

Thank you for entering our winter AKC Agility trials to be held at the Murieta Equine Complex on December 30-31, 2011 and January 1, 2012. This is a preliminary judging schedule which is contingent on move-up entries not yet received. Upon acceptance of your entry, you were emailed an entry confirmation. You were emailed another copy attached with this judging schedule. Please ensure you have read this confirmation carefully. No additions, deletions, or changes may be made after closing except for move ups. *Move ups for Friday, December 30, 2012 are accepted until noon on Monday, December 26, 2012 and must be in print (either letter or email)*. Move ups for Saturday and Sunday will be taken until 30 minutes after the end of judging. If you have anything to change, email kathie@touchngoagility.com.

#### NOTE: CHANGE IN JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS

Due to entry numbers, we have made the following changes to the originally published judging assignments:

On Saturday, Dec 30:	Mr. Darryl Warren will judge the Excellent FAST 4, 8 ,24, and 26" dogs. Ms. Victoria MacVicar will judge all other Excellent FAST dogs.
On Sunday, Dec 31:	Mr. Darryl Warren will judge the Time to Beat Class for the 4/8/12/16" dogs Ms. Victoria MacVicar will judge the Time to Beat Class for the 20/24/26" dogs
On Sunday, Jan 1:	Ms. Victoria MacVicar will judge the Time to Beat Class for the 4/8/12/16" dogs Mr. Darryl Warren will judge the Time to Beat Class for the 20/24/26" dogs

If you wish to withdraw your entry FOR THESE CLASSES only, due to the judging change, you must contact the Trial Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial that day.

#### 'B' MATCH - AT THE END OF JUDGING, FRI, DEC 30, 2011

Just a reminder that TRACS is holding a "B" agility match following the conclusion of judging on Friday. All proceeds after expenses go to support the AKC World Team. We will be taking Day of Match entries. Find our Match/Trial Secretary, Kathie Leggett if you want to enter. There will be entry forms available at the scoring office.

## **IMPORTANT COMPETITOR NOTE**

DO NOT, under any circumstances, allow or encourage your dog to relieve itself anywhere under, in or on the arena floor, structure, or anything manmade anywhere on the site.

Additionally, be sure to pick up after your dogs regardless of where or when they leave a mess. At recent shows, we have all picked up many, many piles of dog droppings. We don't KNOW that they are from agility competitors, but we will be blamed, regardless of who leaves them.

Disregard of this directive will be cause for a Bench Committee hearing.

It will not take much at all for us to lose this site.

#### DIRECTIONS:

<u>From Sacramento/Bay Area and other points west/south</u>: Take Hwy 50 east towards Lake Tahoe. Exit at Sunrise Blvd. Turn right off the exit ramp and proceed for 7.4 miles to Jackson Road (Rt 16). Turn left on Jackson Road and proceed 7.1 miles to Lone Pine Rd. Turn right on Lone Pine. Murieta Equine Complex is immediately on your right.

<u>From Reno</u>: Take Hwy 80 towards Sacramento. Exit at Sierra College Blvd. Turn south. Sierra College Blvd becomes Hazel Ave. Follow Hazel Ave to Hwy 50 west. Follow Hwy 50 to Sunrise Blvd exit. Turn left off exit ramp and follow directions above.

## NOTE:

THE SITE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR VENDOR AND COMPETITOR SET UP <u>AFTER</u> 3:00 pm ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER, 29, 2011.

Anyone setting up prior to that time will be asked to stop, move or be moved until we get the show set up or 3 pm, whichever is later.

<u>SET UP:</u> TRACS will be at Murieta setting the trial up at 1:00 pm on Thursday, Dec 29. If you'd like to get the prime crating spaces, contact our Trial Chair, Susan Cochran, and volunteer to be on the set up crew. Her email address is <u>greatdogsagility@gmail.com</u>

### EQUIPMENT NOTE: We will be using rubberized contacts/table and 24" weave poles at this trial.

<u>CRATING</u>: Crating is always tight at Murieta especially in the event of inclement weather. Please only stake out as much space as needed for your crates and ex-pens, and only in the marked off areas. There will be no crating in between rings or along the wall near the entrance to the rings. You are permitted to set up either in the designated areas of the arena floor or on the second floor overlooking the arena. We want you to have fun and be sociable, but we also want there to be sufficient crating space for everyone entered, especially those coming on the later days of the event. If you are setting up ex-pens, which is fine, please be prepared to be extra friendly with others. This issue will become especially important if we have inclement weather which may reduce the amount of crating space. The Trial Committee reserves the right to require people to reduce their crating area to the minimum needed for crates and ex-pens if conditions warrant.

