

# DALLAS AGILITY WORKING GROUP AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST

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This Event is Accepting Entries for All AKC-Recognized Breeds and  
Dogs Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program (Mixed Breeds)



Friday thru Sunday, November 13, 14, 15, 2020

EVENT NUMBERS 2020526904, 2020526905, 2020526906

**Prospering Paws Farm**  
**350 Equestrian Way, Prosper, TX 75078**

Outdoors on Grass, Fully Fenced Rings

- ENTRY LIMIT:** **600 Runs per day; 300 Runs Per Judge Per Day**
- ENTRY METHOD:** First Received  
**ACCEPTING AKC ONLINE ENTRIES\*** (See Details Inside)
- TRIAL SECRETARY:** Sherri Farmer, PO Box 1720, Wylie TX 75098-1720
- OPENING DATE:** Wednesday, September 16, 2020, 8:00 AM
- CLOSING DATE:** Wednesday, October 28, 2020, 6:00 PM, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules and Chapter 1, Section 16 of the Regulations for Agility Trials. (as of Sept. 1, 2010)
- TRIAL HOURS:** 1.5 hours prior to start time and 1 hour after last run of the day.
- MOVE-UPS:** Pre-trial move-ups must be submitted to the trial secretary in writing (email) **no later than Monday, November 9, 2020 6:00 PM**
- CLASSES:** **ALL 3 DAYS:** STD, JWW, Premier STD, Premier JWW, FAST, & T2B
- EQUIPMENT:** All obstacles used conform to the requirements in the most current issue of the AKC Rules and Regulations Applying to Agility.
- OFFERING:** For Exhibition Only (FEO) (T2B and FAST ONLY). FEO may be declared on day of trial. Full entry form and fees are required for FEO. No need to mark FEO on entry form unless you want a different jump height.



### CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.  
Gina DiNardo, Secretary

### DALLAS AGILITY WORKING GROUP 2018 BOARD

**President:** .....Lory Tannahill  
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### Agility Trial Chair

**Valerie Evans**  
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214-641-1414

### Agility Trial Secretary

**Sherri Farmer, Trial Secretary**  
**Donna Todd, Associate**  
**North Texas Agility**  
PO Box 1720  
Wylie TX 75098-1720  
[ntxagility@verizon.net](mailto:ntxagility@verizon.net)  
972-841-4066

### Event Committee

**Event Committee Members:** Valerie Evans, Chair; Herb Blase, Charlene Chaney, Kathryn Cockerham, Matt Flanagan, Susan Sexton, Norma Madrid, Chris Swain, and all DAWG Members present at the trial.

Premiums, Fillable Entry Forms, Judging Programs, Complete Results After the Trial, Instructions for using the AKC Online Entry System, etc., can be found at:

[www.ntxagility.com](http://www.ntxagility.com)

### JUDGES

Ms. Lisa Jarvis (#102206), 320 Hilltop Ave Apt A, Richardson, TX 75081  
Ms. Catherine Clifton (#94047), 673 Revalen Ln, Frisco, TX 75036

**PROPOSED, TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER (SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON ENTRY NUMBERS.)**

The exact running order will be provided in the Judging Program

FRIDAY NOV 13 & SUNDAY NOV 15		SATURDAY NOV 14	
Ring 1	Ring 2	Ring 1	Ring 2
Lisa Jarvis	Catherine Clifton	Catherine Clifton	Lisa Jarvis
All FAST	T2B	All FAST	T2B
Prem STD	Nov JWW	Prem STD	Nov JWW
Exc/Mas STD	Open JWW	Exc/Mas STD	Open JWW
Open STD	Exc/Mas JWW	Open STD	Exc/Mas JWW
Nov STD	Prem JWW	Nov STD	Prem JWW

First entry of a dog **each day** (includes AKC \$3.50 recording fee).....\$23.00  
Additional entries of the same dog **each day** (includes AKC \$3 event service fee) .....\$12.00

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## ENTRY INFORMATION

### YOU MAY ENTER THE TRIAL VIA AKC'S ONLINE ENTRY SERVICE

Go to the AKC Agility Online Entry Services home page at [www.akc.org/AgilityEntry](http://www.akc.org/AgilityEntry) and follow the instructions there to use your 'My AKC' account to enter this event online. (Please note that AKC charges a small processing fee for online entries.) During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows: 200 online entries and 400 paper entries. If either form of entry (paper or online) has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly.

