

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.
- * Unsportsmanlike conduct: including but not limited to, rough handling, mistreatment, or misconduct of any kind may result in being excused from the ring or trial. All decisions made by the judge(s) are final.
- * Entry fees will not be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee. In the unfortunate death of an entered dog, entry fees will be refunded in full. In season or seriously ill dogs may obtain a partial refund of entry fees, less \$5.00 per run. The Trial Secretary must receive written notification of the claim, prior to the trial.
- * If a wait list is necessary, it will be maintained until the final move-up date.
- * 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. No refund of fees 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/club.
- * Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on the entry forms: missing funds, illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show.
- * Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and will incur a \$40.00 service fee. Replacement amount and fee are to be paid by cash or money order.
- * Exhibitor entry includes CCDS membership for the current calendar year.
- * No electronic or prong training collars will be allowed at this trial site.
- * Dogs not owned or handled by exhibitors are not allowed at this trial due to insurance restrictions.
- * Capitol Canine Dog Sports, their Board, Members, and the State of Illinois, will not be liable for any loss, or injury which may be sustained through loss, disappearance, theft, communicable disease, parasites, injury, and/or death of dogs entered in this event.

Additional Premiums may be found at:

<http://www.k9cpe.com/agilityevents.htm> or
<https://www.capitolcanine.com/dog-event-information/>

The Trial Secretary is not responsible for emails not received.
if you have not received a response after 24 hours, please call by phone.
Calls are monitored; please leave a message if not answered.

AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST

SANCTIONED BY



Friday - December 1, 2023
Saturday - December 2, 2023
Sunday - December 3, 2023

HOSTED BY: **Capitol Canine Dog Sports**
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IL State Fairgrounds – Livestock Center
801 E. Sangamon Ave., Springfield IL 62702

Judge: Marianne Fieseler – Florida

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 OPENING DATE: October 20, 2023 ➤ Entries may be received at any time on or after the opening date. ➤ Entries received before the opening date will be held for second day entry. ➤ Hand delivered entries cannot be accepted on or before the opening date. Hand delivered entries can only be accepted on day 2 or later. ➤ Overnight envelopes must have the recipient's signature waiver signed or the envelope may be refused or delayed.
Final Closing Date (received by): November 21, 2023 No Refund of Pre-Entries withdrawn after the closing date, except wait list stipulated. Checks will be held until the closing date
Final Move-Up Date: November 27, 2023, 10 a.m. CST Day to day move-ups will be taken for classes that are repeated.
Limits: 375 runs per day
Declared Training In The Ring will be allow at this trial (see rules page for info)
No Day Of Show entries
Indoors on dirt – fenced ring 82' x 110' ellipse (irregular oval) ring Climate Controlled at 65° ~ Crating on concrete

Trial Chairperson	Trial Secretary
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Committee Members Shari Goodfield, Linda Hinsman, Mike Hopper, Kelly McAtee, Marge Schroeder, Erin Vincent	

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).

December 1, 2023	December 2, 2023	December 3, 2023
Jumpers Snooker FullHouse Jackpot	FullHouse Standard Colors Snooker Wildcard	Jackpot Standard Wildcard Jumpers
CHECK-IN: Friday 8:45-9:00 am, Saturday & Sunday 7:30-7:45 am MEASURING: Friday 8:15-8:30 am, Saturday & Sunday 7:00-7:15 am <u>Briefing, Walkthrough and Judging begin after check-in</u>		
See www.k9cpe.com , Member Services for online registration. See "Registering with CPE" in the online rulebook for registration questions.		

MEASURING OF DOGS SHALL BE BEFORE THE JUDGES BRIEFING BEGINS EACH DAY
(OR AT THE JUDGES DISCRETION IF RUNNING IN A LATER CLASS)
ALL DOGS WITHOUT A PERMANENT CARD MUST BE MEASURED BEFOREHAND IN ORDER
TO SHOW THAT DAY – NO EXCEPTIONS.

Exhibitors Competing More than 1 Day, Need To Check In The First Day Only

PRIZES & AWARDS:

* Placement ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th place for Qualifying and non-qualifying scores for all classes. Dogs with a NT (no time) are not eligible for any ribbons.

