# **Agility Test Schedule**

USDAA® Sanctioned Tournament Event and Agility Test
Dog Agility Steeplechase® Local Qualifier
Performance Speed Jumping<sup>SM</sup> Tournament Qualifier



# Hosted by Willamette Agility Group March 7-9, 2008



# **SHOW SITE**

Benton County Fairgrounds, 110 SW 53rd Street, Corvallis, OR 97333
Electronic timing will be used
Indoor arena on packed and graded river loam
Two rings will be run simultaneously

# Closing: Entries must be received by Friday, February 1, 2008

Secondary closing *for advancement in level only:*Notification must be received by Friday, February 15, 2008

#### **JUDGES**

David Hanson, Kerrville, Texas Certified Measuring Judge Jessica Ajoux, Wantage, New Jersey Carole Shlaes, Albany, Oregon Junior Handler Program

#### **CLASSES OFFERED**

Friday, March 7, 2008

Junior Handler Program Classes
(Two Rounds - All Levels)

# Saturday, March 8, 2008

Standard • Gamblers • Jumpers (Championship/Performance - All Levels) Steeplechase Round 1 Performance Speed Jumping<sup>SM</sup> Round 1

# Sunday, March 9, 2008

Standard • Snooker • Pairs Relay (Championship/Performance - All Levels) Performance Speed Jumping<sup>SM</sup> Round 2 Steeplechase Round 2

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Chief Ring Stewards	Joan Hagar and Dave Vesely
Equipment Manager	Anne Minnich
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Raffle Coordinator	Anne Minnich
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#### **ENTRIES and CLOSING DATES**

- All entries must be received by Friday, February 1, 2008. Entries will be accepted by postal mail or by express courier with the signature requirement waived. No email or telephone entries will be accepted. There is no limit to the number of dogs that can participate in this agility trial. You may request a change in class or cancel your entry in writing (letter or email) any time prior to or on the closing date of February 1.
- The secondary closing for advancement in level only is Friday, February 15, 2008; secondary closing is only for entries received by the closing date of Friday, February 1, 2008. Requests for advancement in level only must be received by the secondary closing date and must be made by postal mail, email or by express courier with the signature requirement waived. Only advancements in class level will be accepted; no changes in jump height or program will be accepted.
- If your dog has a yellow permanent height card, a copy may be submitted with your entry to expedite check-in. Copies of the blue temporary height cards cannot be accepted. You may contact the Secretary to determine if a copy your dog's yellow permanent height card is already on file with WAG.

#### **CHECK-IN AND MEASURING**

- All competitors are required to check in at this trial. At check-in, you must present your yellow permanent height card, blue temporary
  height card or USDAA check-in letter. (If your confirmation letter says "Height Card On File: Yes" then you do not need to present your yellow
  card, but you must check in.)
- Check-in and measuring will be from 7:15 to 7:45 a.m. Saturday and Sunday mornings. We will also offer early check-in on Friday evening for those whose dogs do not need to be measured; see your confirmation letter for details. Dogs and handlers that have checked in once at the trial do not need to check in again on subsequent days.
- Dogs required to be measured: Your dog must be measured by a judge at check-in if you do not have either a yellow permanent height card or a completed blue temporary height card.
- There will be a Certified Measuring Judge at this trial on Saturday and Sunday.
- All handlers for a given class should be present ringside at least one-half hour prior to the start of scheduled classes for walk-throughs and briefings.
- First class will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Any dog and handler not present when they are called will be ineligible to run, unless prior arrangements are made with the gate steward. It is the handler's responsibility to review the gate sheet before a class begins and then to make arrangements with the gate steward if there is a conflict.
- For the Junior Handler Program, check-in and first class start time will be in the very late afternoon or early evening on Friday. See your confirmation letter for details.

# **PRIZES AND AWARDS**

# Standard/Non-Standard Classes – Championship and Performance

- Starters and Performance I: Separate 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place ribbons will be awarded for placement in each jump height and class with Pairs being awarded to mini and open divisions. Maroon ribbons will be awarded for each qualifying run.
- Advanced, Masters, Performance II, and Performance III: Separate 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> place ribbons will be awarded for placement in each jump height and class. Pairs will be awarded to mini and open divisions. Maroon ribbons will be awarded for each qualifying run.

**ADCH and APD:** If you might complete your Agility Dog Champion® or Accomplished Performance Dog<sup>SM</sup> title at this trial, please notify the Secretary at least one week before the trial.

#### Junior Handler Program

Junior Handlers will receive awards at three levels: Gold, for performances yielding 5 or fewer faults; silver, for those with 15 or fewer, but more than 5 faults; bronze, for those with more than 15 faults. Maroon qualifying ribbons will be awarded for zero fault rounds.

