Andrea Boucher 3208 Duke St. Kalamazoo, MI 49008

#### **ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON April 29, 2024, 8 a.m.** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. **ENTRIES CLOSE ON June 14, 2024, 8 p.m.** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

# PREMIUM LIST AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS

Entries are open to All-American dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners program



## Kalamazoo Kennel Club

Licensed by the American Kennel Club 1249 West D Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49001

Friday, June 21, 2024 Event # 2024062515
Saturday, June 22, 2024 Event # 2024062516==++
Sunday, June 23, 2024 Event # 2024062517

Judge for all classes: Laura Kuterbach 96663

Dubois, PA

Entry limits: 350 runs per day

Outdoors on grass: One Ring
Trial Hours: Friday, Saturday & Sunday – 7:00am to 7:00pm

Entry Fees: \$18 first run, \$16 each additional runs

Please Note: this is a change from previous years, as we are now using ONE RING.

Friday—FAST, STD (all levels), T2B, JWW (all levels)
Saturday — FAST, STD (all levels), T2B, JWW (all levels)
Sunday Classes—Premier STD, M/E, Open and Novice STD, T2B, Premier JWW, M/E Open and Novice JWW.



Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

#### Officers of the Kalamazoo Kennel Club

President	Jim Fankhauser
Vice President	Shannon Dobbins
SecretaryDecatur, MII	Dawn Lovell
Treasurer	Mary Law
Delegate to the AKC	Angela Boeske

#### **Board of Directors**

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#### **Trial Committee**

Sandy Morris, Kim Guy, Leslie Cash, Pam Wengorovius, Dawn Lovell, and any other club members in attendance.

#### **Veterinarians on Call**

Kalamazoo Animal Hospital 104 W. Cork St. Kalamazoo, MI 49001 (269) 385-1570

For after hours emergency care, call Southwest Michigan Animal Emergency Hospital (269)381-5228

### **Emergency Services**

Fire/Ambulance/Police Kalamazoo County

911

## Running order (subject to change)

Friday and Sunday are Small to tall, Saturday is Tall to Small

- Friday and Saturday: (FAST combined levels), M/E Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard, T2B, M/E JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW
- Sunday: Premier STD,M/E Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard, T2B, Premier JWW Master/Ex JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated. All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <a href="http://www.akc.org/rules/">http://www.akc.org/rules/</a>.

#### **EIGHT DIVISIONS**

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8" 8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16" For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers	
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
26"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion

**Agility Jump Height Cards and Measuring Information:** 

Effective Jan. 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to the Trial Secretary that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. This eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with the entry form.

It is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to have their original, Official Jump Height Card or Temporary Jump Height Form at each trial to present upon request. Additionally, if a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured PRIOR to running.

### **Dogs Eligible to Enter**

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under four months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

## **Obstacles and Ring Conditions**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place outdoors on grass surface. Indoor air-conditioned crating area.

## Course walk throughs and Warm-Up information

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training.

#### Vendors

Vendors are welcome. If you would like a vendor space, please contact Sandy Morris at morrissandy07@yahoo.com for more information.

## Ribbons, Awards, and Prizes

Rosettes/Ribbons will be awarded in each jump neight	division in each class as follows:
First Place	Blue
Second Place	
Third Place	Yellow
Fourth Place	White
Qualifying Score	Dark Green

A MACH/PACH rosette and decorated MACH/PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH or PACH.

All Prizes must be claimed the day of the trial, none will be mailed.

## **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

The safety of the dog 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.

- 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 an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Kalamazoo Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Kalamazoo Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Kalamazoo Kennel Club or any official thereof.
- Illegible or incomplete entries, unsigned entries or entries without fees, do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$20 charge for returned checks. Overpayments of less than \$10 will be considered a contribution to the club.
- Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms. Please read the confirmation letter carefully and correct any errors at that time.
- All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.
- 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. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a
  dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial
  Committee.
- This event may be cancelled in extreme weather conditions.
- Bitches in season are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. As such, the club will refund
  the entry fee paid for bitches unable to compete for this reason upon presentation of a
  veterinarian certificate.
- Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs.
- Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.
- No puppies under the age of 4 months are allowed at the show site.
- Move ups during the trial will be allowed, Forms for next day move ups must be received by the Trial Secretary within 30 minutes after the trial finishes for the day.
- Kalamazoo Kennel Club will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show.
- This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

## **Additional Site Information**

**Crating space** is available in our air-conditioned building. Please put a mat or tarp under your crates. Crates may be left overnight; however, the Kalamazoo Kennel Club will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

**No food concession** is available on the site. There are various restaurants and fast food vendors within a short driving distance. **Workers** will be fed lunch.

**Limited RV parking** with electrical hookups available at show site (\$10/night), air-conditioner use will require personal generators. Tent camping/RV camping with no hookups \$5/night. Contact Trial Chair Sandy Morris at **morrissandy07@yahoo.com@** for reservations.

**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 Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

## **Directions to the Trial Site**

From the North or South: US HWY 131, Exit #44 (D Ave.), east on D Ave to building on right. From the East or West: I-94 to US HWY 131 North to exit #44 (D Ave), east on D Ave to building on right.



## **Hotel Information**

These hotels accept well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions. Please do NOT LEAVE PETS UNATTENDED IN ROOMS! Please clean up after your dogs.

Quality Inn Baymont Inn Super 8 Motel Comfort Inn 3850 Sprinkle, Kalamazoo, MI 49001 269-381-7000 2203 S 11<sup>th</sup> St., Kalamazoo, MI 49009, 269-372-7999 618 Maple Hill Drive, Kalamazoo, MI 49009, 269-345-0146 622 Allegan St, Plainwell, MI 49080 269-685-9891 (pet fee)

## Class Changes Effective January 1, 2020

# Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. For example, the same dog may now be entered in Regular FAST and/or T2B to finish up those titles while also entered in Preferred Master STD/JWW to start working towards their PACH at the lower height. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed.

Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.

## Fix and Go On (FNG)

As of January 1, 2020, Fix and Go On will be offered. FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

## **Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)**

As of January 1, 2020, For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club.. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes. FEO will be of value to new exhibitors or exhibitors that are having difficulty with a specific obstacle and/or ring environment. Competitors must enter in T2B and/or FAST. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).
- Toys are allowed in the ring
  - o Toys must be non-audible
  - Toys may not leave the handler's hand
  - o Toys that roll freely cannot be used
- Food/treats are not allowed in the ring
- FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as a punitive correction. Harsh verbal and /or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.
- A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time



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#### OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

#### Kalamazoo Kennel Club

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FAST Nov A Nov B	Open Exc	Master	FAST No	vP Open	P ExcP	<u>MasterP</u>
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AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.

#### AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly or any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or 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 loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend, and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTREPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher **height division** for all **Regular** titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the **Preferred** classes **must** compete at the required jump height and <u>may not</u> compete in a jump height division **higher or lower** than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an **Agility Jump Height Card** may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the **AKC Canine Partners** program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

**Junior Handlers** should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. 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 forgoing representation and agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

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