

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

\* The safety of the dogs 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.

\* Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of Regulations for Agility Trials.

\* Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on the entry forms: illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show.

**Accommodations (verify that they still accept dogs, ask about fees):**

Red Roof Inn: 330-758-1999

Residence Inn 330-726-1747

Quality Inn and Suites 330-238-4611 rate code K9 Athlete Ctr

Days Inn 330-758-1816 (pet fee)

Best Western Plus 330-482-5050 rate code K9 Athlete Center

### **DIRECTIONS:**

From Cleveland: I480 SE to rt 14 SE for 43.9 miles. To Washingtonville, Oh 44490. Turn rt onto Painters Path (next to Huntington bank building. The building is now a dry goods store, South on Painters Path for 1,600 feet.

From Akron: I76 E to rt 14 SE. then follow above directions.

From the South: RT 7 N. to Rt 11 N. (25.2 miles) to rt 46. at exit ramp turn rt onto rt 46 (2.3 miles). At first traffic light turn right on rt 14 west (4.1 miles). Turn left onto Painters Path at Huntington bank in Washingtonville OH 44490. Travel 1,600 feet to building site.

From I 80 Western Pa: I 80 west into Oh Take rt 11 south to SR46.

Then follow directions from the south.

AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST  
SANCTIONED BY:  
CANINE PERFORMANCE EVENTS, INC.

September 24/25<sup>th</sup> 2022

FOUR SEASONS K9 ATHLETE CENTER, LLC

2 Painters Path

Washingtonville, OH 44490



**Judge:**

**Jennifer Pannatoni, IL**

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 – First Received: No opening date. Entries may be mailed/received at any time once the premium has been published Overnight envelopes must have the recipient's signature waiver signed or the envelope may be refused or delayed
Final closing date is Sept 13 <sup>th</sup> 2022 2:00pm EST Checks will be deposited on the final close date. No Refund of Pre-Entries withdrawn after the closing date.
Move up closing date Sept 21 <sup>st</sup> 2022 Move ups will be taken for classes duplicated day to day.
Limit of 375 runs per day.
No day of show entries will be taken. This is an indoor trial on Turf Ring size is 100'x100' with no obstructions.
<b>**Training in the ring will be allowed **</b>

**PRIZES & AWARDS:** Placement rosettes or ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> 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. *Qualifying scores will receive dog treats. We have "perfect weekend" ribbons for any dog who enters every run for the weekend (10 runs) and gets a 'Q' in every run regardless of level. Perfect weekend calculated on Saturday and Sunday runs only.*

Trial Chairperson Jim Murrin <a href="mailto:murrinjim@yahoo.com">murrinjim@yahoo.com</a> 412-216-8318	Trial Secretary Leslie Meyn 260 Sewickley Oakmont Rd Pittsburgh PA 15237
Committee Members Kate Almasy, Dana Skorupski, Denise Siefers, Dawn Gentile, Rick Slater, Dave Almasy	

The following order is the scheduled order for the trial to be run. If the order needs to be changed for the trial due to extreme pre-trial circumstances, it will be posted in the confirmation letter sent to pre-entered exhibitors at least 7 days before the first trial day. The order will only be changed at the trial in the case of an extreme reason and must be agreed upon by the host club and judge(s).

Saturday Sept 24 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday Sept 25 <sup>th</sup>
Jackpot	FullHouse
Standard	Standard
Colors	Colors
Snooker	Wildcard
Jumpers	Snooker

**Saturday and Sunday check in and measuring 7:00-7:45am. Walk-Thru and briefing starts at 7:50am. First dog on line at 8:05am.**

See the forms page at [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com) for a membership form. See "Registering with CPE" in the online rulebook for registration questions. **THERE WILL BE NO MEASURING OF DOGS AFTER JUDGE'S BRIEFING BEGINS EACH DAY - ALL DOGS WITHOUT A PERMANENT CARD MUST BE MEASURED BEFORE THE JUDGES BRIEFING TO SHOW THAT DAY - THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.**

**It is your responsibility to pick up after your own dog. Anyone not doing so will be removed from the trial with no refund of fees paid.** In addition do not allow your dogs to pee on the building or cement around the building. The potty area is across the parking lot from the building. Please also pickup after your dog at hotels and rest areas.

**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, Broad	Open Tunnels
	Pause Table – games only- rubber granules

Trials run smoother with your help! ☺ Please send this form with your entry!

**WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS !!**

We are looking for volunteers to help at our trial. If you are able to help out, please fill out the form below and return it with your entry.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone : \_\_\_\_\_

I can do the following (mark all that you like to do):

- | <b>SATURDAY</b>                         | <b>SUNDAY</b>                           |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bar Setting    | <input type="checkbox"/> Bar Setting    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scribing       | <input type="checkbox"/> Scribing       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Timing         | <input type="checkbox"/> Timing         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Course Builder | <input type="checkbox"/> Course Builder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sheet Runner   | <input type="checkbox"/> Sheet Runner   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gate Seward    | <input type="checkbox"/> Gate Seward    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leash Runner   | <input type="checkbox"/> Leash Runner   |

Don't worry if you don't know how to do a job! They are easy and we can show you how!  
**My Dog(s) are entered in (classes), at these heights (circle all that apply):**

Standard	Level	1	2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24
Colors	Level	1	/2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24
Wildcard	Level	1	/2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24
Snooker	Level	1	/2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24
Jackpot	Level	1	/2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24
FullHouse	Level	1	/2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24
Jumpers	Level	1	/2	3	4/5/C	/	4	8	12	16	20	24

**CPE trial rules – shortened version: see the online rulebook at [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com) for registration info, “Registering with CPE” and further info on height categories and rules.**

**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](http://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. 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**

- Handlers have a choice regarding dogs wearing collars. 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.
- 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.
- Handlers may carry their leash with them on the course – if done so, the leash must be out of sight or clipped around shoulders or waist.
- Dogs must be under the handler’s control when leaving the ring or the judge may enter the run as No Time - NT.

#### **For clubs that will allow Declared Training In the Ring**

We (Host Club) will offer Declared training in the ring. The handler has the option if they want to use 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.

See the online rulebook or current member letter for additional rules.

The following items *are* considered training in the ring (see Fix and Go):

- 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

#### **For Clubs that are not allowing Declared Training In the Ring:**

We (host club) will not be offering Declared Training in the Ring at this trail. Please remember that the following is not considered Training in the ring:

- Dog grabbing it’s leash at the end of a run (if the run has not yet ended, the dog would receive an NT)
- Asking the dog once for a sit or down on the table in the point games (asking more than once will be a delay of finish, 5 faults/points)

#### **While running on course**

- The handler will direct the dog through the course without a collar or lead.
- Food, toys, training devices (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.
- 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.

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 in the rulebook.

**Questions?** See the rules page on the website, [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com).

If you have further questions, email CPE – [cpe@charter.net](mailto:cpe@charter.net).

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

Official CPE Entry Form – Four Seasons K9 Athlete Center, llc	
Trial Dates: September 24/25 <sup>th</sup> 2022   Final Closing Date: September 13 <sup>th</sup> 2022	
Entry Method – First Received: No opening date.	
Make entry fees payable in US funds to: <b>Splash n Dash K9 Sports</b>	
<b>Mail Entries to:</b> <b>Leslie Meyn</b> <b>260 Sewickley Oakmont Rd</b> <b>Pittsburgh PA 15237</b>	
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)	Circle One Jump Height for the Height Category entered
<b>Regular Veterans/Early Vet</b>	Regular 4 8 12 16 20 24
<b>Enthusiast</b>	Veterans 4 8 12 16 20
<b>Specialist FEO</b>	Enthusiast 4 8 12 16 20
<input type="checkbox"/> Handicapped Handler	Specialist 4 8 12 16
Owner	
Handler (if different than owner)	
Address	
Phone & email	
Jr Handler name & ID #	
<b>Saturday Sept 24<sup>th</sup></b>	
Standard	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Colors	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Snooker	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Jackpot	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Jumpers	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
<b>Sunday Sept 25<sup>th</sup></b>	
Standard	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Colors	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Wildcard	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Snooker	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
FullHouse	1 2 3 4 5 C \$17
Packages: All 10 runs for the weekend 1 dog...\$150 5 runs for the weekend 1 dog ...\$80 10 runs split between 2 dogs... \$160	
Total amount	..... \$ _____
If not using an above special, runs are \$17 each	

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 and all terms and conditions pertaining to this Event. 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.

Signature – Owner or Parent / Guardian if Minor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Entry form MUST be signed and the 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.**

An ID number is required to enter a CPE trial, pending entries cannot be accepted.

**Potty your dog before each of your runs. No peeing on the turf!!  
No muddy shoes or paws on the turf. You should bring a pair of shoes for the turf and a pair of shoes for outside.**