* All Level 1-5 Qualifiers will receive a Teal ribbon

* All Level C Qualifiers will receive a Rainbow ribbon

* All Jr. Handler Standard Qualifiers will receive an Orange ribbon

* New Title Ribbons

* Rosette and Bar will be awarded for all C-ATCH & C-ATE Titles

* Perfect Weekend Key Fob – dog must be entered and Q in all classes offered.

All ribbons, rosettes and prizes must be picked up by the end of Sunday. None will be mailed.

EXERCISE YOUR DOG RESPONSIBLY - PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE AND HOTELS!
ALL DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH EXCEPT WHEN IN THE RING OR WARM UP AREA.

OBSTACLES: Obstacle specifications shall meet the current CPE obstacle requirements. See the CPE rulebook for an updated list.

-Volunteers are needed for the smooth running of the trial.

-An online worker link will be included with the final confirmation letter.

-Daily worker raffle, drinks, and snacks.

Accommodations: (please verify pet policy and fees) *Discount code

La Quinta Inn & Suites: 1121 Lejune Dr., Springfield IL (217) 697-5686

Microtel Inn & Suites: 2636 Sunrise Dr., Springfield IL (217) 753-2636

Drury Inn: 3180 S. Dirksen Pkwy., Springfield IL (217) 529-3900

Baymont Inn: 5871 South 6th St., Springfield IL (217) 529-6655

Motel 6: I-55 & Toronto Rd., Springfield IL (217) 529-1633 *CPM64DOG

Red Roof Inn: 3200 Singer Ave., Springfield IL (217) 753-4302 *629041

Fairground Camping: <https://statefair.illinois.gov/non-fair-events/facilities/campgrounds.html>
<https://statefair.illinois.gov/content/dam/soi/en/web/statefair/info/documents/campground-map.pdf>

Visitors & Tourism: <https://www.visitspringfieldillinois.com/>

Emergency Information: Pet / Human

Animal Emergency Clinic: 821 S. Durkin Dr., Springfield IL (217) 698-0870

St. John's Hospital: 800 E. Carpenter, Springfield IL (217) 544-6464

Memorial Medical Center: 701 N. 1st St., Springfield IL (217) 788-3000

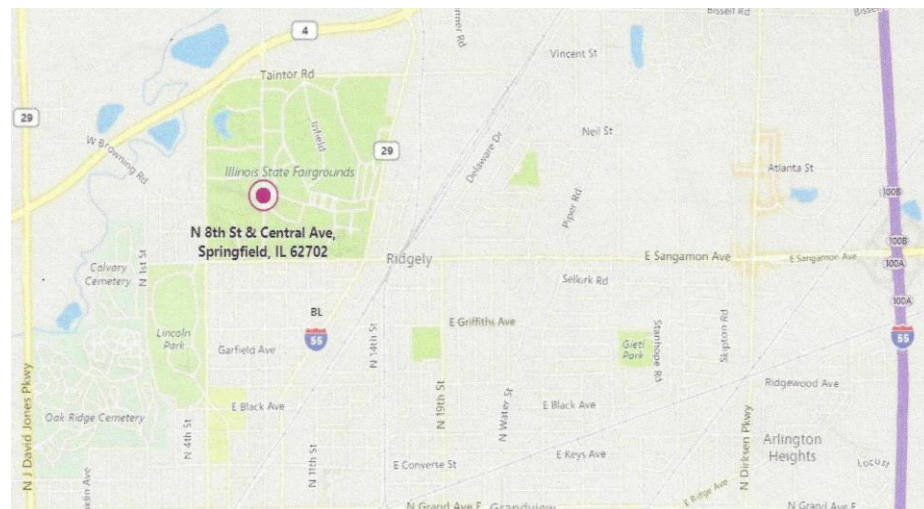
DIRECTIONS:

<https://statefair.illinois.gov/info/maps.html>

From the South or North: I-55 to Sangamon Ave./Exit 100B. Follow Sangamon Ave. west to 8th St. (Gate 11). Turn right into the fairgrounds. Go down, then up the hill to the first street, Central Ave. Turn right, first brick building on your right.

