

Agility Trial Premium List
Sanctioned by **NADAC**
(North American Dog Agility Council)

Hosted By
Four Seasons Agility Club, Inc,



Four Seasons Agility Club's Fourth Annual "Give Back" trial
Benefiting the Pet Emergency Fund

October 14-16, 2016

To be held at:
Epic Sports and Fun Center
2793 Wehrle Dr
Williamsville, NY 14221

Indoors on Soccer Turf
Rubber Contacts and Electronic Timing will be used at this trial

Judge: Erin Wajda Sand Lake , NY

Classes offered each day:

Fri – Jumpers, Tunnelers, Weavers, Regular, Touch N Go, Chances
Sat – Regular, Touch N Go, Chances, Weavers, Tunnelers, Jumpers
Sun –Jumpers, Regular (2 rounds), Touch N Go, Chances, Tunnelers,
Intro levels will be offered each day every class

ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO 300 RUNS PER DAY

Opening Date August 22th, 2016

Entries close: Monday, October 3rd or when entries limit is reached
Checks will NOT be cashed until October 3rd

Secondary Closing Date for Moving up in level only: Monday, October 10, 2016
E-mail to wolff94@roadrunner.com By 6pm



The WNY Championship is back for 2016!!!!
Four Seasons Agility and Up and Over Dog Sports is collaborating on a special
"Western New York" championship.



Western New York Agility Grand Champion Series

Co-sponsored by Four Seasons Agility and Up & Over Dog Sports

This series will encompass the following six trials in 2016:

- Four Seasons Agility (indoors), Epic Center, Williamsville, NY – **May 6-8**
- Up and Over Dog Sports (outdoors), Knox Farm, East Aurora, NY - **May 28-29**
- Up and Over Dog Sports (outdoors), Knox Farm, East Aurora, NY – **June 17-19**
- Up and Over Dog Sports (outdoors), Knox Farm, East Aurora, NY – **August 5-7**
- Four Seasons Agility (outdoors), Akron Animal Hospital, Akron, NY - **August 26-28**
- Four Seasons Agility (indoors), Epic Center, Williamsville, NY - **October 14-16**

How does it work:

- All dogs (no matter what their competition level) are eligible for all awards. High in trial awards/overall champion awards are based on the number of Q points earned (most Q's are worth 10 points, bonus lines are worth 15-20 points, 5 point Q's are possible in Regular only) by the dog, regardless of what level they were earned at. Ties will be broken by High in Trial points, which are earned on each qualifying run and are computed by the Standard Course Times minus the dog's time plus faults.
- At the end of the series, an overall champion will be named and first through fourth placement trophies will be awarded based on the number Q points earned over the course of the entire series. Ties will be broken by the cumulative high in trial points earned through the series' events.
- Competitors do not need to enter all five trials to be eligible for awards.
- The overall standings will be updated after each trial on both Four Seasons Agility's and Up and Over Dog Sports' websites throughout the season.

If you have any questions about the series, please contact us at fourseasonsнадac@gmail.com. Trial questions for Four Seasons Agility may be directed to Mike Wolff at wolff94@roadrunner.com and questions regarding Up and Over Dog Sports trials may be directed to Mike Wolff at upandoverdogsports@roadrunner.com.



Trial Co-Chairs:	Renea Laduca renea@davidhomes.com (716) 912-0235	Lynn Broderick lynnr1529@roadrunner.com (716) 510-0838
Trial Secretary :	Mike Wolff 1816 Olean rd South Wales NY 14139 wolff94@roadrunner.com (716) 983-5976	

Tentative schedule:

Class orders and run orders are subject to change. Please review your final confirmation carefully.

Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Jumpers	Regular	Jumpers
Tunnelers	Touch N Go	Regular – Elite Rnds 1&2, Open Rnds 1&2, Novice Rnds 1&2, Intro Rnds 1&2
Weavers	Chances	
Regular	Weavers	Touch N Go
Touch N Go	Tunnelers	Chances
Chances	Jumpers	Tunnelers

Day to Day Move-ups will be accepted until 30 minutes after the last class each day.

Tentative Check-in and Measuring/Start Times:

Friday: 12:30-1:15 p.m.** - Check-in & measuring - Briefing at 1:15 p.m. First dog not before 1:30 p.m.
 Saturday: 7:30-8:15 a.m. - Check-in & measuring - Briefing at 8:15am. First dog on the line at 8:30am.
 Sunday: 7:00-7:45 a.m. - Check-in & measuring - Briefings at 7:45am. First dog on the line at 8:00am.

**Please DO NOT arrive prior to 12:30 p.m. Competitors will not be allowed entry into the crating building prior to that time.