# **TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER**

Rings to be run simultaneously

Tall to Small on Saturday (Championship/Performance) and Small to Tall on Sunday (Performance/Championship)

Friday March 7, 2008
Ring 2 Carole Shlaes
Junior Handler
Program Classes
(Two Rounds, All
Levels)

Saturday March 8, 2008	Saturday March 8, 2008
Ring 1 David Hanson	Ring 2 Jessica Ajoux
Masters/PIII Standard	Starters/PI Gamblers
Masters/PIII Gamblers	Advanced/PII Gamblers
Masters/PIII Jumpers	Starters/PI Standard
Steeplechase Rd 1	Advanced/PII Standard
Perf Speed Jumping Rd 1	Starters/PI Jumpers
	Advanced/PII Jumpers

Sunday March 9, 2008	Sunday March 9, 2008
Ring 1 David Hanson	Ring 2 Jessica Ajoux
Masters/PIII Standard	Starters/PI Pairs Relay
Masters/PIII Pairs Relay	Advanced/PII Standard
Advanced/PII Pairs Relay	Starters/PI Standard
Masters/PIII Snooker	Advanced/PII Snooker
	Starters/PI Snooker
	Perf Speed Jumping Rd 2
	Steeplechase Rd 2

#### NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of USDAA Rules and Regulations, as amended March 30, 2007, including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry. USDAA's official Rules and Regulations are hereby incorporated by reference, an electronic version of which may be accessed online at <a href="https://www.usdaa.com">www.usdaa.com</a>, Rules & Regulations.

- This test is open to all dogs being at least 18 months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness that may affect the dog's ability to perform safely, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression.
- All dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete in USDAA sanctioned events. To obtain a registration number immediately and a
  height card prior to the show, go online to <a href="https://www.usdaa.com">www.usdaa.com</a>, General Information, Dog Registration. Registration may be made concurrently with
  entry to this show, a form for which is included in this Agility Test Schedule. Additionally, all junior handlers must be separately registered in order
  to compete in the Junior Handler Program classes. Registration number has a "J" prefix.
- Order of classes as listed on the cover of this Agility Test Schedule is not necessarily the running order. The tentative running order as listed in this Schedule may be changed.
- No leads, collars, food, toys or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course except as provided for in the USDAA Rules and Regulations for the Junior Handler Program. No training, pinch or shock collars will be permitted on or around the course at any time.
- Safety shall be of foremost consideration at all times. Handlers, through entry at this event, accept full responsibility for themselves, their guests and the actions of their dogs.
- 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 competitor would be prejudicial to the sport. However, any committee so doing must notify the competitor in writing (with a copy to the USDAA
  office) in anticipation of or upon receipt of entry. The notice must include the reason for refusing entry and a brief explanation of the basis for the
  committee's decision. The burden of responsibility for appropriateness of such action rests solely with the host group and its Organizing
  Committee.
- No entries shall be accepted, changed, or altered after the closing date of Friday, February 1, 2008, except as outlined under ENTRIES and CLOSING DATES.
- There shall be no refunds in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason.
- 100% of entry fees will be refunded if requested before or on the closing date of Friday, February 1, 2008. Refunds for withdrawals requested after the closing date but before the first competition date listed in this Schedule will be made only for injured or ill handlers or injured, ill or in-season dogs. Owner/handler will receive a refund less a \$20 per dog handling fee. Verification from a doctor or vet may be requested.
- There shall be no refunds for withdrawals requested on or after the first competition date listed in this Schedule, regardless of the reason.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$20.00 service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice result in cancellation of event results for all classes for the registration number(s) of delinquent entry/entries. 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 by owner/handler.
- Dogs must remain on leash at all times, except when competing in the ring or in the warm-up jump area.
- No dogs may be left unattended except when properly kenneled in designated kennel areas. Day kenneling only is permitted, unless otherwise
  posted at the show site. USDAA and Willamette Agility Group cannot and do not assume any liability for loss of any items left unattended.
- No entry fees will be refunded if the Test cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, Act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strike or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.
- Agility obstacles shall meet the requirements of USDAA Rules and Regulations.
- Dogs must be exercised only in designated areas. Please pick up after your dog.
- Fault limits may be applied in all classes for which faults are assessed. Limits shall be announced during the judges' briefings.
- Mismatched or incomplete Pairs shall be accepted as draw entries only.
- There will be no equipment familiarization at this event.
- There shall be no smoking in the boundary of the show site, which shall include the building and the entries to the buildings.
- All competitors, through entry at this event, waive any and all rights relative to video broadcast of this event. Competitors shall have the right to
  videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes. All video,
  broadcast and telecast rights for this event are the exclusive property of United States Dog Agility Association, Inc.
- Portions of this event may be taped for television. Through entry at this event, ALL COMPETITORS and HANDLERS HEREBY GRANT to USDAA
  and its 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 now known or hereafter to become known. All competitors and handlers hereby release USDAA and its 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.

