

**ENTRY METHOD IS FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES OPEN Monday January 6, 2020 at 8:00 am** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

**ENTRIES CLOSE Friday March 20, 2020 at 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 Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

**Entries MUST be received by closing date – NOT postmarked.**

**PREMIUM LIST**

**AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS**

This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs  
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program <sup>SM</sup>

**Tampa Bay Agility Club**

Licensed by the American Kennel Club



**Saturday April 4, 2020** Event Number: **2020685103**

**Sunday April 5, 2020** Event Number: **2020685104**

**Trial Location**

Dog Training Club of St. Petersburg  
4400 34th St. N. (US19) Ste. B, St. Petersburg, FL 33714

Show Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Indoors on Turf

One Ring: 80' X 100'

Limited To 330 Runs Per Day

**Judge: Mark Upshaw**

**New AKC Rules Starting January 2020 are included in this premium. PLEASE READ**



**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

**TAMPA BAY AGILITY CLUB OFFICERS**

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Vice President .....Mary Rulli  
Treasurer..... Pat Nichols  
Secretary..... Pat Nichols  
Brigadoon Dr., Tampa, FL 33618

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AGILITY TRIAL CHAIR	TRIAL SECRETARY
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**EVENT COMMITTEE**

Officers and Board of Directors of TBAC

**AGILITY TRIAL STAFF**

Volunteer Coordinator- Bonnie Scott  
Chief Course Builder- Arnie Carter  
Hospitality- Pat Nichols  
Judges Hospitality- Lori Borrowman

**JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS**

**Mark Upshaw** #53138  
624 Buckhorn Rd  
Bloomsburg, PA 17815-7601  
mdu59@juno.com

**Saturday:**

Excellent/Master JWW, Open JWW, Excellent/Master Std, Open Std, Novice Std, Novice JWW

**Sunday:**

Excellent/Master JWW, Open JWW, Excellent/Master Std, Open Std, Novice Std, Novice JWW

**VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

**Animal Emergency Clinic**

3165 22nd Ave. N. St. Petersburg, FL  
727-323-1311

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/Ambulance/Police

**911**

## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Small to Tall	Tall to Small
<b>8:30 AM Start</b>	<b>8:15 AM Start</b>
Exc/Mst JWW	Exc/Mst JWW
Open JWW	Open JWW
Exc/Mst STD	Exc/Mst STD
Open STD	Open STD
Novice STD	Novice STD
Novice JWW	Novice JWW
Check in will start at 7:30am. Walk-thrus are prior to start times.	

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

### ENTRY FEES PER DAY

	Exhibitors
First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee) .....	\$21
Additional entry of same dog same day (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) .....	\$12

If you would like to know the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard along with your entry. Email confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form

**Mail entry forms and fees to:** Lori Patterson, Trial Secretary, 9437 Rodeo Dr, Lake Worth, FL 33467. Please make checks payable to **TBAC**. No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Lori Patterson at [tsLorip@gmail.com](mailto:tsLorip@gmail.com). No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Telephone, email and fax entries cannot be accepted. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms or Entry forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the form are not acceptable. Unsigned Entry Forms cannot be accepted nor entries which specify any conditions as to its acceptance. Entry Forms **MUST** be filled out completely. Incomplete entries do not constitute a valid entry.

Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may make such errors, & no entry will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after published closing date. Illegible entries will not be processed. **PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY. NO STAPLES OR TAPE PLEASE.**

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and TBAC will add a **\$30** collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

## HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

### MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Effective January 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" height division. 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. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog *before* its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. 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.

### NEW Simplified Jump Height Card Process

When filling out the entry form, there is a new section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog has a valid jump height card or if your dog needs to be measured. Please check the appropriate box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured List*. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

### DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

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

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. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

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. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and

Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under four (4) months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

### AWARD INFORMATION

Rosettes will be awarded in each class for placements 1 through 4 in each jump height . You must qualify in order to receive a placement ribbon. Qualifying green ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score.