Vendors: Please contact Jen at burger257@yahoo.com if you would like to vend at our show. Anyone wishing to vend at the trial may pay the club \$15 per day or donate \$15 of per day. Donations will be used as raffle prizes at Four Seasons' annual "Give Back" October trial.

Awards:

A purple NADAC Qualifying Ribbon will be awarded for those achieving a qualifying score. A New Title Rosette will be awarded for those achieving a qualifying score that earned them a title. A NATCH Rosette will be awarded to those who earn these titles during our trial. Please let us know in advance if you could complete your NATCH at our trial. First through fourth placement ribbons will be awarded in all classes except Chances which is a pass/fail event.



Exhibitors should research the Skilled and Proficient Categories on the NADAC website (www.NADAC.com) to decide which category to enter

4", 8", 12" and 16" Junior Handler and Veteran Division jump heights along with 8", 12", 16", 20" and 20+ Standard jump heights will be individually placed. Skilled and Proficient categories will be separated for placements.

Jump Heights:

Dogs entered in the Proficient Category must jump at the minimum jump height specified by the following table. Dogs entering the Skilled Category **MUST** jump one jump height lower than the heights listed in the table. Skilled dogs run against the Standard Course Time of that jump height and are placed with those dogs.

	Small Dogs		Medium Dogs	Large Dogs	
Standard	11" & under Jumps 8"	14" & under Jumps 12"	18" & under Jumps 16"	20" & under Jumps 20"	Over 20" are in the 20+ class; Jumps 20"
Jr. Handler	11" & under Jumps 4"	14" & under Jumps 8"	18" & under Jumps 12"	Over 18" Jumps 16" (May NOT jump higher)	
Veterans	11" & under Jumps 4"	14" & under Jumps 8"	18" & under Jumps 12"	Over 18" Jumps 16" (May NOT jump higher)	

* Measuring: Dogs with permanent height cards or in the Skilled category do not need to be measured. All dogs entered in the Proficient Category in Novice, Open or Elite jumping 4", 8", 12" or 16" are required to be measured (except Veteran or Junior Handler dogs jumping 16"). Dogs jumping 20" and 20+ are not required to be measured. Measurement forms may be obtained at <http://nadac.com/Application-for-Permanent-Height-Card.htm>.

Veteran or Disabled Handler:

Handlers who are 60 years or older, or who have a disability that restricts mobility, may choose to enter the non-jumping classes as a Veteran Handler and receive 10% more standard course time. This option is for Veteran/Disabled handlers in the non-jumping classes only. This is designed for handlers who, due to age or impairment, are mobility limited and need extra time to guide their canine partners through an agility course. When entering as a Veteran/Disabled Handler, you must enter all dogs in all classes for the entire trial in this Division and must jump 4" lower than your Proficient, Standard Division jump height requires. In the non-jumping classes, dogs will be scored and placed with their Standard Division jump height.

Intro Classes

We are proud to announce the addition of "Intro" as a level to the NADAC program! "Intro" is a level for the classes, just like Novice, Open and Elite. So now there are four levels to each class.... Intro, Novice, Open and Elite.

The Intro level will be a shorter course than Novice. The only Intro level class with weaves will be Intro Weavers and it will have one set of 6 poles. No other classes will have weaves in them. The Intro level will have no tunnel/contact discriminations. The Intro level is a full titling level with the basic titles at 30 points, Outstanding Performance at 60 points (100 points for Regular) and Superior Performance at 100 points (200 points for Regular). In Intro, dogs may jump any jump height lower than their regulation height. Dogs may NOT jump higher than their regulation height.

You do NOT have to start in Intro, you can start your dog's NADAC career in Novice!!!!!!

Volunteers Needed

Many hands make light work. We need your help to make this trial run smoothly.

We are not taking volunteer worker forms for this trial. We will have a job list posted at the trial. Please sign up where you can work. You can pick the classes and jobs that you would like to work. Everything you do will help the trial run efficiently. This will make the day go faster and we will have more fun!

- ❖ **Workers will get snacks and water.**
- ❖ **We will train anyone who is willing to learn!**

Please give some of your time to help us. We will appreciate it. **THANK YOU!**

Epic Center Rules

The entire room is “turfed” so we ask that you strictly adhere to the following rules in order that we may keep the site for future trials.