<u>UNATTENDED DOGS</u>: In accordance with AKC rules, all dogs must be on leash and attached to a human being. Please do not tie your dog to the fences, leave them in chairs, or in an unattended down stay next to the ring. If you are early in the running order, you may bring a crate to the warm up area to stage your dog so you can be ready immediately following the walk though. However, you will have to remove it after your run.

**<u>RV PARKING</u>**: Is by advance reservation only and there are limited hook ups. Contact Murieta Equine Center at (916)985-7334. TRACS has no involvement with RV parking/camping. Except by prior arrangement, there is NO RV Parking in between the two arenas. If you have not secured an RV reservation in the RV parking area - please park your RV in the parking lot on the left as you drive into the complex.

DAY OF TRIAL PARKING: Murieta has closed off all competitor parking behind the arena (with exception of Trial Committee/Key workers). See the attached map for parking options.

<u>USE OF GENERATORS</u>: Unless necessary for the conduct of the trial, there may not be any generators running in the parking area between the two arenas during trial hours. Additionally, the trial committee reserves the right to require ANY generator be shut down if exhaust fumes are causing problems.

<u>FOOD</u>: There will be an on-site concessionaire selling breakfast and lunch items. Complimentary hospitality will be available to competitors until 10:00 am and hot water all day long. HOWEVER, if you were clever enough to volunteer and are assigned to work, you will receive a lunch ticket you can use at the concession. If you are scheduled to work after lunch, be sure to track down your Ring Crew Chief in the morning and ask for your tickets!

<u>WORKERS</u>: We are doing advanced worker scheduling. We will make every effort to email these schedules out before the event. Schedules will also be posted on white boards by each ring each morning. If you see an empty spot on the sign up board throughout the weekend feel free to jump in!!

**SCORING, QUESTIONS, POSTING:** Scores will be posted in binders outside the scoring office and near awards as soon as possible after each jump height is completed. Please check your results as soon as possible so we may resolve any questions you may have before the judge forgets what your run was like! While it's true the score table is busy, we are never too busy to help you.

If you have any questions about anything other than scoring, or have any feedback about ways we can improve our trial don't be shy about saying something (although I've never really known agility people to be shy about expressing their opinions). Track down our Trial Chair, Susan Cochran, our Trial Secretary, Kathie Leggett; or talk to anyone wearing a TRACS shirt/jacket.

<u>AWARDS</u>: We will have your awards ready as soon as we can, but please be patient. AKC requires judges to review all scribesheets prior to awards being available to competitors. In addition to rosettes for class placements and qualifying flats, there are special rosettes/pins for Double Qualifying rounds; for new titles; and for any MACH. <u>IF YOU MAY EARN A MACH AT THIS TRIAL, PLEASE LET OUR TRIAL SECRETARY KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!!</u>

<u>CHECK IN</u>: Armbands will be available at check in for all competitors who hold permanent height cards or whose dog is less than two years old that has a yellow temporary height card. If your dog needs a first or second measurement, you must still be measured before you can pick up your armband or before you run. Course Maps will be available at the check in table or the scoring office for pick up. Depending on the schedule, some Open and Novice maps may be held back in the office to ensure they are available for later classes. If you don't see your maps on the table, check in the office.

**OFFICIAL HEIGHT CARD MEASUREMENTS:** We will have at least one maybe two volunteer measuring officials on site to measure throughout the day. Official measuring will be done prior to the start of competition each day and whenever one of the VMOs has a break in judging as required. If you need a height measurement (and remember that dogs over two years of age without permanent height cards at this time now need at least two measurements), fill out your paperwork (available at the trial) and listen for announcements or watch for posted measuring times.

**RESTRICTIONS ON VENDING/SELLING STUFF:** In order to sell anything, anywhere on the trial grounds, you must pay Murieta a per day vendor fee plus carry a \$1,000,000 insurance policy (and have proof insurance with you on the grounds). All vendors must set up in the vendor area. With the exception of our photographers, there will be no vending from the arena floor. Please do not jeopardize our good relations with Murieta by not following these requirements. This is not a **TRACS** requirement, but one set by Murieta Equine Center.

