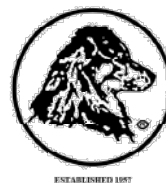


2021 Agility Trial Dates

- August 7-8 – Mike Black
- October 16-17 – Pamela Bryant-Meeks
- November 13-14 - Mark Buehl



Sanctioned by the
Australian Shepherd
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Northern Exposure Agility Trial

All Breeds including Mixed Breeds Welcome

June 25-27, 2021

JUDGE: Diane Harrison

Dog Dynasty Duluth

5153 N. Tischer Rd, Duluth, MN
Outdoors, fenced, on Grass



Training runs (with a non-squeaky or food toy) are allowed. Training runs will run in order in the class.

Trial Chairperson	Trial Secretary
<p>Ann Stead 3033 Roberg Road Duluth, MN 55804 northome@centurylink.net (218) 525 2139 (218) 724 2200 (cell)</p>	<p>Jan Polys 5936 Washburn Ave. N. Brooklyn Center, MN 55430 NWASCagility@gmail.com (763) 229 0482</p>

Classes Offered Each Day:
Friday: 1 Round of Regular, 1 Round of Gamblers
Saturday: 3 Rounds of Gamblers, 2 Rounds of Regular, 1 Round of Jumpers
Sunday: 3 Rounds of Jumpers, 1 Round of Regular

Championship Divisions offered:
Standard, Veteran, Junior Handler, and FEO

ACE Divisions offered:
Standard, Senior Dog

Entries limited to 350 runs per day - MOVE-UPS Accepted

Entries open May 14, 2021

Pre-Entries close June 12, 2021

Any entry post-marked after June 12, 2021, will be considered a Day of Trial entry at the higher entry fee. Day of Trial entries close 7:15am day of show.

ENTRY Fees - discounts are per household		
	Pre-Entry	AFTER June 12 Day of Show
1 - 12 runs entered	\$12.00 each	\$20.00 each
13 - 24 runs entered	\$11.00 each	\$20.00 each
25+ runs entered	\$10.00 each	\$20.00 each
Junior Package (<18 yrs.) Must be entered in the JH Division	50% off final total	

Entry Information:

Date of Trial (DOT) Entries:

Any entry postmarked after June 12, 2021, will be considered a DOT entry and be charged the higher-class entry fee. We will accept these entries after June 12 until 7:15am on each trial day, up to 350 runs per day.

DOT fees: \$20/class

Levels:

Exhibitors may, at their discretion, enter at a level higher than they have titled. If they are registered to receive titles, higher level scores will be applied to unearned lower level titles. Once your dog Q's at a higher level they cannot return to the lower level.

Move-Ups:

Day-to-day move-ups will be accepted. Move-ups for Friday must be received by Monday, June 21, 2021. Saturday move-ups must be received by the end of the trial on Friday and Sunday move-ups must be received by end of the trial on Saturday.

Equipment:

Slatted A-frame & dogwalk, slatless teeter (all with rubber granules) will be used. Jumps (including double), tunnels, weave poles (24-inch spacing) and displaceable tire may be used at the judge's discretion. **A-frame height will be 5'6" for 16, 20 and 20+ dogs, lowered to 5 feet for the 4, 8, and 12-inch dogs.**

Prizes and Awards:

Qualifying and 1st through 4th place ribbons will be awarded in each class. Placements will be combined for 20+ and 24" dogs in all divisions.

HIT Rosettes Requirements:

Dogs must be entered in all runs, all three days, to be eligible for HIT awards. HIT calculations are based on scores from Jumpers/Gamblers/Regular in the Championship Program. HIT Level determined as level the dog was entered in Regular class. HIT Aussie and HIT Other Breed will be based on the total Q points for that dog, regardless of level(s). HIT must have an ASCA registration / tracking number. Points for HIT are calculated as follows: Elite Q - 7 pts, Open Q - 6 pts, Novice Q - 5 pts. Each faulted Q run in Regular shall be given one-half the value of the equivalent level HITQ points. In the event of a tie, dog with the fastest combined YPS will be the winner.

