

## TRIAL INFORMATION

### THREE AKC LICENSED ALL BREED AGILITY TRIALS

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### Triune Agility Club of Southwest Illinois

**Friday, February 22, 2019**  
**Saturday, February 23, 2019**  
**Sunday, February 24, 2019**

#### Triune Canine Training and Event Center

1903 E. Edwardsville Road  
Wood River, IL 62095

**Trials will be held indoors on Grass Tex turf**

Ring size: 100' x 90'

#### Trial Secretary

Carolyn Johnson  
Lab Tested Secretary Services  
AKC Annually Licensed Agility Trial Secretary

632 N Forest Ave  
Webster Groves, MO 63119  
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314-222-9212 (FAX)  
[carolyn.johnson@labtestedsecretary.com](mailto:carolyn.johnson@labtestedsecretary.com)



#### Veterinarian On Call

Horseshoe Lake Animal Hospital  
5230 Horseshoe Lake Rd  
Collinsville, IL 62234  
618-344-7949

Thursday 8 am - 8 pm, Friday 8 am - 5 pm, Saturday 8:30 am - 2 pm

Animal Emergency Center  
2005 Mall St  
Collinsville, IL 62234  
618-346-1843  
Thursday - Friday: 6 pm - 8 am  
Saturday at Noon - Monday at 8 am

#### Trial Chair

Helen Meyer  
3613 Rustic Meadow Dr, St Louis, MO 63129  
314-894-2867  
[hmeyer3613@hotmail.com](mailto:hmeyer3613@hotmail.com)

#### Event Committee

Helen Meyer	Trial Chair
Julie Carlson	Hospitality Chair
Deb Spaul	Worker Chair
Theresa Corcoran	Awards Chair
Joan Meyer	Chief Course Builder

#### Judge & Assignment

Ronald McClelland  
3183 Basil Western Rd NW, Baltimore, OH 43015  
*All Classes*

#### Tentative Running Order/Start Times

**Class Order** - Regular and Preferred will be run together at each height.

Friday	Premier STD – M/X STD – Open STD – Novice STD – Premier JWW – M/X JWW – Open JWW – Novice JWW
Saturday	M/X JWW – Open JWW – Novice JWW — M/X FAST / Open FAST / Novice FAST – M/X STD – Open STD – Novice STD
Sunday	M/X JWW – Open JWW – Novice JWW – T2B – M/X STD – Open STD – Novice STD

**NOTE: All FAST classes will walk together.**

#### Jump Order

Friday	Tall to small
Saturday	Small to tall EXCEPT Open FAST will run Tall to small
Sunday	Tall to small

#### Start Times

All days	Walkthrough/judge's briefing 7:30 am	Judging starts 8:00 am
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#### "After Closing" Waiting List

**Saturday's trial** has an after closing waiting list. The waiting list will be active until its deadline — Monday, Feb 18, 6:00 pm CST. Any runs that are entered in these trials at closing and pulled before the waiting list deadline will be replaced, if possible, by runs in order on the waiting list, and the exhibitor will be reimbursed in full. **If a run is pulled but cannot be replaced, the exhibitor will not receive a refund and the dog will be considered absent for the run.** Entry fees for runs on the waiting list that do not get into the trial by the waiting list closing date will be refunded in full.

### Move-ups

**For the Friday trial: MOVE-UPS close at 6:00 pm CST, Monday, Feb 18.** Move-ups may be sent by regular mail or email to the Trial Secretary. If an email address is provided with your entry, an email confirmation of the move-up will be sent.

**For the Saturday and Sunday trials: MOVE-UPS close 30 minutes after the end of the trial on Friday and Saturday respectively and must be submitted at the trial.**

### Change of Entry

As described in Chapter 1, Section 21 of the Regulations for Agility Trials, a dog which is entered in a Novice A class for which it is not eligible may be moved to Novice B. In addition, if notification has been received in writing from the AKC after closing that a dog is not eligible for a class entered, the dog may be moved to the correct class. The request for the move must be made at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial. If a VMO or Field Representative at a trial measures a dog into a height other than what they entered, the entry may be changed from Regular to Preferred or from Preferred to Regular, as long as the dog has not run any classes that day. If the dog has already run, the change may be made for the next trial day(s). The exhibitor must provide the Trial Secretary the AKC Agility Measurement Form when requesting the class change.

### AKC Height Cards

There is no VMO at this trial. Your dog will need to be measured by the judge if your dog:

- is under 2 years old and does not have an official measurement (yellow slip)
- is over 2 years old and does not have at least one official measurement since turning 2 years old

### Crate & Chair Information

#### **CRATING ON COMFORT KING MATTING:**

1. You must use a crate mat/tarp. For the safety of everyone, all mats and tarps must be completely under your crates.
2. For crating areas on the Comfort King Matting adjacent to the concrete floor, chairs will be placed on the concrete floor. Mats are required under crates.
3. For the other crating areas on the Comfort King Matting, chairs must be beside your crates, not in front. You must use a carpet remnant or carpet sample under all 4 legs of the chair to prevent damage to the matting. Only carpet with backing may be used with the chairs.

**CRATING ON CONCRETE:** Crate mats/tarps are not required. However, if you use a crate mat/tarp, for the safety of everyone, the mat or tarp must be completely under your crates. Please place your chair beside your crate, not in front.