You can also find detailed instructions at: [www.ntxagility.com](http://www.ntxagility.com)

\*\*\*Hand deliveries cannot be accepted during the first 24 hours after the trial's opening.\*\*\*

- Limit: 10 entries per envelope. One entry = one dog. Envelopes containing more than 10 entries will be returned.
- Paper entries received within 24 hours of the opening date & time must: 1) include postage or be metered; 2) be delivered by a multi-state or multi-national postal or carrier service, including but not limited to USPS, FedEx, UPS & DHL. If above conditions are not met, the entries are not valid and must be returned to sender. **You must waive signature requirements when using services that utilize signature verifications.**
- Owners are responsible for ensuring that entry forms are completed IN FULL. Entries submitted without ALL information will be returned as invalid.
- All entries must be submitted on official AKC agility entry forms, one dog per entry form. Photocopies of entry form will be accepted only if legible and official AKC size.
- Entries will not be accepted without signature, fees and reverse side of entry form with agreement signed, nor will credit cards or faxed entries be accepted with paper entries.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry; no refund for duplicate entries. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$25 service charge for returned checks.

## JUMP HEIGHT CARD PROCESS

### PLEASE DO NOT SEND A COPY OF YOUR JUMP HEIGHT CARD WITH YOUR ENTRY!

**ENTRY FORM:** If your dog needs to be measured, please check the box at the top of the entry form so your dog can be placed on the "To Be Measured" list.

All agility dogs are required to have an Official Jump Height Card/Valid yellow form and exhibitors must be able to present it at any time during the trial **upon request**. 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. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form **must** be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. **If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.**

**For More Information on the new Jump Height Rule, See**

[WWW.NTXAGILITY.COM](http://WWW.NTXAGILITY.COM)

## LOST AND FOUND

Contact the trial chair up to one week after the event regarding lost items.  
Unclaimed items will be donated to charity.

## REFUND POLICY

- Entry fees will be refunded if an entry is pulled before the closing date and time.
- No refunds will be made for any entry pulled after the closing date unless the spot is filled from someone on the wait list (see below).
- For bitches in season, the club will provide refunds less \$5 per day for the first 2 runs; plus \$3 per run for each additional run each day. The Trial Secretary must be notified in writing no later than 30 minutes before the start of the trials. Refunds will be mailed after the trial. The club reserves the right to require further proof at its discretion.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by veterinarian or judge, barred from competition by action of the Event Committee, is ineligible to compete due to being entered incorrectly or if a trial cannot open or be completed.
- Refunds for less than \$5 will not be made.
- Entry fees will not 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.

## WAIT LIST - REFUND POLICY

In the event the trial fills, we are offering a Wait List to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of FIFTY (50) entries will be placed on the club's wait list. **All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the trial closing date as listed on the front of this Premium. Any withdrawals that are received by 6:00 pm the Sunday prior to the first day of the trial will be replaced by a wait listed entry if any are available.** If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by 6:00 pm the Sunday prior to the first day of the trial will receive a full refund.

## ELIGIBILITY

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) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations, it includes both sexes. Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind 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.

## SET-UP

Exhibitors are allowed to set up at least 1 hour prior to the first run. Car crating is available. Personal pop-ups/tents are allowed.

## ENTRY CONFIRMATIONS & JUDGING PROGRAMS

An email confirmation will be sent at the time of processing if a legible, valid email address is provided on the entry form. Additional confirmations will be emailed to acknowledge move-ups and corrections/changes (prior to closing). A final confirmation and the judging program will be emailed after the trial closes. If you cannot receive a Microsoft Word text file, or if you do not check your email, do NOT include your email address. Printed confirmations and Judging Programs are mailed to exhibitors without email addresses after the trial closes. **OWNERS/HANDLERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR REVIEWING ALL INFORMATION IN THE CONFIRMATION LETTER EACH TIME IT IS SENT AND CONTACTING THE TRIAL SECRETARY IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING (EMAIL) IF A CORRECTION/CHANGE NEEDS TO BE MADE. CORRECT AKC REGISTRATION # OR ILP # IS CRUCIAL.**

**NOTE:** If you have a spam filter in place on your email account, please add the trial secretary's email address to your accepted address list. If you are not receiving emails from the trial secretary, it is your responsibility to notify the trial secretary to reach a resolution.

Any exhibitor who does not receive a preliminary confirmation within 10 days of mailing a paper entry should contact the Trial Secretary to confirm receipt of paper entry.

Any exhibitor who does not receive the Judging Program within five (5) days prior to the trial, should contact the Trial Secretary. Always bring a paper copy of your confirmation letter to the trial. Corrections to the confirmation letter that are not brought to the trial secretary's attention at the time of receipt will render the database as the final authority for the day's information.

## MOVE UPS

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, provided that the request is received in writing by the Trial Secretary, no later than 6 pm on the Monday preceding the event. (See the move-up deadline date on the cover of this premium). Day-to-day move ups are allowed provided the Trial Secretary is notified at the show site, in writing within 30 minutes of the last dog completing the course. Forms will be available at the show site.

