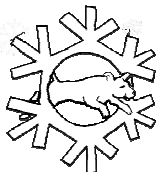


AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST

SANCTIONED BY CANINE PERFORMANCE EVENTS, INC.

Saturday and Sunday, August 5 & 6, 2023



HOSTED BY:
**SnoBounders Agility Club at
 Fun Fur Paws
 22352 Stargate Place Mount
 Vernon, Washington**

JUDGE: Barret "Todd" Benson

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- **READ UPDATED RULES SECTION!**
- The safety of the dogs and handlers 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.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee.
- It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dog(s) and / or children. Any exhibitor whose dog(s) and / or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the show committee, be asked to leave the show site. In that case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- 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.
- An 100% refund will be given for any requests for withdrawals received prior to the Closing Date. After the Closing Date until 24 hours before the trial, refunds will be given for bitches in heat, injured or ill dogs (with verification from a vet upon request) or family emergency, **less a \$20.00 handling fee.**
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and **legible** information on the entry forms: illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show. Conditional, unsigned, incomplete, telephone, FAX or telegraph entries cannot be accepted. Valid entries must be received between the opening and closing dates.
- Owners are responsible for errors on entry blanks, for entering a dog twice, or for entering a dog in a class in which it is ineligible to compete. Dogs incorrectly entered won't be transferred to another class after entries close.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$25.00 service charge for bank returned checks.
- The SnoBounders Agility Club (aka Sno-King Agility Club), their members, and Fun Fur Paws (FFP) assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, spectators, vendors, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assumes no responsibility for injury to any child not under the control of his or her parents or guardians.
- No alcohol/firearms/smoking anywhere on FPP property. FFP is not responsible for any valuable items left in the facilities. The outdoor competition field is a no pee/no poo zone. All aggressive dogs will be immediately excused from the property/premises. All dogs must be on lead when outside, unless they are in the designated off leash area. Electronic training devices are prohibited.
- If you plan to compete, dog must have CPE ID number. The club will not submit CPE ID application for exhibitor. No DOS entries accepted w/o CPE ID number and ID card. **You may no longer submit an entry with a note that CPE ID application submitted; all entries must have a CPE ID for each dog entered.**

Confirmations

Confirmations will be sent via email. To ensure you receive your confirmation, as well as other pre-trial information, please adjust your email to allow melodygraf@hotmail.com through your SPAM filter! Final confirmations will be emailed (or mailed as necessary) during the last week before the trial. An email letter with additional information about the trial will be sent to all confirmed participants ~ 1 week in advance of the trial.

No more than 6 entries are allowed per envelope. Only exception – all dogs within one envelope have the same 5 digit CPE member ID number.
Entry Method –Postmark Date: June 19, 2023 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Entries may not be postmarked before the date above. ❖ Entries received before the opening date will be destroyed. ❖ No entries can be accepted without a legible postmark date. ❖ All envelopes will be held for 7 days to allow for mail delivery. In the event that the trial limit is exceeded, entries will then be processed in postmark date order. A random draw will then be done from the entries for the postmark date when the limit was reached. ❖ If entries received during the postmark 7 day period exceeds the trial's limit, a draw will be held on June 30, 2023 in Bothell, WA. ❖ Contact the trial secretary by June 28, 2023 if you would like to attend the draw. ❖ Overnight envelopes must have recipients signature waiver signed or the envelope may be refused or delayed.
Final Closing Date: July 24, 2023 at 5 PM PDT No Refund of Pre-Entries withdrawn after the closing date. Checks will be held until final closing date and then cashed within a few days.
Final Move-Up Date: July 31, 2023 at 5 PM PDT
Limits: 375 runs per day on Sat/Sun per judge. Up to 100 Runs/day may be held each day for host club volunteers.
DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES: Please add \$4 per run, no package pricing; Accepting DOS entries: 7:00 AM to 7:15 AM Saturday/Sunday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ If the limit is reached for any/all day(s) by the closing date, the club should contact CPE to have FULL posted to the CPE events page, for any day(s), the club is not required to do so. ❖ The exhibitor must verify the limit has not yet been reached between the closing date and first trial date if planning on attending. ❖ Verify if runs available by emailing the secretary: (melodygraf@hotmail.com)
Two rings (alternating) trial will be held indoors on groomed dirt. Ring 1 is 80'x100'; Ring 2 is 80'x100'. Rings separated by fencing w/ 5' barrier between rings.
Allowing Training in the Ring at this trial. Read updated rules and member letter.