# **USDAA AGILITY TITLING PROGRAM**

Two certification programs will be offered at this event: Championship and Performance. Competitors may enter both Championship and Performance Program classes for which they are eligible; however, under NO circumstance may a dog be entered in the same Championship and Performance class at this agility test (i.e. Standard at any level in both programs). Classes include Standard agility, Gamblers, Jumpers, Pairs Relay and Snooker agility as set forth in Chapters 3-7 of USDAA Rules and Regulations, each of which are conducted at three competitive levels.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP DOG AGILITY PROGRAM**

The <u>Starters Standard</u> classes shall be for dogs that have not earned the *Agility Dog*® title or a Starters Standard title. <u>Starters non-standard classes</u> shall be for dogs that have not earned a title in the class being entered (Starters Gamblers, Starters Jumpers, Starters Relay-3 different partners required-or Starters Snooker) or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard class at the Advanced or Masters level. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the nonstandard classes is required to earn the *Agility Dog* title.

The <u>Advanced Standard</u> classes shall be for dogs that have earned the Agility Dog® title or a Starters Standard title. <u>Advanced non-standard classes</u> shall be for dogs that have earned the Agility Dog® title or that have earned a title in the equivalent non-standard class at the Starters level, but have not earned the equivalent Advanced non-standard title or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard class at the Masters level. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the nonstandard classes is required to earn the *Advanced Agility Dog* title.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP DOG AGILITY PROGRAM (continued)

The <u>Masters Standard</u> classes shall be for dogs that have earned the Advanced Agility Dog® title or the Advanced Standard title. <u>Masters non-standard classes</u> shall be for dogs that have earned the Advanced Agility Dog® title, the equivalent non-standard title at the Advanced level, or that had previously qualified for entry into the equivalent Masters non-standard class prior to January 1, 2004.

#### PERFORMANCE DOG AGILITY PROGRAM

Generally, Performance Level I, Level II and Level III are run on courses used for Starters, Advanced and Masters classes in the Championship Program, with the following exceptions: the A-frame is set at 5'6", jump heights are one height class lower as set forth in Notes to Competitors, no spread hurdles are utilized and time standards in the Standard, Jumpers classes are extended by 3 seconds beyond that utilized in the Championship Program. Eligibility is determined as follows:

The <u>Performance I Standard</u> classes shall be for any dog that has not earned the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title, the Performance Standard I title, or a qualifying score in the Performance II or Performance III Standard classes. <u>Performance I non-standard classes</u> shall be for any dog that has not earned a title in the class being entered (Performance I Gamblers, Performance I Jumpers, or Performance I Snooker) or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard class at the Performance III or Performance III level. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the non-standard classes is required to earn the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title.

The <u>Performance II Standard</u> classes shall be for any dog that has earned the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title, the Performance Standard I title, the Agility Dog<sup>®</sup> title or the Veteran Agility Dog<sup>SM</sup> title, but has not earned the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title or Performance Standard II title, or a qualifying score in the Performance III standard class. <u>Performance II non-standard classes</u> shall be for dogs having earned the Performance Dog I<sup>SM</sup> title, the Agility Dog<sup>®</sup> title or a title in the equivalent Starters or Performance I non-standard class, but not having earned a title in the equivalent non-standard Performance III class or a qualifying score in the equivalent non-standard Performance III class. Three qualifying scores in the Standard class from two different judges along with one qualifying score in each of the nonstandard classes is required to earn the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title.

The <u>Performance III Standard</u> classes shall be for any dog that has earned the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title, the Performance Standard II title, the Advanced Agility Dog<sup>SM</sup> title, or the Veteran Advanced Agility Dog<sup>SM</sup> title. <u>Performance III non-standard classes</u> shall be for dogs having earned the Performance Dog II<sup>SM</sup> title, the Advanced Agility Dog<sup>®</sup> title, the equivalent non-standard title at the Advanced or Performance II level, or that had previously qualified for entry into the equivalent Performance non-standard class prior to January 1, 2004.

#### **CLASS DESCRIPTIONS**

Competitors may enter both Championship and Performance programs at this event. A dog may be entered in any program for which it is eligible and may enter a Championship program class and Performance program class at the same level (e.g. Masters Gamblers and PIII Standard); however a dog may not be entered in the same or similar CLASS in both Championship and Performance (e.g. Masters Gamblers and PII or PIII Gamblers). In each of the following descriptions, it can be assumed that the Performance Program parallels the Championship program unless otherwise noted.