**Please email pre-trial move-up requests to the trial secretary at [ntxagility@verizon.net](mailto:ntxagility@verizon.net) and please include the following information:**

- The name of the trial
- Your first and last name
- Your dog's call name
- The class and jump height to which you would like your dog moved

**Your request must be received by the deadline noted on the cover of this Premium**

## AWARDS

**Ribbons/Rosettes:** Rosettes will be awarded to the 1st through 4th place dogs in each Standard, JWW, and FAST class and to the 1<sup>st</sup> place dog in each T2B class in each jump height. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to dogs receiving a qualifying score. Dogs must qualify to receive a placement ribbon. New Title rosettes will be available for new titles earned at this trial. MACH and PACH Rosettes, along with a MACH/PACH bar will be available for dogs earning those titles at this trial. A special AGCH Rosette is offered for those earning the Agility Grand Championship at this trial.

## HEIGHT DIVISIONS

**Owners, exhibitors, and/or handlers are responsible for entering their dogs in the proper height division.** Exhibitors may choose to enter their dogs in a higher height division than required by AKC, but not in a height division lower than the AKC mandated height. **Dogs in the Preferred Classes MUST jump in their preferred measured height division.. They may not enter in a higher jump class.**

HEIGHT DIVISIONS FOR REGULAR & PREFERRED CLASSES		
REGULAR	PREFERRED	FOR DOGS MEASURING...
8"	4"	11" & under at the withers
12"	8"	14" & under at the withers
16"	12"	18" & under at the withers
20"	16"	22" & under at the withers
24"	20"	Over 22" at the withers
24" Choice	N/A – Dogs in Preferred must jump their measured Preferred jump height.	Dogs may be entered in 24"-Choice at their owner's discretion – <b>Must be 22" or under the withers.</b>

## NOTICE TO NOVICE EXHIBITORS

(Effective June 1, 2010) A dog which has been entered in a Novice "A" class for which it is not eligible to be entered in due to class restrictions on the dog or handler may be moved to the Novice "B" class under the following conditions:

- The request for the move must be in writing and presented to the superintendent or trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each trial;
- The request must state the reason and justification for the move from a Novice "A" class to the Novice "B" class.

## TRIAL VETERINARIANS – ON CALL

- **Emergency Animal Hospital of Collin County** - 10225 Custer Road, Plano TX 75025 - **214-547-9900** (6pm-8am 7 days)
- **McKinney Animal Hospital**, 4630 W Eldorado Pkwy, McKinney, TX, **972.548.0749** (M-F 7AM-6PM; Sat 8 AM-12PM)

## CLASSES & TITLES OFFERED

Classes offered at this trial are listed on the front of this premium. Please see the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for current class descriptions. Dogs must be entered only in Regular Classes or Preferred Classes with no cross-over between classes allowed at the same set of trials.

## PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING

Agility trials cannot exist without volunteers.... Please contribute to the sport you love by helping out. It will be very much appreciated!



We will post a spreadsheet on Google Docs after entries close and the schedule is set. Volunteers will be able to fill themselves in for their desired spots. The link will be included in the final confirmation letter and at <http://www.dawgagility.org/events.shtml> after the trial closes and the schedule is set.

Volunteers receive Volunteer Bucks for concessions at this event and for discounts on future entries.

We will NOT have a volunteer organization working the rings, so volunteerism will be very important. PLEASE step up to support our wonderful sport!

WE WILL NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR FOR ALL RING POSITIONS.

## ARMBANDS NOT REQUIRED

Pursuant to Chapter 1, Section 19 of the Regulations for Agility Trials as amended in July 2016, competitors will NOT be required to wear armband stickers.

## RING DIMENSIONS & SURFACE

The rings are a minimum of: Standard-100' X 100'; JWW- 100' X 100'. The trial is held outdoors on a grass surface. The rings are fully fenced.

## OBSTACLES

This trial uses electronic timers. All obstacles used conform to the requirements in the most current issue of the AKC Rules and Regulations Applying to Agility. Complete rules can be printed out from the AKC website at [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org). Go to Events, click on "Rules and Regulations" under Event Resources. All AKC rulebooks are available for printing. **Contacts have rubberized surfaces.**

## TRIAL HOURS

The trial site is available no less than 1 hour prior to the first run each day. Judging will begin no earlier than 8:00 a.m. Exact running order will be determined after entries close and will be provided in the Judging Program.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

**From Dallas North Tollway:** Take Hwy 380 East to SH 289 (Preston Road). Turn left (North) on Preston. Turn right on East First Street (first traffic light). Prospering Farm is one mile down on the left. Turn into Prospering Farm, continue past the barns and arenas and follow the signs to the parking area.