SHOW COMMITTEE

Trial Chair Alan Hasegawa paniolo13@gmail.com	Trial Secretary Melody Mierisch-Graf 16732 122 nd Place NE Bothell, WA 98011 melodygraf@hotmail.com 425-398-1525
Committee Members Gary Webster: Club President Sandy Cox: Chief Ring Steward Members at Large: Tina Maier, Kathy Losacco, Karen McPeters Carole Pettenski, Sheila Leitch, Steve Sauther	

Saturday, Aug 5, 2023 <i>(Small to Tall)</i> Jackpot (Ring 2) Colors (Ring 1) Standard (Ring 2) Snooker (Ring 1) Wildcard (Ring 2)	Sunday, Aug 6, 2023 <i>(Tall to Small)</i> FullHouse (Ring 2) Jackpot (Ring 1) Standard (Ring 2) Jumpers (Ring 1)
Sat & Sun – Measuring – must be completed before class dog runs in starts Judge’s Briefing & Walk-thru: 7:45 AM Judging begins at 8:00 AM	

All dogs will need to be measured by an approved judge if on the measuring sheet or do not have a P-card. If a dog cannot be measured, they can't show. Dogs needing to be measured will be notified via email shortly before the trial.

There will be no measuring of dogs after judge’s briefing begins each day – all dogs without a permanent height card must be measured before the judges briefing to show that day – there will be NO EXCEPTIONS.

Obstacles: The following obstacles may be used. Obstacle specifications shall meet the current CPE obstacle requirements:

Aframe–9’ sides, rubber granules, slats	Dog Walk – 12’ planks, rubber granules, slats
Teeter–12’ plank, rubber granules, slatless	Weave poles – 24” poles - center to center
Jumps: Bar, Spread, Panel	Saloon door tire, Open Tunnels
Pause Table – rubber granule – games only	

Prizes & Awards: Placement rosettes or ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th place for Qualifying and non-qualifying scores for all classes. Dogs with an NT (no time) are not eligible for any ribbons. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score and Jr. Handlers in Standard.

If you may finish a C-ATCH or C-ATE during this trial, please inform the Trial Secretary by move-up deadline so we can have a special ribbon available for you.

Rules and Regulations: Rules and regulations of Canine Performance Events currently in effect shall apply at this event. Exhibitors are expected to have read and agree to comply with these rules and regulations. Copies of the rules and membership application may be obtained from the CPE website at www.k9cpe.com.

Move-Ups: We will accept day-to-day move-ups at this trial if trial secretary is notified within 20 minutes of when last results of day are printed. No move-ups will be allowed if TS is notified on the day of the run. Please write down pertinent info on move-up sheet.

Food: Snacks may be complimentary for volunteer workers. Please plan on bringing your lunch.

Donations: We will be collecting ribbon donations for *Chase Away K-9 Cancer* in memory of Sierra Mierisch-Graf. Feel free to bring a picture of a pup to post on the board that you would like to honor that has succumbed to cancer.

Vendors: Vendors must have prior approval from both SnoBounders AND Fun Fur Paws. Additionally Vendors must provide proof of insurance and a valid business license. For further information, contact Alan Hasegawa at paniolo13@gmail.com.

Volunteers: We **LOVE** our volunteers. All workers are eligible for the workers raffle. There will be a white board available for you to sign up to volunteer for a class. Volunteers receive complimentary raffle tickets for free runs and lunch! We couldn't do the trial without you! **Thank you in advance for helping!**

PLEASE EXERCISE YOUR DOG RESPONSIBLY! PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE AND HOTELS! ALL DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH EXCEPT WHEN IN THE RING OR IN FENCED WARM UP AREA. THERE IS A LEASH LAW IN THE TRIAL SITE’S STATE.

Updated CPE trial rules shortened version – Questions? See the rules page on the website, www.k9cpe.com & your printed rulebook. For registration info, “Registering with CPE” and further info on height categories and rules. If you have further questions, email CPE

Jump Heights – no dog will jump lower than 4”

P-Card = Permanent Card: the lowest allowable Regular height a dog may jump in CPE.

