



**Proudly presents an AAC Sanctioned Trial
May 17th and 18th, 2008
Held at the Day Farm in
Harrowsmith, ON**

CLOSING date is April 18th, 2008
(Or when limit has been reached)

Judges for this event will be:

**Gayle Avery, Claude Dionne
And Robin Robbs**

Events are offered in all three classes
Regular, Veteran and Special

Saturday, May 17th, 2008

Masters: Standard (2), Gamblers, Team Relay, Jumpers

Advanced: Standard (2), Gamblers, Team Relay, Snooker, Jumpers

Sunday, May 18th, 2008

Masters: Standard (2), Gamblers, Jumpers, Snooker

Starters: Standard (2), Gamblers, Team Relay, Snooker, Jumpers

Schedule

7:30 Registration and Dog Measurement

7:45 General Briefing

8:00 Judges Briefing

8:15 First Dog on the Line

Please note that there will be NO familiarization period.

However 2 jumps will be available for warm up purposes only.

Two rings will be used however events will alternate between Ring One and Ring Two, starting with Ring One each day.

Events will be starting with Ring ONE each day

The Judge at the TOP of the schedule will be judging in that ring all day.

AWARDS

- ❖ Qualifying Rosette Ribbons will be awarded for achieving a qualifying score.
- ❖ Ribbons will be presented for placements 1st through 4th in all categories.
(Open and Mini divisions may be combined depending on the number of entries in the trial.)
- ❖ TITLING Ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a Title.
- ❖ ATChC, Bronze, Silver and Gold Awards of Merit and Lifetime Awards will be recognized.

PLEASE NOTE:

It is the responsibility of the Handler to let the Organizing Committee know if your dog has completed its requirements for a Title.

RIBBONS will be presented between events as time permits for Starters events only.

Advanced and Masters events will be self serve Q's and placement ribbons.

ALL TITLE RIBBONS for ALL LEVELS will be presented.

General Information

Title Trial - Dogs will be divided into 4 height groups in 3 different divisions; Regular, Special and Veteran. The Masters Standard courses are open to all dogs that have an AADC Title; the Masters Games are open to all dogs that have received two corresponding Advanced Games qualifying scores in the same game. The Advanced Standard courses are open to all dogs that have an ADC; Advanced Games are for dogs that have received ONE qualifying score in the same Starters Game. Starters Standard courses are open to all dogs that have not received their ADC title. Starter Games are open to any dogs that have not received a qualifying score in that event. (Once your dog has received ONE qualifying score in a Starter Game you must move up to the Advanced level in that game at your next trial)

Obstacles- A-Frame, Dogwalk, Teeter Totter, Weave Poles, Table, Flexible Tunnels, Chute (collapsible tunnel), Tire Jump, Ascending Spread Jump, Double Jump, and Single Jumps.

Facilities- This is an outdoor trial and will be held rain or shine. Water Tanker for cooling dogs. You will be required to provide your own shade, seating and crating for your dog. Come dressed for the weather.

Dog Aggression- All dogs MUST be kept in an x-pen, crate, or on leash when not in the ring, this includes the grounds and parking lot. **IN ORDER** to avoid incidence of dog aggression, please give all dogs lots of room and be aware of what your friendly dog is doing. Any dog engaging in aggressive behavior at any time will be required to leave the show grounds. In such cases NO refunds will be issued.

WHY VOLUNTEER??

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Accommodations

The following is a list of hotels/motels and local campgrounds that will accept dogs.

(Please confirm at time of booking.)

CAMPING is available on site at the fee of \$10.00 per tent per night. There are no hook ups available on site. NO OPEN FIRES are permitted.