- ❖ Plastic tarp/rugs must be placed under all crates, ex-pens, chairs and water bowls.
- ❖ No chairs with exposed metal feet are allowed on soccer turf.
- ❖ No food or beverages (other than water) allowed on soccer turf. Food must be eaten in specified dining area only.
- ❖ Dogs **MUST** be on leash at all times ... unless competing or warming up.
- ❖ **CLEAN UP: EXHIBITORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO PICK UP AFTER THEIR DOGS. ANYONE FOUND NOT PICKING UP AFTER HIS OR HER DOG(S) EITHER AT THE TRIAL SITE, OR THE HOTEL, WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE TRIAL. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN.**

Directions to the site: From the east or west- Take I-90 to exit 49 (Depew). Turn Left on Rt. 78 North (Transit Rd) Go approximately 0.5 miles. Turn right onto Wehrle Dr. Go approximately 0.7miles. The Epic Center is on your right. (If you reach Harris Hill Rd., you have gone too far.)

Motels/Camping-

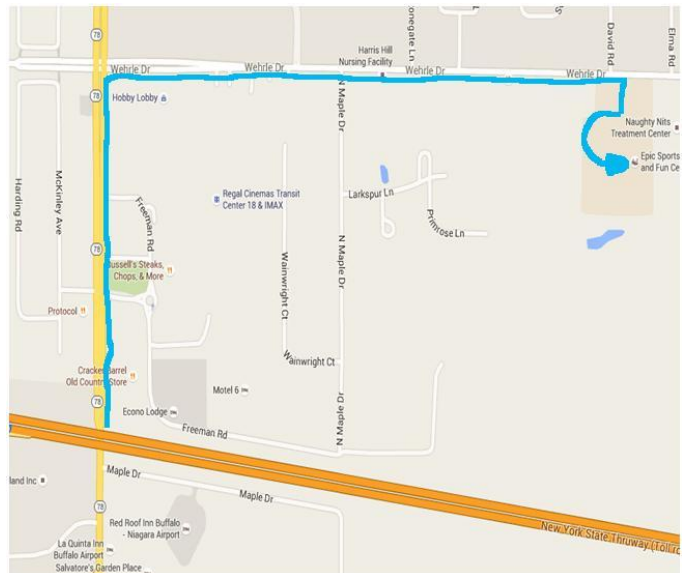
Red Roof Inn, 146 Maple Drive, Bowmansville, NY 14026, (716) 633-1100

Knights Inn, 50 Freeman Road, Williamsville, NY, 14221, (716) 633-6200

Motel 6, 52 Freeman Road, Amherst, NY 14221, (716) 626-1500

Econo Lodge 48 Freeman Rd, Williamsville, NY 14221, (716)634-2700

ABSOLUTELY NO DOGS ALONE IN THE ROOMS
You could be asked to leave the trial with no refund



Please note: There is no overnight camping on site.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial.

Participation in a NADAC sanctioned trial is a privilege afforded by the host club/group and may be extended or withdrawn by the host club/group's trial committee. The organizing committee may refuse entry other than on the basis established by NADAC. Anyone who is not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed entry into the trial.

NADAC handles aggressive dog incidences and poor sportsmanlike conduct reports on an individual basis. When NADAC receives an incident report, the circumstances are evaluated and if deemed appropriate, witnesses will be contacted. Depending on the circumstances, NADAC will issue a warning letter, place the dog/person on probation, or suspend the dog/person from entering future trials.

*** Dogs must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted.

Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption List, description of categories, classes, levels, and divisions are included in the current Exhibitors Handbook. A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadac.com or exhibitors may request a hard copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook by sending \$5.00 to:

North American Dog Agility Council (NADAC)
24605 Dodds Road
Bend, Oregon 97701

THE MANAGEMENT will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Show Committee be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of fees paid will be made.

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IMPORTANT. Please check your dog's NADAC registration number on your trial confirmation as soon as you receive it; also, please check the copy of the results posted at the trial. You should report any errors to the Trial Secretary immediately.

NADAC records trial results as they are submitted by the host clubs/groups. The individual trial results submitted by the club are uploaded to the www.NADACForum.com within two weeks after the NADAC office receives them from the club. Please accept the responsibility to review those results, and check that your registration number and qualifying points, as reported by the club, are correct. You can join the Forum by going to www.NADACForum.com and submitting your request. If you find an error in the reporting of your dog's qualifying points or registration number, please contact the host club. The host club is responsible for correcting any errors and informing NADAC.

Levels. Points earned at a higher level of a class, prior to the completion of the lower level title, will not be recorded by NADAC for future use. If a dog earns points in a level of a class that they are not eligible to title in, those points will not be added to the dog's records.

As of January 2014 – Dogs must enter the Veterans Division in all jumping classes after their 9th birthday. After their 12th birthday, dogs must entered the Skilled Category, Veterans Division for jumping classes and Skilled Category for non-jumping classes.