Measurement	Regular (P-card or higher)	Veterans	Enthusiast	Specialist
8” or less	4”	4”	4”	4”
over 8”, 12” or less	8”	4”	4”	4”
over 12”, 16” or less	12”	8”	8”	4”
over 16”, 20” or less	16”	12”	12”	8”
over 20”, 24” or less	20”	16”	16”	12”
over 24”	24”	20”	20”	16”

General CPE rules for entries/show site:

- Dogs must be at least 15 months or older the first day of the trial.
- Blind (both eyes), lame, in season or aggressive dogs may not enter the show. The Club may choose to exclude any of the above from the site.
- Dogs must be registered with CPE prior to the closing date of the trial, or by the trial date for Day Of Show entries. Registration forms are on the Forms page: www.k9cpe.com. Forms MUST be mailed to CPE and are processed 2-3 times per week. CPE ID numbers are emailed to legible email addresses. Registrations can only be processed from mailed forms.
- Dogs must be able to be measured at their first show. If a dog cannot be measured, the dog cannot run and no refund will be issued. Dogs within ½” of a jump height require at least one more measurement. When dogs reach their second birthday, a measurement is required. All dogs must be measured at their first trial regardless of jump height.
- Only CPE Judges can measure dogs.
- Electronic shock collars are not allowed at ANY CPE trial – training or bark.
- Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. If one walk-through is held for a class, it shall be 5 minutes followed by a 5-minute post walk-through then first dog on the line. If 5 dogs are ready prior to the 5-minute post walk-through time completing the class may proceed. If the walk-through is split into two or more walk-throughs, each walk-through will be 5 minutes, followed immediately by first dog on the line. If a handler has more than one dog, no matter the jump height, they are free to use the entire walk-through time as long as they are still ready to run when it is their turn. A warm-up jump shall be provided for all entered dogs. No relieving of dogs in the warm-up area.

Dogs in the ring, leashes, exiting the ring

- Dogs may enter the ring on a collar, quick release harness or head halti/leader. If prong collars are allowed per the show site, they may *not* be used to take a dog into the ring.
- **NEW! Dogs may run courses with or without one collar. Collars should preferably be quick release style, and may be flat buckle, rolled leather, or flea prevention. No attachments of any kind are allowed on the collar.** Leashes may not have anything (other than name/license tags) attached to them when used in the ring.
- All handlers have the choice to put their leash in their pocket or safely loop it around their waist or neck, it does not have to be out of the dog’s sight, however, if the dog interacts with it during the run, it would be considered a toy and result in an NT.
- Dogs must be under the handler’s control when leaving the ring or the judge may enter the run as No Time - NT.

Four Paw Safety Rule – Contacts

- When a contact is the correct obstacle and a dog places all four paws on the contact, it is considered to have engaged (attempted) the obstacle. If the dog leaves the obstacle without completion after placing all four paws on it, this will result in a major fault or no points.

While running on course

- The handler will direct the dog through the course without a lead. The handler may use any verbal or visual commands to direct the dog through the course. The Judge may assess a 5-fault penalty to elimination for any command that is not given in a sportsmanlike manner. Faults can be but are not limited to: foul or abusive language, display of anger, extreme frustration or excessive harshness. If the fault is severe enough, the Judge has the right to excuse the exhibitor from the ring and / or the remainder of the trial. If excused from the trial, a report would be filed with CPE. See Faults, Eliminations and Excusals.
- The handler may not carry anything that could aid the dog in its performance. Exclusion: Handicapped/Differently Abled Handlers using a cane, scooter, wheelchair, etc., to enable their progression around the course.
- Food, (includes fanny packs and leash attachments) are not allowed within 10’ feet of the ring. Clickers, training whistles and squeaky toys are not to be used within distraction distance of the ring.
- Toys, training devices not allowed within 10’ of the ring except as part of Declared Training in the Ring described above.
- No visible device can be used by the handler that can video or time the dog’s run while in the ring.
- No device can be used on the handler or within a pocket that can notify the handler of the SCT for any class during a run (one example: wristwatch).
- The handler may not carry anything that could aid the dog in its performance. Exception noted above under prior to class starting.
- Exclusion: Handicapped/Differently Abled Handlers using a cane, scooter, wheelchair, etc., to enable their progression around the course.