### Thursday Show N Go

There will be an agility show-n-go held by the facility on Thursday afternoon from 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm. For more info, go to [www.triunecanine.com](http://www.triunecanine.com)

### Trial Information

Setup on Thursday will be from 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm.

Trial hours are 7:00 am to 30 minutes after completion.

Ring size: 100' x 90'.

The building is climate-controlled.

Electronic timing will be used at these trials.

Flexi-Leads are not allowed in the building.

Dogs may not be left in the building overnight.

Please bring crates and water for your dogs. See crating information on previous page.

Please clean up after your dogs.

### Notice to Exhibitors

The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering these trials, 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 Event Committee.

Triune Agility Club of Southwest Illinois may cancel this event in extreme weather conditions.

Entry fees will not be refunded if the trials cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

Since bitches in season are not allowed to compete in AKC Agility Trials, the club will refund all but \$15.00 of the entry fee per day for bitches unable to compete for that reason. The club will refund all but \$15.00 of the entry fee per day for injured dogs. In both cases, written request for a refund must be made to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of the first trial day and a veterinarian's letter must be provided.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

All dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. The judge need not wait for any dog holding up a class. Triune Agility Club of Southwest Illinois has no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or steward for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought to the ring when required.

Dogs under 4 months of age are not permitted on the show grounds of AKC Agility Trials. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites and any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.

Triune Agility Club of Southwest Illinois does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC entry form for this event.

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. There is a \$25 returned check fee.

No refunds will be issued for overpayment of less than \$10.

Checks for cancelled or incomplete entries will be shredded. No check will be returned.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

### Motel Information

**Dogs may NOT be left in rooms unattended.**

**Motel 6**, 1240 E Chain of Rocks Rd, Pontoon Beach, IL 62040  
618-931-2262

**Super 8 Motel**, 910 Edwardsville Rd, Troy, IL 62294  
618-667-8888

**Drury Inn & Suites**, 602 N Bluff Rd, Collinsville, IL 62234  
800-325-0720, 618-345-7700

**LaQuinta Inn & Suites**, 6 Gateway Dr, Collinsville, IL 62234  
618-855-8400

**LaQuinta Inn & Suites**, 14 Regency Pkwy, Pontoon Beach, IL 62040  
618-797-1200

NOTE: Pet policy should be confirmed before making reservations.

### RVs

RV parking is available at the trial site. There are NO electric hookups or dumping station at this facility. There is no fee, but reservations are necessary. Contact Helen Meyer, hmeyer3613@hotmail.com, for more information. Reservation form is provided on last page.

Local RV Parks (check availability):

**St Louis NE / Granite City KOA**, 3157 W Chain of Rocks Rd, Granite City, IL 62040, 800-562-5861, 618-931-5160, www.koa.com/where/mo/13107/

**Cahokia RV Parque**, 4060 Mississippi Ave, Cahokia, IL 62206, 618-332-7700

All exhibitors must be responsible for cleaning up after their dogs on the motel, RV and trial grounds. Motels require that dogs be crated when unattended. Any damages to motels, RV sites or the trial site can result in disciplinary action by the Event Committee. It is expected that exhibitors will clean up immediately after their own dogs and strongly encourage others to do the same.

All owners/exhibitors should be aware that the entire motel grounds and RV sites are considered within the trial grounds. You will be responsible for all damage to your room/site and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC. Any abuse of the grounds will be brought to the attention of the trial-giving club and its Event Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel or RV facilities. This is an AKC supported measure.

### Prizes and Awards

Ribbons will be awarded to First Place through Fourth Place in each jump height in each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. Dogs must qualify to receive placement rosettes.

- 1st place ..... Blue
- 2nd place ..... Red
- 3rd place ..... Yellow
- 4th place ..... White
- Qualifying ..... Green

A MACH bar and rosette will be awarded to any dog finishing a MACH title at these trials. A PACH bar and rosette will be awarded to any dog finishing a PACH title at these trials. A rosette will be awarded to any dog finishing an AGCH title.

### Volunteer Workers

Volunteers will be needed for the smooth running of this trial. The link to the online worker form will be emailed to all exhibitors to fill in for volunteering in the next week. Volunteers will receive coupons towards lunch and raffle tickets. Volunteer chair — Deb Spaul, kasemaster@aol.com

### Vendors

Vendor fee is \$25 per day. Reservations and fees need to be paid by closing date. Please contact Helen Meyer at hmeyer3613@hotmail.com if you are interested in vending at this trial. Vending space is limited.

### Directions

**From St Louis** - I-64 east to I-55 north to I-255 north toward Roxana. Take Exit 6 IL-143 W/ Edwardsville Road (signs for Wood River) Go left on IL-143 for 1 mile. At the intersection of Schnucks and Federico Car Dealerships, take a right at the light. Triune Canine Training and Event Center is located between the two Federico dealerships.

**From West (beyond I-270)** - I-270 north/east to I-255 north toward Roxana. Follow directions above.

**From Northeast** - I-55 south to I-270 west to I-255 north toward Roxana. Follow directions above.

**From North** - I-255 S to Exit 6 IL-143 W. Go right on Edwardsville Road (signs for Wood River) At the intersection of Schnucks and Federico Car Dealerships, take a right at the light. Triune Canine Training and Event Center is located between the two Federico dealerships.

**From East** - I-64 west to I-255 north toward Roxana. Follow directions above.

