

**The Agility Association of Canada,  
Absolute Agility and Simcoe Dog Sports  
Proudly Host:  
2014 AAC Ontario  
Twin Regional Championships**

**June 6<sup>th</sup> – June 8<sup>th</sup> in Harrowsmith  
June 20<sup>th</sup> – June 22<sup>nd</sup> in Cookstown**



**Your Regional Area Closing Date: Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup>**

WESTERN REGIONAL IS A LIMITED ENTRY AND WILL BE CLOSED ONCE LIMIT HAS BEEN REACHED

**Final Closing Date to Enter Either Region is Friday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**

**Our Judges:**

**Claude Dionne (PQ)  
Francine LaLonde (PQ)  
John Willis (ON)**

2014 Regional websites:  
[www.absoluteagility.com](http://www.absoluteagility.com)  
[www.simcoedogsports.com](http://www.simcoedogsports.com)

All times listed below are tentative.  
Please check event website for most current schedule.

Tentative Schedule of Events	
Friday, June 6 <sup>th</sup> / June 20 <sup>th</sup>	
8:00 am – 6:00 pm	Competitor and Volunteer Registration
8:00 am – 11:30 am	Warm-up Games (Touch and Go)
10:30 am- 11:30 am	Dog Measurements
12:00 pm	Sanctioned Round One Begins - Gambler, Jumper, Steeplechase Judges Briefing and Walk Through
2:30 pm	Sanctioned Round Two Begins - Standard, Jumper, Steeplechase Judges Briefing and Walk Through Money Prizes will be awarded after the last event.
6:00 pm	Building for Regional Event
Saturday, June 7 <sup>th</sup> / June 21 <sup>st</sup>	
7:30 am – 8:00 am	Late Competitor Registration & Dog Measurements
8:00 am – 8:30 am	General Walk Through of all rings
8:35 am	General Judges Briefing
8:45 am	Round 1 Walk Through
9:00 am	Regionals Round 1 - Day 1 First Dog on the Line
11:30 am	Round 2 Walk Through
11:45 am	Regionals Round 2 - Day 1 First Dog on the Line
2:30 pm	Round 3 Walk Through
2:45 pm	Regionals Round 3 - Day 1 First Dog on the Line
6:00 pm	Day 1 Individual Event Ribbons Available (Self Serve)
Sunday, June 8 <sup>th</sup> / June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	
7:15 am – 7:45 am	General Walk Through of all rings
8:00 am	General Judges Briefing
8:15 am	Round 1 Walk Through
8:30 am	Regionals Round 1 - Day 2 First Dog on the Line
11:00 am	Round 2 Walk Through
11:15 am	Regionals Round 2 - Day 2 First Dog on the Line
2:00 pm	Round 3 Walk Through
2:15 pm	Regionals Round 3 - Day 2 First Dog on the Line
5:30 pm (or sooner)	Overall Placement Presentation
6:00 pm	Day 2 Individual Event Ribbons Available (Self Serve)