#### TRIAL SCHEDULE - See following page

<u>CONFLICTS</u>: Conflicts will be handled as needed. If you even THINK you might have a conflict, notify your GATE STEWARD before your class begins or as soon as you know you have a problem. We will do everything we can do make sure you get your run, including resetting jump heights once after all dogs have run, so long as you have told us you have a problem. However, we will not hold a ring open once all dogs present at ringside have run; there are other classes to get going. In general, the smaller classes always take precedence over the bigger ones.

ONLY THE GATE STEWARD MAY CHANGE THE RUNNING ORDER. HANDLERS MAY NOT MOVE THEIR OWN DOGS. Handlers with multiple dogs will be separated by at least 10 dogs if at all possible, given the number of dogs in their jump height. If there are not 10 dogs between a handler's dog, it will be handled on a case by case basis. The first dog running will be moved UP in the running order to the maximum extent. Then, and only then, will the second dog be moved down until there are 10 dogs between them.

<u>MOVE UPS</u>: Pre-trial move ups will be accepted until noon on Mon, Dec 26, 2011. Moveups for subsequent days will be taken provided you have completed a move up form and given it to the Scoring Office no later than 30 minutes after the end of Friday's or Saturday's final class.

If you have any questions about in this letter, contact Kathie Leggett, trial secretary at Kathie@touchngoagility.com or call her at (916)719-0516.

# TRIAL SCHEDULE - UPDATED AS OF 12/16/11

Friday, Dec 30	7:45 8:00 8:15 8:30	Check In Opens General Walk throughs begin (or when judges approve the courses) Judges' Briefing/Timed Walk throughs begin Judging starts. Subsequent classes will start when rings are ready
Saturday, Dec 31	7:45 8:00 8:15 8:30	Check In Opens General Walk throughs begin (or when judges approve the courses) Judges' Briefing/Timed Walk throughs begin Judging starts. Subsequent classes will start when rings are ready
Sunday, Jan 1	7:45 8:00 8:15 8:30	Check In Opens General Walk throughs begin (or when judges approve the courses) Judges' Briefing/Timed Walk throughs begin Judging starts. Subsequent classes will start when rings are ready <u>CLASS ORDER</u>
Friday	-	lov FAST; Open FAST; Novice Std; Open Std; Excellent Std. Excellent FAST; Excellent JWW; Open JWW; Novice JWW
Saturday:		ime to Beat-20/24/26"; Excellent Standard; Open Standard; Novice Standard ime to Beat - 4/8/12/16"; Novice JWW; Open JWW; Excellent JWW
Sunday:	-	Time to Beat - 26/24/20"; Novice Standard; Open Standard; Excellent Standard; Time to Beat - 16/12/8/4"; Excellent JWW; Open JWW; Novice JWW

## WALKTHROUGH / JUMP HEIGHT ORDER

## Novice and Open - All Classes

Friday: Saturday and Sunday:	Tall to Small Small to Tall								
	Excellent								
Friday	Ring 1 - Excellent FAST: 12; 16; 20; Judge Chg: 24/26; 4/8 (Walk 4/8/12/16; Walk 20/24/26, then run as above)								
	Ring 1 - Standard: 16"; 20"; 24/26"; 4/8/12" (walk, run, walk, run) Ring 2 - JWW: 16"; 20"; 24/26"; 4/8/12" (walk, run, walk, run)								
Saturday	Ring 1 - Standard: 20"; 16"; 4/8/12"; 24/26" (walk-run; walk-run) Ring 2: JWW: 20"; 16"; 4/8/12"; 24/26" (walk-run; walk-run)								
Sunday	Ring 1 - Standard: 4/8/12"; 24/26"; 20"; 16" (walk-run; walk-run) Ring 2 - JWW: 4/8/12"; 24/26"; 20"; 16" (walk-run); walk-run)								
<u>Time 2 Beat</u>									
Saturday	Ring 1 - Ring 1 - T2B: 20/24/26" (all walk together then run) Ring 2: T2B: 4/8/12/16" (all walk together, then run)								
Sunday	Ring 1 - T2B: 26/24/20" (all walk together then run) Ring 2 - T2B: 16/12/8/4" (all walk together then run)								

#### ESTIMATED TIME SCHEDULE

This information is provided to our competitors for reference only. However, with the exception of the first class of the day, all start times are estimated. It is your responsibility to be at the ring when your class runs. The only reason AKC permits running out of order is a ring conflict or if you were volunteering in another ring and missed your walkthrough. These times reflect when the judging for each class begins, not when walkthroughs begin.

