

Sir Francis Drake Kennel Club, Inc.

AKC All Breed Agility Trials

September 11 - September 13, 2009

3501 Civic Center Dr., San Rafael, CA 94903

Set Ups, Check In, Start Times, Walk Through

Preliminary running order contingent on move-up entries not yet received. Exhibitors shall be provided armbands or stickers indicating their dog's running order number for this trial. Per AKC rules, the move up deadline is 6 pm on Monday, September 7, 2009. Absolutely no move ups for Friday or Saturday will be allowed after this time and date. Day to day move ups will be allowed and must be given to the Trial Secretary, at the show site, in writing within 15 minutes of the last dog completing the course on Friday or Saturday.

Novice B/A Standard, JWW and FAST classes will run together by jump heights with division B running before division A. Excellent B/A Standard, JWW and FAST classes will run together by jump heights with division B running before division A. The preferred classes will run intermingled with the regular classes by height. Each class will be briefed separately. Lunch breaks will be at the Judge's discretion. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump will be

provided for all exhibitors.

Check in will begin at noon on Friday and 7:00 am on Saturday and Sunday. Armbands may be picked up at the score table each day.

Judging will begin at 1:00 pm on Friday and at 8:00 am on Saturday and Sunday.

Walk through will begin as soon as the Judge has approved the course. This will be at approximately 12:30 pm on Friday and 7:30 am on Saturday and Sunday. Open and Novice, all heights will walk the course together prior to their class being judged. Excellent Standard and JWW will be split into two groups as follows:

Group 1: 20

Group 2: 4/8/24/26

Group 3: 12

Group 4: 16

Excellent FAST: all heights will walk together.

The order will be walk run, walk run, etc.

Unless you have a conflict, i.e. showing in another ring or working, you **MUST** walk with your group.

No Set Ups Before the agility rings are staked. This should be around 11 am on Friday.

Parking All parking will be in approved areas. Vehicles parked in non-approved areas will be towed off the grounds at owner's expense. There will be no fee for day of show parking. Enter on Avenue of the Flag for indoor rings or **Armory Drive for outdoor rings.**

Food and beverages

A variety of vendors will have food for purchase.

This agility trial is held in conjunction with all breed conformation and is a gated event. You will need a ticket to enter.

Directions:

Traveling south on 101 take the Freitas Parkway exit. Traveling north on 101 take the San Pedro Road exit. Go east towards the Marin Center. The agility rings will be closer to the San Pedro Road exit.

The rings will be outdoors on grass and measure 100' x 100'. Bring shade.

All About the Height Cards

All dogs, regardless of jump height must either: present a height card at check, send a copy of their height card with entry to this show, or be measured. Dogs that do not have an AKC height card or who

have not provided a copy of their height card to the trial secretary must be measured **BEFORE** their first run of the weekend.

Cindy Macklin will measure dogs without height cards at approximately 1:00 pm

on Friday and for 10 minutes at the top of each hour on Saturday and Sunday unless she is course walking or competing. Measurement will take place near the score table.

Entry Information

The dog specific information was emailed to you at the time the entry was processed. This may have been several weeks ago. If you need to verify the classes entered email lorie@abbadogs.com

Lorie Abbott

Trial Secretary

925-294-8965

Class Order, Height Order, Which Judge When

Friday: 119 dogs and 228 runs

Debby Wheeler will judge Excellent Standard and JWW

Saturday: 241 dogs and 547 runs

Kitty Bradley will judge all Standard and Novice FAST

Debby Wheeler will judge all JWW, Excellent & Open FAST

Sunday: 233 dogs and 536 runs

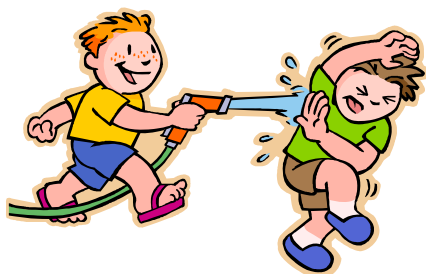
Kitty Bradley will judge all JWW, Excellent & Open FAST

Debby Wheeler will judge all Standard and Novice FAST

Veterinarian on Site

Randall Popkin DVM – Sequoia Vet

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It is expected that a large number of the “general public” will be present to watch the event, we therefore cannot supply a pool of water for the dogs as it does present a health concern with small children. Exhibitors will need to bring their own water for cooling their dogs.

Dogs will be judged from the lowest armband number in each class to the highest armband number in each class.