Accommodations:

(please confirm current dog policy calling hotels)

Day's Inn – Cottonwood St. 55811 (by the Miller Hill Mall) (218) 727 3110

The Edgewater - East & West 2400 London Road 55802 (218) 728-3601

The Inn On Lake Superior 350 Canal Park Drive 55802 (218) 726-1111

Motel 6 - Duluth 200 S. 27th Ave. W. 55806 (218) 723-1123

Super 8 - Duluth - 4100 W. Superior St. 55806 (218) 628 2241

Inn on Gitchie Gumea (3 day minimum) 8517 Congdon Blvd. 55804 (218) 525-4979

Make your reservations early!! The Duluth Airshow is that weekend so many of the Motels up the hill are full or very expensive.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- This trial will be held according to ASCA Agility regulations. Exhibitors, through submission of their entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of ASCA rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial. The ASCA Agility Rulebook is available for viewing or download at: www.asca.org.
- ASCA, NWASC and Dog Dynasty Duluth LLC will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor.
- All dogs must always be on leash or crated except when using the warm up area or in the agility ring.
- Any ASCA members currently not in good standing with ASCA will not be allowed entry into the trial. No entry shall be accepted for a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs.
- 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 a case, no refund of fees will be paid.
- No refunds will be granted after the closing date. Refunds, less a \$25 administration fee, will be granted for bitches in season and injured dogs, if the request is accompanied by a veterinarian's letter and provided to the trial secretary no later than noon on Sunday.
- **FEO (For Exhibition Only)** – We will accept FEO entries for the Championship Program. Dogs entering FEO must be a minimum of 15-months of age. FEO entries may jump at a lower height but are not eligible for any prizes or awards. Any dog under 18-months must jump at a lower height. This is a non-qualifying division.
- Dogs showing threatening behavior will be subject to either disqualification or excusal, per the **ASCA Dog Aggression Rules**. All NWASC investigations and appropriate forms will be forwarded on to the ASCA Business office. Dogs excused or disqualified under said policy will be excused from the remainder of the event and asked to leave, without refunds of entry fees.

Please, please, please pick up after your dog at the show site and hotels.

We will be following all Federal, State and local COVID guidelines. More information will be in your confirmation letter.

MEASURING - Dogs with a wither height of 20" or less will need to show an ASCA, AKC, or NADAC height card or be measured at the trial, unless they are jumping in the highest jump height in that category/division.

Championship Program					
	Small Dogs		Medium Dogs	Large Dogs	
Standard Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 8"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 12"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 16"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 20" class Jump 20"	Withers over 20" are in the 20"+ class Jump 20" (may jump 24")
Jr. Handler Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4" or 8"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 8" or 12"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 12" or 16"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 16" or 20" class Jump 16" or 20"	Withers over 20" are in the 16+ or 20"+ class Jump 16" or 20" (may jump 24")
Veterans Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 8"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 12"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 16" class Jump 16"	Withers over 20" are in the 16"+ class Jump 16"
ACE Program					
Standard Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 8"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 12"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 16" class Jump 16"	Withers over 20" are in the 16"+ class Jump 16"
Senior Dog Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 4"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 8"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") Jump 12"	Withers over 20" are in the 12"+ class Jump 12"

DIRECTIONS:

From the South: Take I 35 to and through Duluth. I 35 freeway turns into residential Highway 61 (London Road) at 26th Ave. E. in Duluth. Stay in the right-hand lane on I 35 as you reach the end of the freeway then follow highway 61 approximately 3 miles to 60th Ave. E. Turn left at 60th Ave. E. Go two blocks to Superior St. Turn right on Superior St. Go 2 blocks to Lester River Road (61st Ave. E.) and turn left. Follow the Lester River Road about 5 miles to the stop sign at Strand Road. Turn left on Strand Road and go 1 mile to stop sign. Turn left on N. Tischer Rd, go ¼ mile to Dog Dynasty Duluth - on your right.