Declared Training In the Ring (TIR) Prior to Class Starting

- Our club **will allow**, if the handler decides they may want to, use of a toy or training aid at any time during their run. The handler must approach the Judge during Walkthrough or previously in that trial day for the Judge to approve the toy or training aid for use on the course.
- Handler must alert the Judge upon entry to the ring that the dog will be **TIR**. Handler is then allowed to have a reasonably sized silent toy/aid with them for use once their run has started (this toy must be approved by the Judge of record **PRIOR** to the start of the class to determine its eligibility, absolutely no food/scents/audible devices). The toy is **NOT** allowed to be used in either gate chute or prior to the previous dog leaving the ring. •
- Timer will start the time either when the dog attempts the first obstacle, or the handler shows the toy to the dog. Timer will either blow whistle or sound horn at expiration of Large Dog SCT (Standard Course Time supplied and instructed by the Judge prior to each class).
- Handler must put toy away and leave the ring with their dog expeditiously allowing the next dog to enter. **The dog may NOT run any part of the course on leash.**
- Although the Judge will not be judging for a score, they are required to watch the handler throughout their run both for safety and to ensure the team is proceeding through the course as designed by the Judge. The dog does not earn qualifiers or placements for this run.
- There is no resetting of knocked bars at any time by the handler.
- Handler may direct their dog to repeat an obstacle or sequence (up to 3 obstacles as designed) one time during their allotted time any further repetition of that sequence/obstacle or any other sequence/obstacle will result in an immediate end to their run signaled by the Judges thank-you or a whistle.

The following items are considered training in the ring:

- Violating the 4 paw safety rule (directing the dog back onto the contact)
- Start line stay – leaving the dog and going back again to reposition the dog after the handler passes the plane of the first obstacle (before the handler leaves the dog, repositioning or repeated commands can be a delay of start)
- Putting the dog back on the table in the point games

Directions: 22352 Stargate Place, Mt Vernon WA 98274.

From I-5 Northbound:and Southbound

- Take Exit #218 (Starbird Road)
 - Go east on Starbird Rd to the 4-way stop at Bulson Rd
 - Turn left onto Bulson Rd
 - At the intersection with Tyee Rd, turn left to remain on Bulson Rd
 - Turn right onto Stargate Place, at the sign for Fun Fur Paws
- Follow Stargate Place to the arena and parking area

At this time, there is no crating in the building, however, this may change; read confirmation for updates. If indoor crating is allowed, stalls must be shared and stall doors remain open; there will be a \$10 fee/stall for crating inside (payable to FFP). Please watch the dog at the end of your leash as others may not be watching theirs. There is plenty of parking. Currently, chairs are allowed ringside.

Emergency Veterinarian:

AFTER HOURS & WEEKENDS 24 Hour Pet Emergency Center
14434 Avon Allen Rd, Mount Vernon WA 98273
360-848-5911, 877-848-5913

STAFFED 24/7 Chuckanut Valley Veterinarian
896 N Burlington Blvd, Burlington WA 98233
360-757-3722

Directions to after hours & weekends 24-hour veterinarian:

Take FPP driveway and turn left onto Bulson Road. Turn right at intersection with Tyee Road. Turn right at intersection with Starbird Road (4-way stop sign). Continue on Starbird Road west and take the I-5 North on ramp. Take I-5 north to SR 536 exit. Turn left onto West Kincaid Street and cross over I-5. Turn right onto West Division Street and follow road over the Skagit River. At the intersection with Avon-Allen Road, turn left into the 24-Hour Pet emergency center.

Accommodations: (please verify pet policy before reserving)
Best Western Plus Skagit Valley (Cottontree Inn), 360-428-5678

Best Western College Way Inn, 360-424-4287

Tulip Inn, 360-428-5969

Mount Vernon Quality Inn, 360-428-7020

Days Inn Mt. Vernon 1-877-411-3436

RV Camping:

Overnight RV camping is available on the site.
Make your reservations early as sites are limited!
Email questions to melodygraf@hotmail.com

Please mail this FORM (below) INCLUDING PAYMENT, with your premium registration to Melody Mierisch.

FFP CAMPING FORM

Please note:

Toilet facilities are available but there are NO showers. FFP does NOT have sewer hookups nor a dump station. **There is no potable water on site so campers should bring their own potable water.** Each site has both 50-amp and 20-amp power available. Those needing 30-amp hookups will need to bring an appropriate adapter. Camping spots will be pre-assigned. Quiet hours are from 9 PM – 7 AM.