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2011

#### RING 1 - Darryl Warren

8:30 am Novice FAST
9:20 am Open FAST
10:30 am Novice Standard
12:00 pm Open Standard
1:20 pm Excellent Standard - 16"
2:20 pm Excellent Standard - 20"
3:30 pm Excellent Standard - 24/26"
4:20 pm Excellent Standard - 4/8/12"
5:40 pm "B" Match

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2011

RING 1 - Victoria MacVicar

8:30 am Time to Beat - 20/24/26"
9:50 am Excellent Standard - 20"
11:00 am Excellent Standard - 16"
12:00 pm Excellent Standard - 4/8/12"
1:20 pm Excellent Standard - 24/26"
2:30 pm Open Standard
3:50pm Novice Standard

#### RING 2 - Victoria MacVicar

8:30 am	Exc FAST 20, 16, 12" (Judged by V. MacVicar)
9:40 am	Exc FAST 24, 26, 4, 8" (Judged by D. Warren)
10:50 am	Excellent JWW - 16"
11:30 am	Excellent JWW - 20"
12:20 pm	Excellent JWW - 24/26"
1:00 pm	Excellent JWW - 4/8/12"
2;10 pm	Open JWW
3:10 pm	Novice JWW
5:40 pm	"B" Match

RING 2 - Darryl Warren

8:30 am	Time to Beat - 4/8/12/16"
9:40 am	Novice JWW
11:00 am	Open JWW
12:10 am	Excellent JWW - 20"
1:00 pm	Excellent JWW - 16"
1:50 pm	Excellent JWW - 4/8/12"
2:40 pm	Excellent JWW - 24/26"

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2012

RING 1 - Darryl Warren

8:30 am	Time to Beat - 26/24/20"
9:50 am	Novice Standard
11:00 am	Open Standard
12:10 pm	Excellent Standard - 4/8/12"
1:20 pm	Excellent Standard - 24/26"
2:20 pm	Excellent Standard - 20"
3:40 pm	Excellent Standard - 16"

RING 2 - Victoria MacVicar

8:30 am	Time to Beat - 16/12/8/4"
9:40 am	Excellent JWW - 4/8/12/16"
10:30 am	Excellent JWW - 24/26
11:10 am	Excellent JWW - 20"
12:10 pm	Excellent JWW - 24/26"
1:10 pm	Open JWW
2:00 pm	Novice JWW

ENTRANCE	Murieta Equince Store	Pawsassage Worker Hospi-	Awards <u>Check In</u> Trial Sec	Restrooms
CRATING	VENDORS	Raffle tality door	e.	Food Vendor
ENTRANCE AND AISLE				

This is a rough draft of what the trial area looks like. There is also crating upstairs above the office. You can enter on either side of the building to get into the arena and the upstairs.

Please do not park behind the arena. This is now a horse arena and you will get stuck if you drive through the back area. The Equine Center is only allowing our Key Workers to park in the back along the arena. There is plenty of parking to the right and left as you enter Murieta Equine Center.

There is plenty of crating in the areas shown on the map. Parking is very close if you prefer to work out of your car.

TRACS welcomes you and we hope that you have a great weekend.

STANDARD RING **Crating Area** Aisle to Rings Trailer Crating Area JWW Aisle to rings RING ENTRANCE - PLEASE NO CRATING

# TRIAL ENTRY STATISTICS

TOTAL DOGS IN ALL TRIAL DAYS = 338

# FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2011 - TOTAL RUNS: 653

STD	NOV										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
NOV A		1	1	2	3	1				Darryl C Warren	1
NOV B		1	3	3	10	4				Darryl C Warren	1
NOV P	1	1	1	3	3					Darryl C Warren	1
STD	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN		1	1	4	14	5				Darryl C Warren	1
OPEN P		2	1	4						Darryl C Warren	1
STD	EXC										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
EXC A		3	5	12	12	5				Darryl C Warren	1
EXC A P	1	1	1		6					Darryl C Warren	1
EXC B		9	23	26	32	27	4			Darryl C Warren	1
EXC B P	1	3	3	2	3					Darryl C Warren	1
JWW	NOV										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
NOV A		1	2	1	3	1				Victoria MacVicar	2
NOV B		1	3	2	13	3				Victoria MacVicar	2
NOV P	2		1	2	6					Victoria MacVicar	2
JWW	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN		3	2	4	12	4				Victoria MacVicar	2
OPEN P		3	1	3	1					Victoria MacVicar	2
JWW	EXC	_		-			_				-
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
EXC A		1	3	12	15	5				Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC A P	1	1		1	5					Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B		10	27	30	34	29	4			Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B P	1	3	6	2	4					Victoria MacVicar	2

