

A **USDAA®** Licensed Event
Titling Event w/Tournament Classes

hosted by



Valley Agility Sports Team
Turlock, CA

September 11 - 12, 2010

Closing Date: Wednesday, September 1, 2010

Secondary Closing Date: Tuesday, September 7, 2010

(For move up in level only)

Judges

Anne Platt
Escondido, CA

Mia Grant
Santa Barbara, CA

Weave Poles

Weave poles with 24" spacing will be used at this trial.

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Organizing Committee

Chairperson	Carlene Chandler Email: chandlercarlene@gmail.com Phone: (209) 634-4203
Secretary	Donna Sprouse Email: 2gsp4donna@sbcglobal.net Phone: (209) 543-9417
Chief Ring Steward	Mary Van Wormer
Chief Scorekeeper	Donna Sprouse
Disciplinary Action Committee Chairperson	Carlene Chandler
Hospitality Coordinator	Nancy Tetrick

Statement of Authority of the Organizing Committee

The Organizing Committee is the governing body for this event and shall be the sole authority on matters relative to conduct of the event.

Site Information

<p style="text-align: center;">Nunes Agility Field 1318 S. 1st St. Turlock, CA 95380 United States View on Google Maps Surface Type: Outdoor on Field Grass Ring Configuration: 250' x 100' Other Information:</p>
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Entries & Acceptance

General Rule on Eligibility

This event is sanctioned by the United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. ("USDAA").

This test is open to all persons with dogs being at least 18 months of age, regardless of pedigree or absence thereof, who have a current registration with USDAA and whose owners and the dog's handler are currently in good standing with USDAA.

This event will be held under USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations, a copy of which may be viewed and printed online at www.usdaa.com.

No Entry For Exhibition Only

Entries For Exhibition Only will not be accepted. Should a dog be required to jump a higher height by virtue of the judge's measure-in, it will be placed first in the running order at the higher height for all classes entered.

Policy on Refusal of Entry

The Organizing Committee of an event may refuse the entry of any competitor or dog for just cause should the Committee view that participation by the competitor or dog could be prejudicial to the sport. However, in such case, the Committee must notify the competitor in writing upon receipt of entry, but in no case, more than three days following the event closing date for acceptance of entries. The burden of responsibility for the appropriateness of such action rests solely with the host group and its Organizing Committee.

Refund Policy

There shall be NO REFUNDS for entries withdrawn after the closing date for acceptance of entries, for absentee, dismissal from the event as a result of disciplinary action, dismissal from a class, or for any other reason. Also, no entry fees will be refunded if the event cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, acts of terrorism, fire, "act of God", public emergency, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the host organization.

Charges for NSF Check/Credit Card

Any check or credit card that is charged back by the bank or other financial institution shall be assessed a \$40 service charge.

Returned checks or credit card returns do not constitute a valid entry. Amounts shall be paid within 30 day of postmarked notice of the returned payment if such date follows the event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice will result in cancellation of event results for all classes related to the entry for which payment was made. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution.

Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event, or entry is canceled without recourse.

General Entry Conditions

Statement of Responsibility

Competitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs, children or guests. A competitor whose dogs, children or guests create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Organizing Committee, be asked to leave the test site.

Policy on Fault Limits

In the event of a larger entry, fault limits may be set at the discretion of the Organizing Committee and/or Judge without pre-event notice.

Prohibitions on Aids & Devices

No leads, collars, food, toys or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course at any time.

Spam Blocker

Confirmations will be sent via email using the secretary's address. If you have a spam blocker on your email account, please configure it to allow email from the secretary's address since confirmations will be sent from this account.

Check-in & Measuring

Dog Measurements & Certification

All dogs not jumping 26" in the Championship Program or 22" in the Performance Program must be measured unless they have a permanent USDAA or World Cynosport Dog Registration card. When not enrolling electronically, please send a copy of one the following items to facilitate the check-in process:

- photocopy of permanent dog registration card,
- printout of the dog-information page from your USDAA® competitor account, or
- copy of your check-in letter from USDAA indicating your temporary card has been accepted by the USDAA office and your permanent registration card is in process.

Class Descriptions

Titling Class Rules & Descriptions

One or more titling classes shall be held at this Event from those described in Chapters 3 - 8 of USDAA Official Rules & Regulations, which are downloadable from www.usdaa.com/rulesReg_eBook.cfm, and any amendments there to, which are downloadable from www.usdaa.com/rulesReg.cfm, each of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

Tournament Class Rules & Descriptions

One or more tournament classes are being held at this event, the rules and description of which may be downloaded on the Internet at www.usdaa.com/gen_formDoc.cfm, and are hereby incorporated by reference. A written copy may be obtained from the Event secretary.