Name: _____

Phone _____

e-mail _____

Vehicle _____

Description: _____

Length of vehicle _____

License plate : _____

State Licensed: _____

Type of power needed _____

Special needs: _____

Nights you will be staying: __ Thur __ Fri __ Sat __ Sun

Hook-ups (\$30 per night) No hook-ups (\$15 per night)

Total amount

enclosed: _____

Check # _____

Make a separate check payable to Fun Fur Paws.

Camping fees are refundable if you do not attend the trial or make other plans for accommodations, but you must let us know at least a couple days before the trial date(s). No refunds after this.

Please fill out this form and send it in with your premium.

Official CPE Entry Form – SnoBounders Agility Club					
Trial Dates: August 5 & 6, 2023			Final Closing Date: July 24, 2023		
Entry Method: Postmark Date. Opening Date: June 19, 2023					
Make entry fees payable in US funds to: SKAC					
Mail entries and payment to: Melody Mierisch, 16732 122 nd Place NE, Bothell, WA 98011					
Dog's CPE ID # ____ _ -- ____ _			Dog's Call Name:		
Breed:					
Dog's Measurement if no P-Card has been issued:		Circle Dog's P-Card Height 4 8 12 16 20 24			
Circle Height Category to enter (ONLY ONE) Regular Veterans/Early Vet Enthusiast Specialist FEO <input type="checkbox"/> Handicapped Handler		Circle One Jump Height for the Height Category entered			
		Regular	4	8	12 16 20 24
		Veterans	4	8	12 16 20
		Enthusiast	4	8	12 16 20
		Specialist	4	8	12 16
Owner					
Handler (if different than owner)					
Address					
City / State / Zip					
Phone & email					
Jr Handler name & ID #					
Emergency Contact (Name/Phone#):					
Class running order is on Page 2. Below is not the running order.					
Sat - Aug 5 circle level for each class			Sun - Aug 6 circle level for each class		
Standard	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS	Standard	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS
Colors	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS	Jackpot	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS
Snooker	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS	FullHouse	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS
Jackpot	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS	Jumpers	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS
Wildcard	1 2 3 4 5 C	\$14/\$17 DOS			
Package price \$120 for all 9 classes for Sat/Sun. \$110 for 8 runs. (not DOS)			\$		
Junior handlers: 50% off non-package price (not DOS)			\$		
Total Enclosed in US funds:			\$		
An ID number is required to enter a CPE trial, pending entries cannot be accepted.					

DISCLAIMER AND INDEMNITY – MUST BE SENT WITH ENTRY

I / we acknowledge that I am / we are familiar with the current rules applying to CPE Agility Trials, including all terms and conditions contained in this Event Premium. I / we agree that the Host Club holding the Agility Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause which the Host Club, in its sole judgment, shall deem to be sufficient. Upon acceptance of this entry, I / we agree to hold (a) Canine Performance Events, Inc., (b) this Host Club, (c) the owner or lessee of the premises, (d) any sponsors of this event, and each of their members, directors, officers, agents, show secretary, show chairperson, show committee and employees harmless from any claim or loss or injury or expenses (including attorney fees) which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing arising out of or in consequence of my / our participation in the Agility Trial or the act of my/our dog, howsoever such injuries or damage may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons. I / we further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim or loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether any claim be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the Host Club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

THIS DISCLAIMER MUST BE SIGNED AND INCLUDED FOR A VALID ENTRY	
I / we agree to abide by the rules of CPE currently in effect at the time of the trial date. I/we testify that the dog entered is healthy and vaccinated or titered. I/we certify that the dog entered is not dangerous to any person or other dog. By signing below, I/we agree to the disclaimer and indemnity obligations on this entry form; including the statement below the signature line.	
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Signature – Owner or Parent / Guardian if Minor	Date
Entry form MUST be signed and Disclaimer MUST be attached for a valid entry	

No changes to trial results will be made once the trial has been completed – handlers are responsible for the accuracy of information in their confirmation from the trial secretary (dog's info, level, height category and/or jump height, etc), prior to running in a trial, and for reporting any discrepancies of posted results prior to leaving the trial site each day. This also includes if there was a correction to a scribe sheet – the handler must verify that the results were corrected as well.

Run Safe, Run Fast, Run Clean, Have Fun!