No Competitors will be allowed on site prior to Friday morning

## **Reminder to Competitors**

- Dogs must remain on leash and under control at all times when not competing or warming up, except in specific off-leash areas at the trial site that will be marked.
- If you are running multiple dogs you will be in one group with all your dogs for the regional event only.
- Friday sanctioned events will be running 3 rings at the same time.
- Breakaway tires and rubberized contacts will be used in all rings
- All obstacles conform to current AAC specifications.
- Electronic timing will be used for all events.
- All rings will be 100' by 100'
- Large area designated for personal shade tenting. NO covered crating area will be provided.
- Jumps will be available in designated area for the purpose of warm ups only.
- Dogs must be exercised in designated areas only. You must pick up after your dogs on the show grounds, at your hotel and everywhere while in the area for your Championships. Anyone found not picking up will be excused from the trial site with no refund.
- Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be taped for commercial purposes without the permission of AAC.
- Through entry to this event each competitor grants to the AAC and its representatives and/or agents all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and his/her 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 to become known. All competitors hereby release AAC and its representatives and/or agents from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality or any similar right.
- No bitches in season will be permitted on site. In the event that there is a complaint of suspicion of a bitch in season on site, all intact females may be checked by a veterinarian. A filing fee for complaints may be assessed. Competitors that enter the 2014 Ontario Regionals facility knowing their bitch is in season, will have the bitch excluded from the Ontario Regionals with no reimbursement of funds. If a competitor voluntarily withdraws their bitch prior to entering the event site, they will be reimbursed a full refund of entry fees with a vet certificate.
- There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date or, in the event the dog is absent on the day of the event or any portion of the event, cancellation of the event due to inclement weather, or if the dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal. Refunds will only be provided for bitches in season or injured dogs, provided notification is received by the trial secretary prior to the first day of the Ontario Regional Championships. Full refunds will be issued by the organizers for dogs pulled prior to the closing date. An administration fee of \$10.00 will be withheld from entries needing to be refunded after the closing date. A veterinarian's (DVM) certificate is required for this refund to be given.
- Any handler who is found to abuse a dog will be disqualified and asked to leave the trial site immediately and have a report sent to the AAC disciplinary board.
- Confirmation of Entries Received will be posted to the appropriate regional website as posted on the cover page. Each competitor is responsible for confirming with the Trial Secretary the correct class, jump height, and any additional information. If you require confirmation of delivery of your entry, send it via Express Post or courier with delivery confirmation with no signature required by the Trial Secretary.
- There will be a \$35.00 service charge for returned cheques. Overpayments of \$10.00 or less will not be refunded.
- ANY dog that falls under the BSL legislation may ONLY COMPETE at the Harrowsmith location.
- Friday events are a sanctioned trial and you do not have to enter the regional event to compete on Friday.

### **Where can I play?**

The Ontario West/North Regionals in Cookstown are open to competitors who live in Northern Ontario and those west of Highway 427. The Ontario East/South Regionals in Harrowsmith are open to competitors who live east of Highway 427. There is a map with the dividing line posted in the Facebook – Ontario Twin Regionals group. US competitors may apply to either event; AAC state to province breakout criteria apply.

**AGILITY ASSOCIATION OF CANADA (“AAC”)  
PARTICIPATION WAIVER AND RELEASE**

**Handler Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dog Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **AAC Dog ID#:** \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry by AAC, Absolute Agility/Simcoe Dog Sports, the opportunity to have the Dog participate, compete in and/or be judged at the 2013 Twin Ontario Regional Championships, I, the undersigned, agree as follows:

1. 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 and that the Dog is not a hazard to persons, property or other dogs.
2. I agree that AAC or the Organizing Club for the Event may refuse my entry for any reason that it deems to be sufficient.
3. I understand and acknowledge that participation in the Event carries certain risks, including, but not limited to injuries (including serious injuries and death) to myself, the Dog, another dog under my control or persons attending as my guests (my **“Related Parties”**), damage to property and other losses. I waive any and all claims that I have or may have in the future against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue AAC, the Organizing Club or any of the directors, executives, committees, representatives, employees, volunteers or agents of either AAC or the Organizing Club (the **“Personnel”**) for any injury, death, property damage or other loss that I or my Related Parties sustain due to any cause whatsoever, including negligence, breach of contract, breach of duty, statutory or otherwise, or mistakes or errors of judgment of any kind.
4. I assume full responsibility for the conduct of myself and my Related Parties during the entirety of the Event. I agree to indemnify and save harmless AAC, the Organizing Club and the Personnel from and against any and all claims that may be made against them or costs, fees, expenses or liability (including, without limitation, lawyers’ fees on a solicitor and own client basis) incurred by AAC, the Organizing Club or the Personnel that may arise due to:
  - (a) any act or omission of myself, my Related Parties or any party for whom I am liable at law; or
  - (b) aggressive behaviour by the Dog or any other dog under my control.
5. I have read, and do understand the rules of competition and the additional rules (if any) appearing in the trial schedule for the Event, as well as the policies of AAC pertaining to discipline (collectively, the **“Rules”**). I agree to abide by the Rules and to conduct myself and the Dog in accordance with the Rules. I understand that myself and/or the Dog may be subject to disciplinary procedures or sanctions for breach of the Rules and agree to respect and be bound by any disciplinary decision made by AAC.
6. I understand that AAC and/or the Organizing Club may, in the course of administering the Event or conducting its activities generally, collect, use or disclose my personal information and that any personal information collected, used or disclosed by AAC and/or the Organizing Club will be treated in accordance with AAC policy and applicable privacy and personal information laws. I hereby consent to the collection, use and disclosure by AAC and/or the Organizing Club of my personal information.
7. I have been given the opportunity to read and understand the terms of this Agreement before signing it, and have in fact done so. I understand that by signing this Agreement, I am restricting my legal rights and I sign this Agreement voluntarily and of my own free will.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Parent or Guardian must sign if the Handler is under 18 years of age.*