• <u>Standard Agility</u>: A standard agility course consists of a numbered sequence of obstacles. It demonstrates a dog/handler team's speed, accuracy, and teamwork. All non-standard classes are scored pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 3-5 of USDAA Rules and Regulations. Please note: Effective January 1, 2004, the table count will be five CUMULATIVE (not consecutive) seconds in the Advanced Standard class.

Non-standard Class Descriptions - These non-standard classes are scored pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 6 & 7 of USDAA Rules and Regulations.

- <u>Gamblers Class</u>: consists of a course with no pre-determined route and each obstacle is assigned a point value. In the 'opening' period the handler seeks to accumulate points by performing the obstacles of his / her choice in the time allotted. At the conclusion of the 'opening' the handler attempts the 'gamble', as a sequence designated by the judge to be handled from a distance, for additional points.
- Jumpers Class: consists of a course of jumps and may include a tire and tunnels.
- <u>Snooker Class</u>: has an 'opening' sequence of point collection similar to the Gamblers followed by a closing sequence of a set pattern. Roughly parallels the billiards game of 'Snooker', requiring the dog to successfully complete a 'red' jump prior to attempting an obstacle designated as any other color.
- Pairs Relay: consists of a standard course with one dog and handler running a portion of the course, followed by a baton exchange to a second handler
  and dog who run the second portion of the course. Partners must be from the same level and height division, mini (Ch 12/16", Perf 8/12") or open (Ch
  22/26", Perf 16/22"). In the event only one dog is entered in a program/level, un-entered dogs or dogs from another program/level may NOT be
  recruited to form a qualifying pair.

# JUNIOR HANDLER TITLING PROGRAM – Use separate entry form!

The Junior Handler Program is for children 18 years of age and younger. Four progressive levels of competition are offered. Each Junior Handler must separately register with their dog (see registration form) to be eligible for entry in the following classes. A dog may not compete with two different handlers in the same class level on the same day. Since the 2 runs per class per level are being offered on the same day, back to back, there will be no move-ups allowed as per USDAA® rules. Jump heights are the same as for the Performance Program: 8", 12", 16", 22". As described in Section 8.2 of the current USDAA rule book, classes offered are:

- Beginners Agility Class: The JH Beginners Agility SM certificate requires completion of one round of competition with no penalties. Entrants must complete an eight to ten question examination, and items missed on the exam must be reviewed prior to or during the judge's briefing. Completion of the course within the designated time without fault shall result in the award of USDAA's JH Beginners Agility certificate of accomplishment. The obstacle course shall be comprised of ten (10) obstacles set in a simple horse shoe or simple "M" design, including an A-Frame (apex at 4'6"), Table at 12" for all dogs (to be performed in the down position for five cumulative seconds), Pipe Tunnel, Collapsed Tunnel and Six Hurdles (wings, if any, should be no more than 18" in width). The standard course time shall be 60 seconds. Dogs may compete on leash using a buckle collar. Election to do so must be designated on the entry form.
- <u>Elementary Agility Class:</u> The JH Elementary Agility<sup>SM</sup> certificate requires completion of two rounds of competition with no penalties. Successful completion of the two rounds will earn the JR Elementary Agility certificate of accomplishment. The obstacle course shall be comprised of ten obstacles set in a simple horseshoe or simple "M" design. The same agility obstacles and related modifications shall be used as in the Beginners class, except that the A-frame shall measure 5'0" at the apex. The standard course time shall be the same as in the Beginners class, set at 60 seconds. Dogs may wear a buckle collar, but must compete off leash.

#### JUNIOR HANDLER TITLING PROGRAM - Use separate entry form! (continued)

- Intermediate Agility Class: The JH Elementary Agility SM class requires three rounds of competition with no penalties. Dogs completing three clear rounds in this class shall be awarded the JH Intermediate Agility certificate of accomplishment. The courses shall be of simple design, being slightly more challenging than a figure of "8", and shall include twelve (12) to fourteen (14) obstacles, including an A-Frame (apex at 5'6"), Dog Walk (elevation at no more than 3'0" and planks of no less than 7'0" in length), Pipe Tunnel, Collapsed Tunnel, Short set of weave poles (five or six), Table at 12" for dogs jumping in the lower two height classes and at 16" for dogs jumping in the two higher jump height classes (to be performed in the down position for five consecutive seconds), Long Jump, Tire Jump and four to six hurdles. The standard course time shall be 75 seconds. Dogs must compete off leash without a collar.
- Senior Agility Class: The JH Senior Agility SM class requires three rounds of competition with no penalties. Dogs completing three rounds without fault in this class level shall be awarded the JR Senior Agility certificate of accomplishment. The courses shall be of simple design, being slightly more challenging than a figure of "8", and shall include thirteen (13) to fifteen (15) obstacles, including the same obstacles as in the JH Intermediate class with the following modifications: A-frame apex at approximately 5'10" effective March 30, 2007 (5'6" for the 8" and 12" height classes) and the addition of a see-saw. The standard course time shall be computed at the rate of two yards per second not to exceed 75 seconds. Dogs must compete off lease without a collar.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP AND PERFORMANCE JUMP HEIGHTS