FAST Division NOV A NOV B NOV P	NOV 4	8 1 1 1	12 2 2 1	<b>16</b> 1 6	20 2 8 4	<b>24</b> 5	26	14	18	<i>Judge</i> Darryl C Warren Darryl C Warren Darryl C Warren	<i>Ring</i> 1 1 1
FAST	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN		2	1	7	7	1				Darryl C Warren	1
OPEN P					1					Darryl C Warren	1
FAST	EXC										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
EXC A		2	2	7	15	3				Darryl C Warren,Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC A P			1	1	1					Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B		2	6	8	18	11	2			Darryl C Warren,Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B P	1	1	1							Darryl C Warren,Victoria MacVicar	2

# SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2011 - TOTAL RUNS: 660

STD	NOV										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
NOV A		2		2	3	1				Victoria MacVicar	2
NOV B			2	3	8	5				Victoria MacVicar	2
NOV P	1	1	1	3	4					Victoria MacVicar	2
STD	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN			1	8	16	4				Victoria MacVicar	2
OPEN P		2	1	2	1					Victoria MacVicar	2
STD	EXC										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
EXC A		4	7	12	9	8				Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC A P	1	1	1		6					Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B		9	25	32	34	23	6			Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B P	1	3	5	3	2					Victoria MacVicar	2
JWW	NOV										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
NOV A		2		2	3	1				Darryl C Warren	1
NOV B		1	2	3	12	4				Darryl C Warren	1
NOV P	2		1	5	6					Darryl C Warren	1
JWW	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN		2	2	5	11	6				Darryl C Warren	1
OPEN P		3	1	2	1					Darryl C Warren	1

JWW	EXC										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
EXC A		1	3	14	11	7				Darryl C Warren	1
EXC A P	1	1			5					Darryl C Warren	1
EXC B		11	30	37	38	24	6			Darryl C Warren	1
EXC B P	1	3	7	3	3					Darryl C Warren	1
T2B Division	T2B 4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
PREF		4	2	10	3	27	20	14	10	Darryl C	1 King
11121	I	4	2	I	0					Warren,Victoria MacVicar	
REG		6	11	25	38	19	3			Darryl C Warren,Victoria MacVicar	1

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2012 - TOTAL RUNS: 623

STD				NOV							
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
NOV A		1		1	3	1				Darryl C Warren	1
NOV B			4	3	7	5				Darryl C Warren	1
NOV P			1	4	3					Darryl C Warren	1
STD	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN		1	2	7	14	4				Darryl C Warren	1
OPEN P		2	1	3	1					Darryl C Warren	1

STD Division EXC A	EXC 4	<b>8</b> 6	12 4	16 9	20 7	<i>24</i> 10	26	14	18	<i>Judge</i> Darryl C Warren	Ring
EXC A P EXC B		1 9	1 24	32	, 5 32	28	6			Darryl C Warren	1
EXC B P	1	3	4	3	4		Ū			Darryl C Warren	1

JWW Division	NOV 4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
NOV A		1			3	1				Victoria MacVicar	2
NOV B		1	3	3	11	4				Victoria MacVicar	2
NOV P	1		1	4	3					Victoria MacVicar	2

JWW	OPN										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
OPEN		1	3	4	9	5				Victoria MacVicar	2
OPEN P		2	1	3	1					Victoria MacVicar	2

JWW	EXC										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
EXC A		2	4	10	12	8				Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC A P		1			4					Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B		11	26	37	34	30	6			Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC B P	1	3	7	3	5					Victoria MacVicar	2
EXC	1	17	37	50	55	38	6			TOTAL RUNS	204
T2B	T2B										
Division	4	8	12	16	20	24	26	14	18	Judge	Ring
PREF	1	3	2		2					Victoria MacVicar,Darryl C Warren	1
REG		3	10	21	34	18	3			Victoria MacVicar,Darryl C	1