Class Running Order

SATURDAY Sept. 11	22/26/16/12/Perf
Starters/PI Adv/P2 Pairs Starters/P1 & Adv/P2 Gamblers Starters/P1 & Adv/P2 Snooker Steeplechase/Speed Jumping Rnd 1 Starters/P1 & Adv/P2 Jumpers	Masters/P3 Pairs Masters/P3 Standard Masters/P3 Gamblers Masters/P3 Snooker Masters/P3 Jumpers
SUNDAY Sept. 12	Perf/12/16/26/22
Speed Jumping/STP Rnd 2 P2/Adv & P1/Starters Standard P2/Adv & P1/Starters Gamblers P2/Adv & P1/Starters Snooker P2/Adv & P1/Starters Jumpers	P3/Masters Jumpers P3/Masters Standard P3/Masters Gamblers Performance GP / Grand Prix P3/Masters Snooker

Prizes & Awards

Titling Class & Tournament Awards

Ribbons will be self-serve at this event.

Titling Classes

First through fourth place ribbons will be awarded in each jump height, and to mini and open divisions for pairs. A maroon rosette will be awarded for a qualifying score in all classes that apply. A gold and maroon ribbon will be awarded for a Super Q in Masters and P3 Snooker.

Tournaments

Grand Prix - 1st through 4th place ribbons will be awarded in each jump height. A double overlay maroon and white qualifying ribbon will be awarded to all competitors with a score of zero faults.

Performance GP - 1st through 4th place ribbons will be awarded in each jump height. A double overlay maroon and pink qualifying ribbon will be awarded to all competitors with a score of zero faults.

Hotel Information

Best Western Orchard Inn 5025 N. Golden State Blvd. Turlock, CA (209) 667-2827 View on Google Maps	Motel 6 250 S. Walnut Ave Turlock, CA (209) 667-4100 View on Google Maps	Days Inn 185 N. Tully Rd. Turlock, CA (209) 634-2944 View on Google Maps
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Candlewood Suites
1000 Powers Ct. Turlock, CA
(209) 250-1501
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Media Release & Rights of Privacy Waiver

Media Rights Release

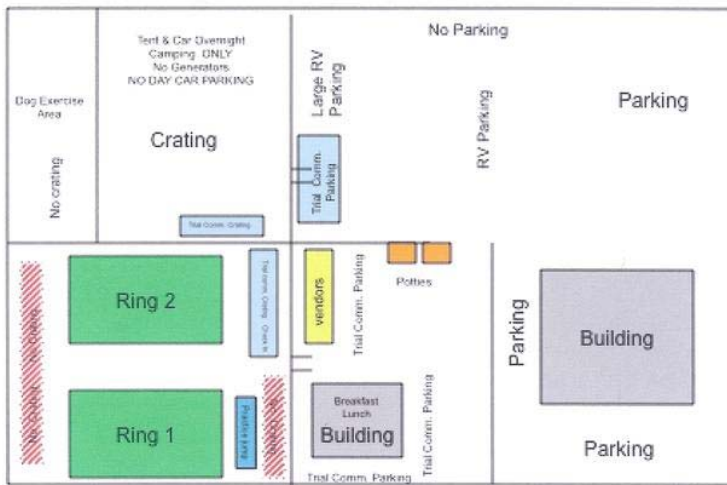
I HEREBY GRANT TO USDAA and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.

Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality

FURTHER, I HEREBY RELEASE United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

RV Information

Overnight Parking for RVs & Camping: RV parking and camping is available for \$10/night. NO HOOKUPS. Please include this fee with your entry. **Hookup to the electricity and water sources by recreational vehicles is not permitted. There is a full RV station at the Chevron Station on Glenwood and Lander. Generators are not permitted in the backfield. RVs, Campers may not arrive before 3:00pm.**
General parking for cars (those people not camping) are not permitted in the backfield. This area is reserved for tent and car campers.



Volunteer Information

Worker Preferences

Thank you for your help! Please check the jobs you prefer.
Each class you work you will get raffle tickets and a free lunch.

Worker's name _____

Available: Saturday Sunday

I can help with Anything or... I can do only the following

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Timer (St, jumpers, pairs) | <input type="checkbox"/> Gate Steward | <input type="checkbox"/> Course Builder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Timer (gamblers, snooker) | <input type="checkbox"/> Score table | <input type="checkbox"/> Pole Setter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scibe (St, jumpers, pairs) | <input type="checkbox"/> Runner | <input type="checkbox"/> Chute |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scibe (gamblers, snooker) | <input type="checkbox"/> Leash Runner | |

**USDAA® Official Entry Form - Valley Agility Sports Team - Turlock, CA
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Return to: Donna Sprouse, PO Box 788 French Camp, CA 95231 - Make check payable to: Valley Agility Sports Team

Dog Information

Dog's Call Name: _____ USDAA# _____ Height at Withers: _____ Birthdate: _____
Breed: _____

Handler Information

Name: _____ Email: _____
Address: _____ City, St/Pr/Region: _____
Postal Code: _____ Day Phone #: _____ Night Phone: _____

Class Entry Information

Select Jump Height:	Championship: 12" 16" 22" 26"	Performance: 8" 12" 16" 22"
If entering classes at DIFFERENT HEIGHTS in the SAME PROGRAM, submit a SEPARATE ENTRY FORM for each height class in that program.		