Following are the jump heights for the Championship Program with Performance Program and Junior Handler heights in parentheses:

Dog Height	Jump Height	Long Jump*	Table**
Over 21"	26" (22")	60" (48")	24" (16")
21" or less	22" (16")	48" (36")	24" (16")
16" or less	16" (12")	36" (24")	16" (12")
12" or less	12" (8")	20" (12")	12" (12")

NOTE: Effective March 30, 2007, the A-frame is set as follows: For dogs entered in Championship classes at 22" and 26" jump heights, the apex of the A-frame is approximately 5'10" (at a 99 degree angle). For dogs entered in Championship classes at 12" and 16" jump heights, and for all dogs entered in Performance program classes, the apex is approximately 5'6" (at a 104 degree angle). Because of minor variations in construction standards and terrain, the angle measurement at the apex of the A-frame shall overrule the height measurement when setting the A-frame in accordance with these regulations.

- \* The long jump is required in the Steeplechase and Performance Speed Jumping.
- \*\* See Junior Handler Program class descriptions for table heights used at each level.

#### 2008 DOG AGILITY STEEPLECHASE® LOCAL QUALIFIER

**Description:** The "Steeplechase" is a two-round tournament with emphasis on speed. Each round will be conducted on a jumpers-style course that shall include at least two spread hurdles, a long jump and an A-frame and weave poles. Either the A-Frame or weave poles shall be required to be performed twice. Top competitors as set forth below (see qualification and advancement) shall advance to Round 2 to compete for prize money and Tournament Top Ten points. Qualifiers as defined herein earn the right to enter either the quarterfinals or semifinals at the Dog Agility Steeplechase® championships to be held in autumn of 2008. This tournament is open to all competitors not entered in Performance Speed Jumping<sup>SM</sup> qualifier at this event regardless of titles earned.

**Scoring:** The tournament shall be conducted pursuant to USDAA Championship Program Starters level rules, except that scoring in each round shall be on a time plus faults basis, with a five-point penalty added to a competitor's performance time for each occurrence of a fallen hurdle or missed contact; running the wrong course shall be scored as an elimination as defined under Masters rules.

#### Qualification & Advancement (For the purposes of this explanation, a score is anything other than elimination.)

Local Qualifiers: Qualification shall be determined based upon the Round 1 scores of the top three dogs in each jump height provided there are at least 5 scores in the 12" or 16" height classes or 7 scores in the 22" and 26" height classes. The top three scores shall be averaged and multiplied by a factor of 1.25 to determine the maximum qualifying score for each jump height. Only competitors with scores equal to or less than the maximum qualifying score qualify.

Further, in the event that fewer than five competitors in any height class receive a score, the top three scores must be determined from the combined height division for small dogs (12" and 16") or large dogs (22" and 26") to determine the maximum qualifying score for all dogs competing in that division in the manner described above.

However, if there are fewer than five scores in a division, the top score from the division shall be used to calculate the maximum qualifying score. In this case, the top score shall be multiplied by a factor of 1.25 to determine the maximum qualifying score.

Qualifiers and placement winners (minimum of four, there is no maximum) in the height class are eligible to advance to Round 2 at a local qualifying event in order to compete for Top Ten points and prize money, provided they have finished the round with a score. Nonqualifying competitors running in Round 2 shall not be credited with a qualifying score regardless of their final standing and at the Regional level are not eligible to earn a bye based upon their score in Round 2. A finalist slot vacated by a competitor who has earned the right to compete in the final round shall be forfeited and no substitutions are allowed.

Regional Championships: The same process used for determining qualifying scores in Round 1 at the local qualifier will be applied in Round 1 at a Regional. To determine the maximum qualifying score in Round 2 at a Regional, the same method is applied, but the multiplier of 1.15 will be utilized. Any competitor in Round 2 with a score less than or equal to the maximum qualifying score as calculated in this manner will earn a 'bye' into the Steeplechase semifinals championships. Non-qualifying competitors are not eligible to run in Round 2 to satisfy numerical minimums. Any 'bye' that is earned may only be used by the handler/dog team who earned it and may not be transferred to another dog and/or handler.