Class Order—Saturday

Standard Ring

Open, Excellent, Novice Std then Novice FAST

JWW Ring

Excellent, Open, Novice JWW then Excellent FAST, Open FAST

Class Order—Sunday

Standard Ring

Open, Excellent, Novice then Novice FAST

JWW Ring

Excellent FAST, Open FAST then JWW Excellent, Open, Novice

Height Order

Saturday—Excellent Standard and JWW

20, 26, 24, 4, 8, 12, 16

All other classes will run small to tall

Sunday—

Excellent Standard—16, 12, 4, 8, 24, 26, 20

Excellent JWW

20, 16, 12, 4, 8, 24, 26

All other classes will run tall to small

Friday Run Order, Walk Order, Work Order

Judging will rotate between the Standard and JWW rings by group. Find your group number, in the below chart.

Group 1: 20”

Group 2: 12”

Group 3: 16”

Group 4: 4/8/24/26”

Judging will be as follows:

Standard ring: Group 1 runs, group 2 works (Group 3 walks JWW)

JWW ring: Group 3 runs, group 4 work (Group 2 walks Standard)

Standard ring: Group 2 runs, group 3 works (Group 4 walks JWW)

JWW ring: Group 4 runs, group 1 works (Group 3 walks Standard)

Standard ring: Group 3 runs, group 4 works (Group 1 walks JWW)

JWW ring: Group 1 runs, group 2 works (Group 4 walks Standard)

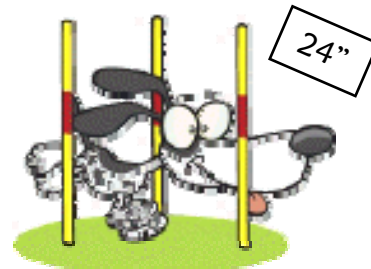
Standard ring: Group 4 runs, group 1 works (Group 2 walks JWW)

JWW ring: Group 2 runs, group 3 works

Volunteers

Sir Francis Drake KC would like to thank you in advance for volunteering to work at this year’s event. To show our appreciation, for each class worked, each volunteer will a \$2 voucher. The vouchers can be used towards entry fees at the 2010 SFDKC agility trials.

Dry erase boards will be located near each ring. If you see a blank space and have free time just write your name in the blank or volunteer with Julia O’Rourke and Jennie Cuccinello.



The 411 on Conflicts

We understand there are times when conflicts among rings arise. Every effort will be made to accommodate conflicts, however, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to check in, mark their dogs as a conflict if necessary and walk courses when assigned. We can reset bars for exhibitors "caught" in other rings BUT we cannot hold any course waiting for conflicts.

Exhibitors may NOT move their own dogs at the gate. Moves at the gate can only be made one of the following persons:

Any Judge of record for this weekend's event, the gate steward assigned to the class, Jennie Cuccinello or Julia O'Rourke or Pat White.

AKC Agility Trial Secretaries' Newsletter. May 21, 2009

First, the decision as to where a dog should be moved when a conflict is realized lies solely with the judge. The Gate Steward must be informed as to how to handle conflicts "per the judge's direction" and must query the judge when anything on the gate sheet needs attention *if previous guidance has not been given*.

While we have no set number of dogs stated in our regulations or guidelines for the separation of two (or more) dogs handled by the same person in the same class, we have historically used a minimum of ten (10) as a common figure. Circumstances may necessitate more (or less), but again, the judge must be made aware of any movement situations and he or she will decide what works best.

New Triple Q Title

Monday, July 13 the AKC Board of Directors approved new Agility Titles - Triple Q Excellent and Triple Q Excellent Preferred. The letters will be TQX or TQXP. It requires a Q in Excellent B STD, JWW & FAST all in one day. You need 10 of these to receive the Title. The title system start January 1, 2010 - but the triple Q's will be retroactive to the start of FAST. While the title will automatically be added to the dog's name if they already have it as of January 1st, it is unknown what the process will be for receiving certificates for that dogs that already have the title as of January 1. When a decision has been made it will be published on the AKC website.

BTW - AKC is starting an Exhibitor's newsletter - that will have info like what is above in it. You can subscribe at

Potty Areas

Do not allow your dog to potty on ANY manmade object. This includes trashcans, ring stakes, canopy legs, table legs, gate boards, planters, benches, chairs or any other manmade object.

Your dog may relieve himself on trees, grass, dirt and the like. Remember to pick up after you dog. Failure to follow these directions may result in a bench committee hearing.