Saturday, Sep 11, 2010			Championship			Performance		
	\$12.00	Standard	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Gamblers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Snooker	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Pairs Relay	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
if registration # is blank or incorrect for partner, entry will be for draw team			Partner: _____ Dog: _____ USDAA# _____ Height: _____					
	\$20.00	Tournaments	<input type="checkbox"/> Grand Prix of Dog Agility®			<input type="checkbox"/> Performance Grand Prix		
	\$20.00	Tournaments	<input type="checkbox"/> Dog Agility Steeplechase®			<input type="checkbox"/> Performance Speed Jumping		
Sunday, Sep 12, 2010			Championship			Performance		
	\$12.00	Standard	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Gamblers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$12.00	Snooker	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$20.00	Dog Registration (if not previously registered) - ATTACH SEPARATE FORM or Register Online						
	SUB-TOTAL							
	RV Fee (\$10/night) _____ nights x \$10							
	TOTAL FEES							

GENERAL AGREEMENT ACCEPTANCE: Through my signature, I declare that I have read USDAA Official Rules & Regulations and the General Agreement and Test Schedule provisions set forth for entry to this event, and I acknowledge that I understand and agree to abide by all such rules, regulations, policies and provisions stipulated therein, including any provisions incorporated by reference.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent or

Legal Guardian, if a Minor: _____ Date: _____

General Agreement

1.1 - Consideration & Waiver of Liability

IN CONSIDERATION OF the acceptance of this entry and the opportunity to participate and/or to be judged in the event on the dates to which this entry form applies (the "Event"), I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS each of the parties listed below (including each of their members, officers, directors, agents and employees), hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Event Organizers", from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of myself or the dog listed on the entry form while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto -

- The Event's Organizing Committee
- The Event Organizer, being the USDAA Affiliated Group (or Groups) hosting or otherwise responsible for conduct of the event
- United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. ("USDAA"), World Cynosport Limited and affiliated companies
- Event Sponsors
- Property Owners of the premises upon which the event is held

I FURTHER AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS the Event Organizers from any claim for loss or injury of the dog listed on my entry form for the Event as a result of disappearance, theft, death or other act, whether such loss or injury is caused or alleged to be caused for any reason, including negligence. I ASSUME ALL RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY FOR ANY CLAIMS REFERENCED IN THIS "GENERAL AGREEMENT", INCLUDING LEGAL FEES.

1.2 - Acknowledgment & Acceptance of Regulations

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations and rules for competition (e.g., tournament rules) that relate to the Event, whether incorporated in this General Agreement by reference or as stipulated herein for the Event to which this entry form pertains.

I ACCEPT AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY any and all rulings of the Organizing Committee (and its members), the Event's Disciplinary Action Committee and/or USDAA relative to matters related to the Event.

1.3 - Acknowledgment & Representation of Accuracy

I ACKNOWLEDGE, REPRESENT AND WARRANT that the information supplied by me in the entry form is correct and complete. If any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my entry, such finding shall render my entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid or other recourse against the Event Organizers. Any acceptance of additional information or corrections to information after the closing date shall be at the sole discretion of the Event secretary.

1.4 - Representation of Ownership or Agency

I HEREBY REPRESENT AND WARRANT that I am the owner of the dog listed hereon, or that I have full authority from the dog's owner as their agent to enter the dog in competition and to assume their responsibilities for the care, custody and control of the dog for entry to the Event, and

I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS the Event Organizers listed in paragraph 1.1 from any liability or claims, including legal fees, related to such ownership or agency status.

1.5 - Media Release, Grants & Waivers of Rights to Broadcast & Promote

I HEREBY GRANT TO USDAA and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their 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 known now or in the future.

1.6 - Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality

FURTHER, I HEREBY RELEASE United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

1.7 - Signature/Electronic Submission Execution

THROUGH MY PHYSICAL SIGNATURE ON THE PAPER ENTRY FORM, OR THROUGH MY SUBMISSION OF AN ELECTRONIC ENTRY TO THE EVENT, I ACKNOWLEDGE, ACCEPT AND AGREE TO ABIDE by the provisions of this General Agreement, and all policies, rules, regulations and conditions of entry to the Event

FURTHER, IF ENTRY IS FOR A MINOR, THROUGH MY PHYSICAL SIGNATURE ON THE PAPER ENTRY FORM, OR THROUGH MY SUBMISSION OF AN ELECTRONIC ENTRY TO THE EVENT, I REPRESENT AND WARRANT THAT I AM THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF THE COMPETITOR/HANDLER entered in the Event, and I ACKNOWLEDGE that I have reviewed all provisions of this General Agreement, policies, rules, regulations, and conditions of entry to the Event with the Minor and I SHALL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR ACTIONS AND COMPLIANCE WITH ALL RULES, REGULATIONS, POLICIES AND PROVISIONS FOR THE EVENT, AND ASSUME FULL LIABILITY FOR MINOR'S ACTIONS AND ACTIONS OF THEIR DOG.