**Date (mm/dd/yy):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry not valid unless Agreement is signed, dated and submitted with the correct fee.**

# AAC 2014 ONTARIO TWIN REGIONALS OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Please return entry form, signed Participant waiver and release,  
and the appropriate entry fees in Canadian funds mailed to:

<p><b>For June 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>, 2014</b>  <b>AAC 2014 Ontario Regionals Entries</b>  <b>C/O Jennifer Laird</b>  <b>4472 Colebrooke Road</b>  <b>RR# 1 Harrowsmith, ON</b>  <b>KOH 1VO</b>  <b>Payment made to: Absolute Agility</b></p>	<p><b>For June 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014</b>  <b>AAC 2014 Ontario Regionals Entries</b>  <b>C/O Mary Denise Williamson</b>  <b>20 Stuart Ave.</b>  <b>Barrie, ON</b>  <b>L4M 0A2</b>  <b>Payment made to: Ontario Regionals</b></p>
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Entries must be postmarked by Friday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014. Incomplete entries (including NSF cheques) will be considered invalid. No post-dated cheques will be accepted and no refunds will be issued after the closing date.

Handler's Information			
Handler's name:	Owner if not handler:		
Address:	City:		
Province/State:	Postal/Zip Code:		
Telephone:	E-mail:		
Full name of spouse/significant other competing at this event:			
<b><u>CIRCLE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING – Entering to Compete in</u></b> <b>Harrowsmith – June 6-8th</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Cookstown – June 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup></b></span>			
<b><u>CIRCLE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING</u></b> THIS IS MY REGIONAL AREA <span style="float: right;">THIS IS NOT MY REGIONAL AREA</span>			
Dog's Information (please use a separate entry for each dog)			
Call name:	Breed:	Height at withers:	
Date of birth:	Dog's AAC #:		
Class entry (please circle one):    Regular    Specials    Veterans    DD Veteran			
Junior Handler – For sanctioned events only    JH AAC#			
Jump height for this event (please circle one):    6"    10"    16"    22"    26"			
Entry Fees			
Regional Entry Fee for 1 <sup>st</sup> Dog	\$135		
Regional Entry Fee for each additional Dog by the same handler	\$125		
Warm Up Runs (may purchase more than one)	\$7 each		
AAC Sanctioned Steeplechase 1st event (Ring 1) (John Willis)	\$22		
AAC Sanctioned Master Jumpers 1st event (Ring 2) (Francine LaLonde)	\$22		
AAC Sanctioned Master Gamble 1 <sup>st</sup> Event (Ring 3) (Claude Dionne)	\$22		
AAC Sanctioned Steeplechase 2nd event (Ring 1) (John Willis)	\$22		
AAC Sanctioned Master Jumper 2 <sup>nd</sup> event (Ring 2) (Francine LaLonde)	\$22		
AAC Sanctioned Master Standard 2 <sup>nd</sup> Event (Ring 3) (Claude Dionne)	\$22		
Event Gildden Cotton T Shirt	\$18		
<b>Color Choice    RED    BLUE</b>	Unisex Sizing    S    M    L    XL    2XL		
Unserviced Camping Spot HARROWSMITH ONLY	\$25/ night    Please Circle nights needed Thursday    Friday    Saturday    Sunday		
<b>Total Funds Enclosed:</b>			