Friday

Standard	8	12	16	20	24	26
Regular						
Excellent A	0	0	5	6	4	0
Excellent B	10	15	23	31	9	2

Friday

Standard	4	8	12	16	20
Preferred					
Excellent A	0	0	0	1	1
Excellent B	0	0	0	5	2

Friday

JWW	8	12	16	20	24	26
Regular						
Excellent A	0	0	2	5	3	0
Excellent B	10	16	23	33	8	2

Friday

JWW	4	8	12	16	20
Preferred					
Excellent A	0	0	1	0	1
Excellent B	0	0	0	6	3

Saturday						
Standard Regular	8	12	16	20	24	26
Novice A	7	0	1	4	2	0
Novice B	0	2	3	7	3	0
Open	1	6	2	5	5	0
Excellent A	1	2	4	10	9	0
Excellent B	11	23	28	43	10	3

Saturday					
Standard Preferred	4	8	12	16	20
Novice	2	5	1	4	3
Open	0	1	1	4	0
Excellent A	0	0	1	0	2
Excellent B	0	2	1	3	4

Saturday						
JWW Regular	8	12	16	20	24	26
Novice A	6	0	1	3	2	0
Novice B	1	2	0	5	2	0
Open	1	3	6	6	7	0
Excellent A	2	2	2	9	7	0
Excellent B	11	27	28	45	11	3

Saturday					
JWW Preferred	4	8	12	16	20
Novice	1	3	2	2	2
Open	0	2	2	4	3
Excellent A	0	2	3	0	2
Excellent B	0	2	0	5	4

Saturday						
FAST Regular	8	12	16	20	24	26
Novice A	3	0	1	4	1	0
Novice B	0	3	1	3	1	0
Open	0	3	5	7	0	0
Excellent A	2	3	4	7	0	0
Excellent B	1	3	7	7	4	0

Saturday					
FAST Preferred	4	8	12	16	20
Novice	2	3	1	2	2
Open	0	1	2	0	2
Excellent A	0	0	0	0	0
Excellent B	0	0	0	4	1



Sunday						
Standard Regular	8	12	16	20	24	26
Novice A	7	0	1	5	1	0
Novice B	1	2	3	8	3	0
Open	2	6	2	4	5	0
Excellent A	1	1	5	11	6	0
Excellent B	12	22	28	42	9	3

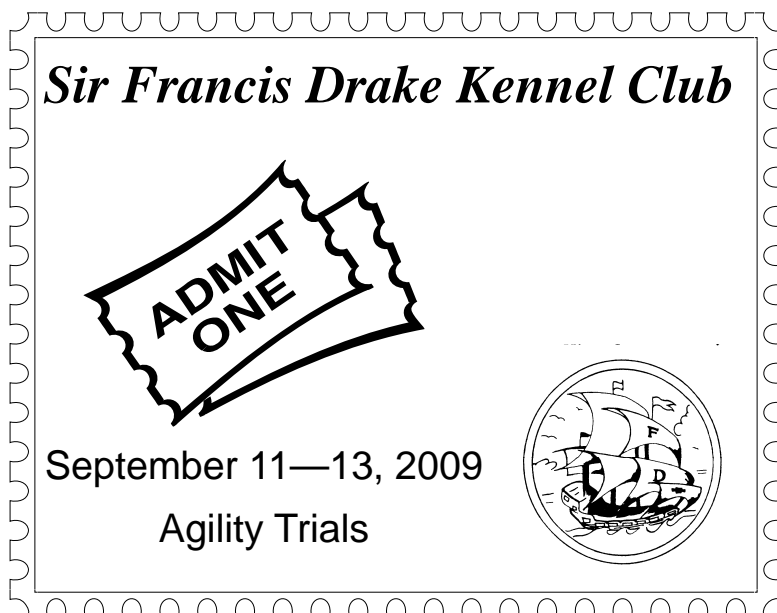
Sunday					
Standard Preferred	4	8	12	16	20
Novice	2	4	1	3	2
Open	0	1	0	4	0
Excellent A	0	0	0	1	2
Excellent B	0	4	1	3	3

Sunday						
JWW	8	12	16	20	24	26
Regular						
Novice A	6	0	1	4	1	0
Novice B	1	2	1	6	2	0
Open	3	3	6	5	6	0
Excellent A	2	2	2	10	6	0
Excellent B	12	25	28	45	10	3

Sunday					
JWW	4	8	12	16	20
Preferred					
Novice	1	3	1	2	2
Open	0	1	1	3	1
Excellent A	0	2	2	1	2
Excellent B	0	3	0	4	3

Sunday						
FAST	8	12	16	20	24	26
Regular						
Novice A	3	0	1	4	1	0
Novice B	0	3	1	3	1	0
Open	1	2	5	5	1	0
Excellent A	2	3	3	8	1	0
Excellent B	1	3	7	9	4	1

Sunday					
FAST	4	8	12	16	20
Preferred					
Novice	2	3	0	1	1
Open	0	1	2	0	2
Excellent A	0	0	0	0	0
Excellent B	0	0	0	4	1



Print and bring this ticket with you to the agility trial