From the West: I-72 East to I-55 North to Sangamon Ave./Exit 100B. Follow directions listed above.

From the East (Champaign/Decatur): I-72 West to I-55 North to Sangamon Ave./Exit 100B. Follow directions listed above.



Fairgrounds map:

<https://statefair.illinois.gov/content/dam/soi/en/web/statefair/info/documents/isfmap.pdf>

CPE trial rules – shortened version: see the current online [Rulebook](#) for more information on further height categories, registration, 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 on 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 Thursday prior to the first trial day for Day of Show entries. Registrations are only processed online at [Member Services](#) (M-Th). CPE ID numbers are emailed after they are processed.
- 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

- Dogs shall run without anything attached to their body (except for a collar as described below). This is for the safety of the dog and includes no: stitches, wraps, or other items. The only exception is a small barrette or rubber band to keep hair out of a dog’s eyes.
- Dogs may run courses with or without *one* collar. Collars should preferably be quick release style, flat buckle, rolled leather, or flea prevention. No attachments of any kind are allowed on the collar.
- Dogs may enter the ring on a collar, slip lead, quick release harness or head halti/leader. If prong collars are allowed at the show site, they may *not* be used to take a dog into the ring. No retractable leashes allowed.
- 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, but if the dog plays with it during the run, it would be considered a toy and would result in an NT. Leashes may not have anything (other than name/license tags) attached to them when used in the ring.

- Dogs must be under the handler’s control when leaving the ring or the judge may enter the run as No Time - NT.

Declared Training In The Ring

If allowed by the Host Club, and a handler decides they may 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 (approved by the Judge of record PRIOR to the start of the class to determine its eligibility. The toy is NOT allowed to be used in either gate chute or prior to the previous dog leaving the ring.

The following items *are not* considered training in the ring:

- Dog grabbing its 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)

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

While running on course

- The handler will direct the dog through the course without a collar or lead.
- Food (includes fanny packs) is 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 (except a toy or training device as noted above for TIR). 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.

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

Questions? Please check the [CPE](#) website or the online rulebook.

If you have further questions, email CPE

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

Official CPE Entry Form - Host Club: Capitol Canine Dog Sports											
Trial Dates: December 1-3, 2023						Final Closing: November 21, 2023					
Entry Method: First Received – Opening Date: October 20, 2023											
Make entry fees payable in US funds to: CCDS											
Mail Entries to: Chari Hopper, Trial Secretary - CCDS 4317 Deming Drive, Springfield IL 62703-6202											
Dog's CPE ID # _____ -- _____				Dog's Call Name							
Breed						Sex M / F					
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(s)											
Handler (if non-owner, ID#)											
Address											
City / State / Zip											
Phone ()						Email					
Jr. Handler name											
See Page 2 for run order of classes											
Friday-Dec. 1 circle level for each class											
Snooker		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17		FullHouse		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17	
Jackpot		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17		Jumpers		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17	
Saturday-Dec. 2 circle level for each class						Sunday-Dec. 3 circle level for each class					
Standard		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17		Standard		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17	
Colors		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17		Wildcard		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17	
Wildcard		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17		Jackpot		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17	
Snooker		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17		Jumpers		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17	
FullHouse		1 2 3 4 5 C		\$17							
Packages (First dog) – 3-day, Fri/Sat/Sun (all 13 runs) \$195 <input type="checkbox"/>											
Fri/Sat or Sat/Sun (all 9 runs) \$145 <input type="checkbox"/> / Fri/Sun (all 8 runs) \$130 <input type="checkbox"/>											
Additional 2 nd , 3 rd , etc. dog package price – Deduct \$5 per package <input type="checkbox"/>											
*Package discount (same owner/household) Junior Handler: \$9 per run											
Total Enclosed (This Entry): \$						(do not staple) Check#					
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 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	

Confirmations of entry are emailed unless postal mail is requested.

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.

Emergency Contact: _____
*optional (Name) (Number)