KOA Campground – Cordukes Road, Kingston, 1-(800) 562-9178

Desert Lake Family Resort Campground – Hartington, ON 1-866-421-2956

Comfort Inn 401 -55 Warne Crescent, Kingston 1-(800) 228-5150

Comfort Inn by Journey's End - 1454 Princess St., Kingston 1-(800) 228-5150

First Canada Inns - 1 First Canada Court, Kingston 1-(800) 267-7899

Notice to Participants

- This trial will be held under AAC rules.
- This is a LIMITED entry trial.
- Trial will be run on a grass surface and will continue rain or shine.
- Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they know the AAC rules and regulations.
- Handlers should be aware of the running order and watch for possible changes. All dogs must be ready in the ON DECK area at least 2 dogs prior to their run.
- Move Ups are permitted and the Trial Secretary MUST be informed in writing 5 days prior to the event. Move ups will be allowed the day of competition for qualifying scores earned that day.
- No collars, toys, treats or other training aids will be permitted on course at any time. Leads are allowed to enter the ring but must be left behind the start line.
- All obstacles conform to AAC specifications.
- This trial is open to all dogs, purebred and non-purebred, that are at least 18 months of age and have an AAC ID number. **ALL DOGS** must have an AAC ID number issued by the AAC prior to the event. Please note it may take several weeks to receive your ID Card. NO ID cards are available for purchase at the trial. A Valid AAC ID card must be presented at the trial check-in; otherwise the dog must be measured for verification of jump height and must jump the height they are measured at.
- There shall be no refunds, cancellations or changes after the closing date. In the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from the competition regardless of the reason for the dismissal, for a dog that is absent from the competition or in the event of inclement weather there shall also be no refunds. Refunds will be issued for dogs that come into heat or are injured, providing that the Trial Secretary is notified within 48 hours prior to the start of the trial with a veterinary note.

- Cheques may be deposited once received. No postdated cheques shall be accepted. Trial confirmations will be sent out shortly after the closing date of the trial. **Trial Entries Received will be posted on the website once received and updated frequently.**
- PLEASE clean up after your dog. ANYONE seen not cleaning up after their dog will be dismissed from the trial site immediately without refund.
- Any handler who is found to be abusive to their dog will be dismissed from the trial and the incident shall be reported to the AAC Disciplinary Committee.
- No entries will be accepted, cancelled or substituted after the closing date.
- Absolute Agility Recreational Facilities (AARF) organizing committee has reserved the right to refuse any entry, for any reason.
- All entries must be completed correctly and accompanied by the proper fee to be valid.

Directions:

From Toronto:

401 eastbound to Exit #611 (Harrowsmith / Sharbot Lake) Turn RIGHT at the lights heading North on Hwy. #38 to Harrowsmith. Harrowsmith is approximately 18 km north of the 401. Turn right at the second flashing light Harrowsmith Rd / Rutledge Road (Hwy 5). (POPPA PETE'S PIZZA at the turn) On Harrowsmith Rd/Rutledge Road (Hwy 5) travel east approximately 1.5 km. Stone Vista Farm is on the right. Fire number 3585. The Farm is owned by Chas. And Wm. Day. Under the Stone Vista Farm sign they advertise dry firewood for sale. Turn onto the gravel laneway and drive south (straight ahead) until you reach the trial site.

From Ottawa and Montreal via 401:

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From Ottawa via Hwy #7:

At Sharbot Lake, Follow signs for Hwy 38 / Kingston. When coming into Harrowsmith you will be turning left onto Harrowsmith Rd / Rutledge Road (Hwy 5). (POPPA PETE'S PIZZA at the turn) On Harrowsmith Rd/Rutledge Road (Hwy 5) travel east approximately 1.5 km. Stone Vista Farm is on the right. Fire number 3585. The Farm is owned by Chas. And Wm. Day. Under the Stone Vista Farm sign they advertise dry firewood for sale. Turn onto the gravel laneway and drive south (straight ahead) until you reach the trial site.



Trial Entry Form – May 17th and 18th, 2008

Handler's Name			
Owner's Name (if different from Handler)			
Dog's Call Name		AAC ID#	
Have you trialed with us before? YES NO			
IF YES Only fill out information below that has CHANGED from your last trial with us THEN go directly to your entry form/class selections. IF NO, Complete all info below.			
Street Address			
City	Province	Postal Code	
Phone number		Email Address	
Dogs DOB		Dog's Breed	
Height at withers	Sex:	Male	Female
Jump Height At This Trial (please circle)	6"	10"	16" 22" 26"
Division For this Trial: Regular Specials Veterans			

Please note that if an email address is provided, it will be used to send your confirmations.