#### Eligibility for Entry:

Regional Championships: A competitor must have one qualification at a local qualifier to be eligible to enter Round 1 of a Regional Championships. World Championship:

Quarterfinals: Two qualifications, one of which may be from the first round of a Regional Championship will be required for entry.

<u>Semifinals</u>: Advancement from the quarterfinals by earning the equivalent of a qualifying score or by direct entry into the semifinal by having earned a 'bye' at a Regional Championship.

Program eligibility in Regional and National/World Championships shall be determined as follows: Where a competitor has qualifying scores in Championship Program tournaments and Performance Program tournaments, a competitor must enter all Championship Program tournaments unless the total number of qualifications earned in all Performance Program tournaments is greater.

#### 2008 DOG AGILITY STEEPLECHASE® LOCAL QUALIFIER (continued)

Local Qualifiers: Prize money shall be computed based upon 20% to 40% (at club's discretion) of the total Steeplechase entry fees to be allocated in accordance with the payout table below regardless of the size of entry in any height class.

Regional Championships: Prize money shall be computed based upon 30% of the total entry fees to be allocated in accordance with the payout table below regardless of the size of entry in any height class.

Height Class	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6th	Total*
12"	10%	6%	4%				20%
16"	10%	6%	4%	3%			23%
22"	10%	6%	4%	4%	3%	3%	30%
26"	10%	6%	4%	4%	3%		27%
Totals	40%	24%	16%	11%	6%	3%	100%

<sup>\*</sup> Allocable amounts to finalist positions that are not filled for any reason or allocable prize amounts less than \$3.00 shall not be paid.

# 2008 PERFORMANCE SPEED JUMPING<sup>SM</sup> TOURNAMENT QUALIFIER

Description: This is a two-round tournament with emphasis on speed. Each round will be conducted on a jumpers-style course that shall include a long jump and an A-frame and weave poles. Either the A-Frame or weave poles shall be required to be performed twice. All obstacles are set according to Performance specifications. Top competitors as set forth below (see qualification and advancement) shall advance to Round 2 to compete for prizes or awards. This tournament is open to all competitors not entered in the Steeplechase qualifier at the same event regardless of titles earned.

Scoring: The tournament shall be conducted pursuant to USDAA Championship Program Starters level rules, except that scoring in each round shall be on a time plus faults basis, with a five-point penalty added to a competitor's performance time for each occurrence of a fallen hurdle or missed contact; running the wrong course shall be scored as an elimination as defined under Masters rules.

#### Qualification & Advancement at Local Qualifiers: (For the purposes of this explanation, a score is anything other than elimination.)

Qualification shall be determined based upon the Round 1 scores of the top three dogs in each jump height provided there are at least 5 scores in the 8" or 12" height classes or 7 scores in the 16" and 22" height classes. The top three scores shall be averaged and multiplied by a factor of 1.25 to determine the maximum qualifying score for each jump height. Only competitors with scores equal to or less than the maximum qualifying score qualify.

Further, in the event that fewer than five competitors in any height class receive a score, the top three scores must be determined from the combined height division for small dogs (8" and 12") or large dogs (16" and 22") to determine the maximum qualifying score for all dogs competing in that division in the

However, if there are fewer than five scores in a division, the top score from the division shall be used to calculate the maximum qualifying score. In this case, the top score shall be multiplied by a factor of 1.25 to determine the maximum qualifying score.

Qualifiers and placement winners (minimum of four, there is no maximum) in the height class are eligible to advance to Round 2 at a local qualifying event in order to compete for prizes and awards, provided they have finished the round with a score. Non-qualifying competitors running in Round 2 shall not be credited with a qualifying score regardless of their final standing. A finalist slot vacated by a competitor who has earned the right to compete in the final round shall be forfeited and no substitutions are allowed.

Program eligibility in Regional and National/World Championships shall be determined as follows: Where a competitor has qualifying scores in Championship Program tournaments and Performance Program tournaments, a competitor must enter all Championship Program tournaments unless the total number of qualifications earned in all Performance Program tournaments is greater.

Eligibility for Entry into the Championships: Two qualifying scores as defined herein are required to enter the semifinals at the Performance Speed Jumping<sup>SM</sup> Championships to be held in autumn of 2008.

Awards: Local Qualifier: Prizes or awards shall be provided at the club's discretion. NOTE: Prize money shall be awarded at this trial and shall be computed based upon 20% to 40% (at club's discretion) of the total PSJ entry fees to be allocated in accordance with the payout table below regardless of the size of entry in any height class.