Four Season Agility Club's Fourth Annual "Give Back" trial Will benefit the Pet Emergency Fund



The members of Four Seasons Agility Club recognize that we are all blessed to have the opportunity to do agility with our wonderful furry friends. Therefore we have decided to donate 50% of the profits from our October trial to an animal related charity. For this event, we have chosen the Pet Emergency Fund.

What is the Pet Emergency Fund?

- ❖ The Pet Emergency Fund is an animal assistance organization that helps defray the cost of emergency veterinary care for owners unable to meet the expense of the services.

Who does the Pet Emergency Fund help?

- ❖ The Pet Emergency Fund was implemented by local veterinarians and is intended for a one-time intervention in a life-threatening situation for an otherwise healthy pet. Pet Emergency funds are distributed to member hospitals in Erie and Niagara Counties.

How can I help?

- ❖ Enter our October trial - 50% of the profits from this trial will go to the Pet Emergency Fund
- ❖ Make a donation directly to the Pet Emergency Fund - when you fill out our entry, you may make out a second check payable to the Pet Emergency Fund. We will send these checks with the Four Seasons donation. Please DO NOT include your donation with your entry fees - our trial secretary and treasurer thanks you in advance.
- ❖ Make a donation at the trial - competitors might consider making a donation for every Q, every NQ, every missed contact, every start line stay - the possibilities are limitless.
- ❖ Purchase raffle tickets at our trial - we will have an awesome raffle at the trial and all proceeds will go directly to the Pet Emergency Fund.

**Four Seasons Agility Official Entry Form
NADAC Sanctioned Trial
October 14-16, 2016**

Make check or money order payable to: **Four Seasons Agility**
Send to: Mike Wolff 1816 Olean Rd South Wales NY 14139

Owner's name: _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Tel.: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Dog's call name: _____ Sex (M/F): _____

Breed: _____ Birth date: _____

NADAC No. (required): _____ Dog's height _____

Handler's name (please print): _____

Category (Check One)	<input type="checkbox"/> Proficient <input type="checkbox"/> Skilled (You MUST Take the 4" Height Reduction)
Division (Check One)	<input type="checkbox"/> Std <input type="checkbox"/> Vet* <input type="checkbox"/> JH* <input type="checkbox"/> Vet Handler** * Regular, Jumpers, Chances only **Tunnelers, Weavers, Touch N Go only
Circle the actual height your dog will jump	Proficient Standard Division 8 12 16 20 20+
	Proficient Vet/VH/JH 4 8 12 16
	Skilled Standard Division 4 8 12 16
	Skilled Vet/VH/JH 4 8 12

Class	Level (circle one)	Circle Day
Regular	Intro Novice Open Elite	Friday Saturday Sunday Rnd 1 Sunday Rnd 2
Chances	Intro Novice Open Elite	Friday Saturday Sunday
Jumpers	Intro Novice Open Elite	Friday Saturday Sunday
Weavers	Intro Novice Open Elite	Friday Saturday
Touch N Go	Intro Novice Open Elite	Friday Saturday Sunday
Tunnelers	Intro Novice Open Elite	Friday Saturday Sunday

Fees are based on the number of runs entered for any dog from your household
1-11 runs \$14 each 12-17 runs \$13 each 18-23 runs \$12 each 24+ runs \$11 each
Intro Classes use Household discounts from above line
Junior handler run are \$9 each, no matter how many runs are entered

of runs this dog is entered _____ x _____ per run = _____

(Please note that household rates are ONLY valid through the closing date of 10/10. Day of show entries MAY be available after the closing date at \$15 per run. Please contact the trial secretary at wolff94@roadrunner.com to confirm availability)

AGREEMENT

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

1.1 As used here NADAC means North American Dog Agility Council, its members, officers, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents including Four Seasons Agility.

1.2 Exhibitor/owner, agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.

1.3 Exhibitor/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.

1.4 Exhibitor/owner acknowledge all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including but not limited to, the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fitting, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.

1.5 Exhibitor/owner release NADAC (Including NADAC officers, employees and members), and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save 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 damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been 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 persons.

1.6 No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

1.7 Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$30.00 service charge for bank returned checks.

Exhibitors may withdraw from a trial and receive a full refund prior to the published closing date of the trial. The club will charge an administration fee of \$2 per run for entries canceled after the closing date only for exhibitors withdrawing due to of injury/illness of the dog or females in heat. A note from a vet will be required by Thursday 10/13 at 6PM. No refunds will be given after that time.

Signature of Owner/Exhibitor _____
Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____
Telephone #

Email Address:

Confirmations will be sent by e-mail unless the NO box is checked NO

**Copy of my permanent height or registration card is enclosed? ___ Yes ___ No
(For verification of your NADAC # and will insure that you get credit for your runs)**

Entry is not valid unless signed, dated and submitted with correct entry fees by the closing date