From the North Shore: Go south on Hwy 61 to 60th Ave E. See above directions.

Please check MN 511 for road construction!

Eligibility:

ASCA agility trials are open to ALL breeds, including mixes. Your dog is not required to be registered with ASCA to enter ASCA agility trials or stock trials. However, to earn titles, you must have an ASCA QT Number (formerly tracking number) or an ASCA registration number.

QT Numbers or ASCA registration numbers are required to enter an Obedience Trial, Rally Trial or Tracking Test.

Below is the link for the QT Number form on the ASCA website. We will also have blank forms available at the trial.

<http://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/35/2016/04/trackapp.pdf>

ACE Program

- Any dog 18 months or older will jump one height lower than their Championship Program - Standard Division height if entered in the Ace Program – Standard Division
- Any dog 10 years or older can jump two heights lower than their Championship Program - Standard Division height if entered in the ACE Program - Senior Dog division.
- The original program is now called the Championship Program.

From Grand Rapids, Bemidji: Take Hwy 2 to Hwy 194 to Midway Rd. (stop light). Turn left on Midway Rd. Continue across Hwy 53 at the stop light and go 1 mile to stopsign. Follow "Range Directions" below.

"Range Directions" Take Hwy. 53 south towards Duluth. Turn left on Midway Road(stop light). Go about 1 mile. Turn right (east) on Martin Road. Go until it ends on Jean Duluth Road - about 11 miles. Turn Left on Jean Duluth Road and go about 2 milesto W. Tischer Road (Billy's Bar on your left). Turn Right on W. Tischer - go 2 miles - road turns to the left and turns into N. Tischer Road. Go 1/4 mile on N. Tischer to Dog Dynasty Duluth - on your left



AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA®

Agility Entry Form

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL INFORMATION

Host Club: North Woods ASC
Trial Dates: June 25, 26 & 27, 2021

Use one entry form per dog. Print or type all of the following information.

Dog's ASCA® Registration #: (LEP/Tracking/Regular)

Breed: Sex: Male Female

Registered Name:

Call Name: DOB:

Owner(s):

Primary Owner Address:

City: ST: Zip:

Email: Phone:

Handler:

(If other than owner)

Membership #: JR DOB:

(Please enter JR # if JR is handling dog)

(If JR is handling dog)

Dog's Height @ Withers: Breed Jump Height Exempt? Yes No

Standard Jump Height: 8" 12" 16" 20" 20+"

Class Jump Height: 4" 8" 12" 16" 16+ 20" 20+ 24"

Program: Championship (CH) ACE

Table with columns: Division (Std, Vet (CH), Jr (CH), Sr Dog (ACE)), Level (Nov, Open, Elite), Day(s) Entered (Day 1, Day 2, Day 3), and Class Entered (Regular 1, Regular 2, Jumpers 1-3, Gamblers 1-3).

Entry Fee Per Class: \$ Package (all classes) Entry Fee: \$

TOTAL ENTRY FEE: \$

Emergency Contact Name & Number:

EXHIBITOR/OWNER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18) MUST READ AND SIGN THIS FORM

AGREEMENT

IMPORTANT LEGAL AGREEMENT—Please read the following carefully as it, among other things, may prevent you from suing ASCA® and persons/entities affiliated with it. This agreement could even require you to defend them from demands and suits by third parties that include an assertion of wrongdoing by you. (1) The person signing this Agreement represents being authorized to enter into it on behalf of him/herself, as well as (if different) the owner(s)/exhibitor(s)/handler(s) of the dog(s) for which an entry form is being submitted...

Date:

SIGNATURE OF OWNER/HANDLER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18)
PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ERRORS AND RULE VIOLATIONS

AS USED HERE, "ASCA®" MEANS THE OWNER AND THE OPERATOR OF THE EVENT PREMISES, THE AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA, ITS AFFILIATE CLUBS, AND EACH OF THEIR MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, SHOW CHAIRMEN, SHOW COMMITTEES AND AGENTS.

October 8, 2020