Local Qualifier held in conjunction with a Regional Championship: Prizes or awards shall be awarded to first through third places in each jump height. Should prize money be awarded, the following table shall be utilized:

Height Class	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>ra</sup>	Total**
8"	12%	8%	5%	25%
12"	12%	8%	5%	25%
16"	12%	8%	5%	25%
22"	12%	8%	5%	25%
Totals	48%	32%	20%	100%

<sup>\*\*</sup> Allocable prize money to Round 2 positions that are not filled for any reason shall be forfeited. Allocable prize amounts less than \$3.00 shall not be paid.

#### **FOOD**

There will be an on-site food vendor at this trial.

#### DONATION

A percentage of the trial proceeds will be donated to a charity of the Organizing Committee's choice.

#### **VENDORS**

If you would like to be a vendor at this trial, please contact Bart Pierce (bartpierce@comcast.net) by Friday, February 29, 2008. The "fee" for vendor space is a \$25 donation in goods/services to the raffle or a payment of \$25, payable to WAG. Vendor space is limited and must be reserved in advance; priority for vendor space is given to those who are participating in the trial. For the safety and enjoyment of everyone at the trial, all vendors are asked to use a modest amount of space for their displays and to cooperate with WAG in the location of their space at the trial facility.

# **RAFFLE**

Check out the raffle for wonderful items! If you have an item to donate, contact **Anne Minnich at** annellama@yahoo.com

#### **ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION**

#### Motels accepting well-behaved pets:

CORVALLIS		
Days Inn	1113 NW 9th St.	541-754-7474 or 1-800-432-1233
Econolodge	345 NW 2nd St.	541-752-9601
Holiday Inn Express	781 NW 2nd St.	541-752-0800 or 1-800-HOLIDAY
Motel 6	937 NW Garfield	541-758-9125
Super 8	407 NW 2nd St.	541-758-8088 or 1-800-800-8000
Towne House	1113 NW 9th St.	541-753-4496 or 1-800-898-4496

ALBANY		
Best Western Albany	315 Airport Rd. SE	541-928-6322
La Quinta Inn	251 Airport Rd. SE	541-928-0921
Quality Inn	1100 Price Rd. SE	541-928-5050

Each motel has its own prices and rules for dogs, and they vary widely between motels. Some motels have exceptions to their usual rules for 'show dogs'.

#### Camping:

There are three types of camping available at the Benton County Fairgrounds (BCF) for the WAG trial.

- 1) \$15.00 per night: Electrical hook-up; most also have water. These spaces are at the front of the Fairgrounds, near the arena where the trial is being held.
- 2) \$25.00 per night: Full hook-up with electrical, water, cable and other goodies. These spaces are in the Benton Oaks RV Park, next to the Fairgrounds.
- 3) \$11.00 per night: Tent camping (up to 4 people in a tent).

The \$15.00 per night fee for the approx. 25-30 such spaces is a special rate negotiated with BCF for the WAG trial. If you want one of these spaces, check the correct line on your trial entry form and send the additional \$15 per night to WAG with your entry fee. With your trial confirmation letter, you will receive a camping tag, which must be displayed in your camping rig. You are not allowed to park in the full hook-up spots for this price. These are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

If you would like a full hook-up space or would like to tent-camp, you must contact BCF directly at (541) 766-6521, 766-6088, or 766-6089. BCF has told us to tell you that it is better to reserve the spot than wait and that your credit card does get charged when you reserve. With 24 hours notice, BCF will refund your money via a County check.

#### DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

#### BENTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, 110 SW 53rd Street, Corvallis, Oregon

Take I-5 to Exit 228 (Hwy. 34 to Corvallis). As you enter Corvallis, Hwy 34 becomes Harrison Blvd. Remain on Harrison through Corvallis to 53<sup>rd</sup> Street. Turn south (left) onto 53<sup>rd</sup> Street (Walnut Blvd. becomes 53<sup>rd</sup> at the light). Benton County Fairgrounds is approximately ¼ of a mile on the right.

Alternate route: As you approach Corvallis on Highway 34, do not cross the bridge into town, but turn LEFT at the light before the bridge; this takes you to the downtown bypass. Continue (west) to the light at 53<sup>rd</sup> Street (Bi-Mart will be on your left). Turn right (north) onto 53<sup>rd</sup> Street. Benton County Fairgrounds is approximately ½ of a mile on the left.

#### DOG REGISTRATION APPLICATION

If your dog does not yet have a USDAA registration number, you may obtain a registration number immediately and a measurement card prior to the show by registering online at <a href="https://www.usdaa.com">www.usdaa.com</a>. Click on General Information → Dog Registration. You may instead clip out the form below and return it with your entry and include the appropriate amount with your entry fees. A reduced registration fee is available through online registration.

