understand that by signing this Agreement, I am restricting my legal rights and I sign this Agreement voluntarily and of my own free will.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian must sign if the Handler is under 18 years of age.

Entry not valid unless Agreement is signed, dated and submitted with the correct fee.

JUNIOR HANDLERS

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Entry Fee: \$ 10 per class (including FEO)

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and send them along with your entry form and signed waiver (see next page) to:

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or e-mail seldom@citizencanine.com

Handler Information (please print)

Name: _____ Junior Handler ID Number: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Dog Information

Call name: _____ Breed: _____

Height at Withers: _____ Height your dog will jump in JH class (circle): 6 10 16 22 26

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		Masters Gamblers 1
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		Masters Gamblers 2
		Masters Standard 2

Check to Enter	FEO	Order of Classes Ring Two
		Steeplechase 1
		Steeplechase 2
		Masters Jumpers 1
		Masters Jumpers 2

Junior Handlers

Juniors will run the same courses as everybody else (under the same judge), and will get veteran times. Junior handler Qs are available in all classes at all three levels. A dog running in a particular standard class with a JH cannot also run in the same class for "dog Qs" with a different handler. Qs earned by the JH toward JH titles do not also count toward the dog's title. A dog running with a junior can also be entered in other classes with another handler for Qs that will count toward the dog's titles, but in no case can a dog run the same course twice. (Whether a dog is being entered for JH Qs or dog Qs must be indicated on the entry form.)

Juniors must have their entry waivers signed by a parent or guardian. To earn Qs toward a junior title, juniors must have a junior handler ID card, available for download from the AAC web site (www.aac.ca). Juniors may run different dogs at different trials and have their Qs count toward JH titles, provided they enter as a JH each time. (That is, the Qs accumulate to the handler, not the dog.)

Dogs run by juniors for JH Qs can run at one jump height lower than the height at which they normally compete (so, for example, if a dog is over 21" tall and normally competes in specials at 22", he can run at 16" with a JH).

Payment: _____ Junior Handler classes x \$ 10.00 per class = \$ _____

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3. I understand and acknowledge that participation in the Event carries certain risks, including, but not limited to injuries (including serious injuries and death) to myself, the Dog, another dog under my control or persons attending as my guests (my "**Related Parties**"), damage to property and other losses. I waive any and all claims that I have or may have in the future against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue AAC, the Organizing Club or any of the directors, executives, committees, representatives, employees, volunteers or agents of either AAC or the Organizing Club (the "**Personnel**") for any injury, death, property damage or other loss that I or my Related Parties sustain due to any cause whatsoever, including negligence, breach of contract, breach of duty, statutory or otherwise, or mistakes or errors of judgment of any kind.
4. I assume full responsibility for the conduct of myself and my Related Parties during the entirety of the Event. I agree to indemnify and save harmless AAC, the Organizing Club and the Personnel from and against any and all claims that may be made against them or costs, fees, expenses or liability (including, without limitation, lawyers' fees on a solicitor and own client basis) incurred by AAC, the Organizing Club or the Personnel that may arise due to:
 - (a) any act or omission of myself, my Related Parties or any party for whom I am liable at law; or
 - (b) aggressive behaviour by the Dog or any other dog under my control.
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