**From 75 Central Expy:** Take Hwy 380 West To La Cima Blvd. Turn right (North) on La Cima. La Cima dead ends into East First Street. Turn left on East First Street. Prospering Farm is immediately on your right. Turn into Prospering Farm, continue past the barns and arenas and follow the signs to the parking area. Prospering Paws shares a common entry with Prospering Farm. The posted speed limit on Equestrian Way is 5 mph. Please observe the speed limit signs. **PLEASE DO NOT SPEED PAST THE BARNES!**

Maps & directions also will be included in the Judging Program.

## EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

- Pinch/prong and electrical collars (dummy or not), head halters and special training collars are not allowed on trial grounds.
- Handlers are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. Each walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class/jump height.
- Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.
- Running order will be determined by computer-generated random draw. Handlers with multiple dogs in one class will have those dogs separated as much as possible.
- All dogs present **must** be on leash or confined in crates when not being judged or at the warm up jump.
- Free parking is available for exhibitors. Park at your own risk.
- Exhibitors may wear shirts or insignia of their training group.
- 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 the obstacles safely.
- The Club and the Trial Secretary have no obligation or responsibility to provide a public address system or stewards to call or locate dogs that are not present at the ring when required. Exhibitors are responsible for being at the gate when it is their turn to run.
- The Club and the Trial Facility assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers or to any of their dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children.
- 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. No refund of entry fees will be made.
- Dogs **may not** be left overnight at the trial site.

## AREA MOTEL LISTING & RV INFO

**NOTE:** The club cannot guarantee that the hotels/motels listed below accept dogs. Please check regarding rates and dog acceptance policy when making reservations.

### MCKINNEY

LaQuinta Inn & Suites  
6501 Henneman Way,  
McKinney, TX 75070  
972.908-2370

Days Inn of McKinney  
2104 N. Central Expressway (Exit 41)  
McKinney, TX 75070  
972.548.8888

Motel 6 of McKinney  
2125 White Ave. (NB Exit 40B; SB Exit 41)  
McKinney, TX 75070  
972.542.8600

Quality Inn  
1300 N. Central Expressway  
McKinney, TX 75069  
972.547.9471  
\$25 per day deposit

### RV PARK

**AUBREY, TX**  
Shady Creek RV Park  
1893 FM 1385  
Aubrey, TX 76227  
13 minutes from show site

<http://www.shadycreekrvpark.com/>  
(972) 347-5384

### PLANO

Motel 6 of Plano  
2550 N. Central Expressway (Exit 29)  
Plano, TX 75074  
972.578.1626

Best Western Park Suites of Plano  
640 Park Blvd. East (Exit 29)  
Plano, TX 75074  
972.578.2243

LaQuinta Inn of Plano  
1820 N. Central Expressway (Exit 29)  
Plano, TX 75074  
972.423.1300

Holiday Inn of Plano  
700 Central Parkway East (Exit 29)  
Plano, TX 75074  
972.398.9918

There are no accommodations for RVs on the Prospering Paws property. Please use the RV park listed to the left. If you like, you may park your RV at the show site during the day, but it must be moved at night.

THANK YOU!

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs immediately on hotel/motel and show grounds. Motels/hotels require that dogs be crated when unattended; no bathing or grooming of dogs in guest rooms. Exhibitors/handlers are responsible for any damages to motels/hotels or the event site and may result in disciplinary action by the Event Committee. Entries may be refused in the future for previous misuse of the motel facilities. This is an AKC-supported measure.

**NOTE:** Please inform management of your dogs when you book reservations and when you register. Motel dog regulations and fees may change without notice. The club cannot be responsible for any changes. Some new motels are being built in the area, so check with your favorite hotels/motels for updated listings.

**PLEASE BE AWARE THAT PROSPERING PAWS IS LOCATED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY. PLEASE RESPECT THE PROPERTY AND REMEMBER THAT WE ARE ALL GUESTS OF THE HOMEOWNERS. THANK YOU.**

**POLICY PROHIBITING ALCOHOLIC CONSUMPTION**  
No Alcoholic Consumption Or Open Containers Of Alcohol Are Permitted On The Grounds. Noncompliance Could Result In Immediate Expulsion From The Event, And Legal Prosecution Under Local Law Or Both.



**SMOKING IS PROHIBITED** On Any Part Of Prospering Paws Farm or Prospering Farm Property.  
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.**

**MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED WHEN SOCIAL DISTANCING ISN'T FEASIBLE.**

**MASKS WILL NOT BE REQUIRED WHILE RUNNING IN THE RING.**

**COVID GUIDELINES/BEST PRACTICES WILL BE LISTED IN THE JUDGING PROGRAM**