A bar and Rosette will also be awarded for any team earning their **Master Agility Championship and Preferred Agility Championship** at the Tampa Bay Agility Club trial. Any team earning their **PAX** Title at the TBAC trial will receive a Rosette Title Ribbon.

**DOUBLE Q** Ribbons will be awarded to all dogs that qualify in the Master Standard & JWW classes on the same day at our trial.

**Title** Ribbons will be available to dogs obtaining their title at the TBAC trial.

### NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Tampa Bay Agility Club, and the Dog Training Club of St. Petersburg, and their agents, assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, property or to any of their dogs, and further TBAC, DTCSP, and its agents, assumes no responsibility for injury to children in attendance

IF IT IS NECESSARY TO RESCUE A DOG from a parked car on the show grounds, the Club will not be responsible or liable for any damage to the car involved.

Owners or handlers entering dogs in a trial do so at their own risk and agree to assume responsibility for any damage caused by them, or by their dogs. They also agree to abide by the Rules of the American Kennel Club and the current edition of the AKC Agility Regulations.

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.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such cases, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

### REFUNDS

**ENTRY FEES** shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of Trial Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management, It is impossible to open or to complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.

**BITCHES IN SEASON:** Upon receipt of a written statement postmarked before the date of the show, a refund will be made minus a \$8.00 per day processing fee

### COURSE FAMILIARIZATION AND WARM-UPS

The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered only in that class.

## CLASS CHANGES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2020

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

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed. Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

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

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

### Fix and Go On (FNG)

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

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

**Explanation -** *At any time during a run the handler may immediately fix a single obstacle one time. The action shall be judged as an elimination, which shall be marked as an "E" on the scribe sheet, resulting in a non-qualifying score (NQ). The handler may go back a few obstacles prior to the fix. If a jump bar (bar jump or single bar jump) is knocked, the handler may reset it, but the reset is limited to one jump bar. The dog may not be verbally or physically corrected for the error. Weave poles may be immediately re-attempted three times, but if the dog is brought back to obstacles prior to the weave poles, it will be considered the one time Fix and Go On attempt. Once handlers have used the one-time Fix and Go On option, they must immediately finish the course or exit the ring.*

*The judge shall not judge the dog's run after the fix but will continue to watch the run to ensure that the handler is going on to complete the course correctly, is not using harsh commands or corrections and that the run is being done safely. The judge will immediately whistle to excuse the team from the ring for any of these infractions.*

### MOVE UPS

Written requests for dogs to be moved-up to a higher class, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, will be accepted at the trial secretary's address or via email until **6:00 pm on Monday, March 30, 2020** and will be included in the running order. Day-to-day move-ups will be accepted day to day but must be into the Trial Secretary no later than the close of the preceding day's trial.

### EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

The Regulations for Agility Trials are available on-line at [www.AKC.org](http://www.AKC.org). For copies of the Regulations, write the AKC, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 2767-3390 or call 919-233-9767.

### AFTER CLOSING WAIT LIST

TBAC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 10 entries will be placed on the wait list. All entries, including those on the wait list must be received by March 20, 2020. Any withdrawn entries received by 6pm on March 28, 2020, will be replaced by a wait list entry, if available. Then a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait list entries that remain, will receive a full refund (trial secretary will destroy entry and check).

### SITE INFORMATION

- Ring size is 80' x 100' on Turf.
- Crating is indoors on mats.
- Lunch will be provided for workers. Water/soda is available for a small donation.
- Fast food and casual dining options are just a few minutes from the site.
- Please do not park in front of the gymnastics facility.
- Dog potty area is behind the building. Do not allow your dog to potty in the grass in front of the building or near any of the other businesses.
- No crates will be allowed in the ring area (Unit A).
- Dogs may not be left unattended in the building.
- A warm up jump will be provided on the same turf as the ring.
- Chairs will be provided ring side for spectators. Please do not place your personal chairs in that area.