□ DOG REGISTRATION APPLICATION - \$20.00	
☐ JUNIOR HANDLER REGISTRATION APPLICATION - \$17.00	
Dogs must be registered with USDAA in order to compete in USDAA sanctions will be issued to facilitate entry at USDAA events and tracking of show results in	
Junior handlers (those 18 years of age and younger) and their dogs must be se Handler Program (UJHP). A registration number with a "J" prefix will be assigned both programs (regular classes and UJHP) must be registered separately for each	gned for use in entering UJHP events. A dog competing in
You must complete ALL information for a valid registration:	FOR USDAA USE ONLY: REG# UJHP#
OWNER/HANDLER INFORMATION: Primary Owner:	
Co-Owner:	Handler:(If different from primary owner)
Junior Handler: DOB:	
Address:	
	Country:
Email Address:	
DOG INFORMATION:	
Formal Name:(Name to appear on certificates; please print clearly or type)	Call Name:
Breed: Specify breed or state "All American to denote mix-breed)  (Name to appear on certificates, please print clearly or type)  Birthdate: (Fig. 1)	Height  @ Withers:(To nearest 1/4")

# Willamette Agility Group - Junior Handler Program Official Entry Form United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. **Sanctioned Agility Test**

Benton County Fairgrounds, Corvallis, OR • Friday, March 7, 2008 • Judge: Carole Shlaes

Since the 2 runs/class per level are being offered on the same day, back to back, there will be no move-ups allowed, as per the JH USDAA® rules. Check-in and first class start time will be in the very late afternoon or early evening on Friday. See your confirmation letter for details.

Return this completed form with entry fees payable to: WAG, c/o Cheryl Henning, 860 Ree Del Ct. NE, Salem, OR 97301. **SIGNED ENTRIES AND APPROPRIATE FEES MUST <u>RECEIVED BY</u> FRIDAY, FEBRURARY 1, 2008, IN ORDER TO BE VALID.** View Notice to Competitors section about terms

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# Willamette Agility Group – Official Entry Form United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. Sanctioned Agility Test

Benton County Fairgrounds, Corvallis, OR • March 8-9, 2008

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#### **GENERAL AGREEMENT**

GENERAL AGREEMENT: I (we) agree that the Willamette Agility Group has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the organizing committee alone shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, of the holding of the event and of the opportunity to have the dog participate and/or to be judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, Willamette Agility Group, United States Dog Agility Association, Inc., Including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, sponsors of the event, and owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees harmless 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 this dog while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage or injury, be cause or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 there from, 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, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of the employees or agents or any other persons. I (we) acknowledge that by entering this class or event, I am or will be, a Limited Member of the Willamette Agility Group.

I further acknowledge that I have read, understand and will abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of the United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and the provisions for entry as set forth in the Agility Test Schedule of which this entry form is a part. I acknowledge and represent that the information supplied by me herein is correct to the best of my knowledge; 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. Further, I represent that I am the owner of the dog listed hereon, or that I have full authority as agent for dog's owner and shall hold Willamette Agility Group, USDAA, including their officers, directors, employees and agents and their sponsors harmless from any liability or claims made by dog's owner.

Further, I hereby grant to United States Dog Agility Association, Inc., its representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persons, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. I hereby release USDAA, its representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality or any similar right.

Owner/Handler Signature	Date	
Day Telephone		
Parent or Legal Guardian for Minor:		
Signature	Date	

#### **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

We depend on the generosity of volunteers to make our trials run smoothly. Workers will earn coupons to use with the food vendor or to buy raffle tickets. Experience is not needed for any job; we will teach you. We do our best to avoid conflicts; however, if a conflict does happen, please let the Chief Ring Stewards know right away and they will help you find a different volunteer for your slot.

Name

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WHATEVER YOU NEED ME TO DO!

#### ONE PERSON PER FORM · PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Email

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# **CAN YOU HELP WITH THE JUNIOR HANDLER CLASSES?**

☐ I REALLY REALLY REALLY WANT TO HELP... But I'm running several dogs at this trial and don't know right now what job/s I'll be available to do.

At the trial, I'll periodically check with the Chief Ring Stewards to let them know when I'm available and they can check with me too.

☐ SUN afternoon equipment tear-down & loading

If you can help with the Junior Handler classes on Friday, please email Judge Carole Shlaes at CShlaes@aol.com. We need 5-6 helpers: scribe, timer, ring crew, and scorekeeper. The JH classes will run in the very late afternoon or early evening on Friday. Please check your confirmation letter for the exact time.