May 17 th		May 18 th	
ROBIN ROBBS	GAYLE AVERY	ROBIN ROBBS	CLAUDE DIONNE
RING ONE	RING TWO	RING ONE	RING TWO
Advanced Gamblers	Master Gamblers (1)	Starters Jumper	Master Jumpers (2)
Advanced Team	Master Team Relay	Starters Snooker	Master Snooker
Advanced Standard (1)	Masters Standard (1)	Starters Standard (1)	Master Gamblers (2)
Advanced Standard (2)	Master Standard (2)	Starters Standard (2)	Master Standard (3)
Advanced Snooker	Master Jumpers (1)	Starters Team	Master Standard (4)
Advanced Jumpers		Starters Gamblers	

Team Relay Partner & Dog's Name _____ Or DRAW

PACKAGE DEALS! (Read fine print)

Must be completed at the SAME trial and is PER dog. You CAN NOT share packages with multiple dogs.

5 Run Package	10 Run Package
\$75.00	\$140.00
Additional Runs \$15.00	Additional Runs \$14.00

Cost for individual runs if NOT in package is \$16.50 per run (includes any taxes)

TOTAL FEE INCLUDED _____

Please make your Cheques payable to: **Absolute Agility Recreational Facility (AARF)**

Mail to: Jennifer Laird, RR# 1 Harrowsmith, ON KOH 1VO

Entries close April 13th, 2008 (or when limited entry has been reached)

ALL entries MUST include Signed Waiver

Agility Association of Canada General Waiver/Disclaimer/Agreement

I (we) agree that Absolute Agility Recreational Facility (AARF), holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the organizing committee shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog participate or be judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, the organization which it represents, including its members, officers and directors, owners of the premises upon which the event is being held and their employees, harmless from any claim or loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the premises, grounds, or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for the loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death, or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of body injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves) or on account of damage to the property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person.

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner of the dog entered hereon. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) have read, understand and will abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of the Agility Association of Canada, Inc. in effect at the time of this entry, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the Agility Trial Schedule for this event. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and General Agreement/Disclaimer. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with such Official Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accordance with them.

Signature _____ Date _____

Further, I (we) hereby grant to the Agility Association of Canada, Inc. and Absolute Agility Recreational Facility (AARF), its representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate my (our) and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter known. I (we) hereby release AAC, its representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality or similar right.

I further allow Absolute Agility Recreational Facility (AARF) to place photos of myself or dog on their website for information purposes only and not for advertising purposes.

Initial _____

VOLUNTEERS are important to help run all events smoothly. If you are willing to assist when you are not running your dog or are bringing someone who can assist, please initial

I can volunteer _____ I can bring a volunteer (name of volunteer) _____

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Agility Association of Canada
Dog ID Card Registration Form
Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned

Owner: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____

Province / State: _____

Postal Code / ZIP: _____

Telephone: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____
(Name to appear on certificate – 20 characters maximum)

Dog's Registered Name: _____

Breed: _____
(Specify "All Canadian" to denote Mix Breed)

Dog's Date of Birth: _____ (Day/Month/Year)
(Estimate to the day if Unknown)

Dog's Height at Withers: _____

Fee Enclosed: \$ 12.60 if new card (GST# 896176179)
 \$ 6.30 if replacement card ID number:
 \$ 0.00 if Change of Address, no new card will be issued

Make Cheque/money order payable to: Agility Association of Canada
(CDN funds)

Mail To: Barbara Brown
9640 Hedley Dr, RR# 2
Ilderton, ON N0M 2A0
Canada

All dogs must have a valid AAC ID Number before they compete.
Legs and Titles will only be issued to dogs with a valid AAC ID Number.
Please allow up to six (6) weeks for processing and delivery of ID Cards.