## VOLUNTEERS WANTED!!!

Please complete this form and send it with your entry.

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SAT     SUN     Both

I am NOT showing any dogs and I am available to work.

#### I am showing in the following:

Please mark class & height

\_\_\_\_\_ Exc / Open / Novice

Height

\_\_\_\_\_ Exc / Open / Novice

Height

\_\_\_\_\_ Exc / Open / Novice

Height

#### I can do the following jobs:

Scribe

Timer

Gate Steward

Runner

Ring Crew

Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU!!!**

### HOTEL INFORMATION

Call early to reserve rooms. Some restrictions may apply. Please check with the hotel

Day's Inn Gateway	9539 US 19 N., St. Petersburg	727-577-3838
LaQuinta Inn	7500 US 19 N., St. Petersburg	727-545-5611 800-531-5900
Red Roof Inn	4999 N 34 <sup>th</sup> St N., St. Petersburg	727-527-8421

Numerous other hotels in the area – check with individual properties for pet policies

**PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG!!!**

### CAMPING INFORMATION

Please call to check availability and regulations

Robert's Mobile Home & RV Resort	3390 Gandy Blvd., St. Petersburg, FL 33702 727-577-6820 www.robertsrv.com
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No RV's parking on site

### DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

#### Dog Training Club of St. Petersburg

4400 34th St. N. (US19) Ste.B, St. Petersburg, FL 33714

I-275 to Exit #25 (38<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.); Go west on 38<sup>th</sup> Ave. Turn right (north) on 34th St. N. (US 19). Hardees on left. Go over overpass and turn left into the first parking lot.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

**Remember, agility is a fun sport. Any exhibitor showing unsportsmanlike conduct or mistreating a dog will be brought before a bench committee**

### IMPORTANT

All entries & move-ups are acknowledged by email. If you do not receive one within a reasonable time frame assume we did not receive and contact the

**Trial Secretary – Lori Patterson at [tsLorip@gmail.com](mailto:tsLorip@gmail.com)**



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Tampa Bay Agility Club

Opens: January 6, 2020 • Closes: March 20, 2020

Table with dates (Saturday April 4, 2020 and Sunday, April 5, 2020) and checkboxes for STD and JWW.

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$21 - \$12 each additional run

Make checks payable to: TBAC; Mail to: Lori Patterson, 9437 Rodeo Dr., Lake Worth, FL 33467

PLEASE DO NOT STAPLE OR TAPE ANYTHING TO ENTRY FORM OR TAPE COUPONS

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table with columns for Regular and Preferred classes, listing jump heights (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and class types (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B).

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes [ ]STD [ ]JWW

This Dog Needs To Be Measured [ ]Yes [ ]No

Table with fields for BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME, SEX, and HEIGHT AT WITHERS.

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Table with fields for AKC® NO, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER, DATE OF BIRTH, and PLACE OF BIRTH.

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS [ ] NEW ADDRESS

CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.

AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event...

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries...

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running.

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

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ [ ]New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_



**AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB**

**AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM**

(Do not send this form to AKC.  
Send it to the Trial Secretary)

**USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY**

**It is the option of the club to allow day-to-day move-ups.** Exhibitors should refer to a club's premium list to verify the club's policy for moving a dog up. If offered, dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title.

The request for moving up must be made to the Trial Secretary according to the club's published policy. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

<b>Name of Club</b>		<b>Date</b>
<b>Dog's AKC Registered Name</b>	<b>Dog's AKC #</b>	
<b>Dog's Call Name</b>		

**Move Entry to Agility Class: (Circle One)**

**Jump Height Division: (Circle One)**

Regular Standard	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	26"
Regular JWW	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	26"
Preferred Standard	Open	Excellent	Master	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Preferred JWW	Open	Excellent	Master	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	

<b>Owners Name</b>
<b>Handlers Name (If applicable)</b>
<b>Signature of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry</b>

<b>Signature of Trial Secretary If Approved:</b>	
<b>Date</b>	<b>Time Received</b>