



**Welcome to TRACS AKC Spring Agility Trial, May 27, 28, 29 & 30, 2005.
Dixon May Fairgrounds – Outdoors on grass
655 S. First Street, Dixon, CA 95620**

Thank you for entering our Spring Agility Trial. The rings (100' x 120') will be outside on grass with limited shade, so remember to bring your own shade. Move ups for Fri. will be accepted until noon on Monday, May 23rd. There will be NO CHANGES after that time. Move ups for Saturday, Sunday and Monday must be given to the Trial Secretary, at the show site, in writing within 30 minutes of the last dog completing the course. Exhibitors shall be provided with armband stickers with their dog's running order number for this trial. They will be available at the check in table each morning until the start of the first run. They must be worn to run your course. If your confirmation does not show that you have provided a copy of your dog's valid temporary or permanent height card, you must have your dog measured BEFORE your run, regardless of the jump height entered. This is required by AKC rules. If you have not sent in a copy of your dog's permanent height card, please do so as soon as possible.

We have 180 dogs entered on Friday, 325 dogs entered on Saturday, 317 dogs entered on Sunday and 272 dogs entered on Monday with a total of 2161 runs for the trial. Friday jump height order will run 20-24-8-12-16 for STD and 12-16-20-24-8 for JWW with first dog scheduled to be on the line at 1 pm. Saturday will run small to tall, Sunday will run tall to small and Monday will run small to tall with first dog scheduled to be on the line at 8:00 am in Ring 2, 8:30 am in Ring 1 and 9:00 am in Ring 3. Walk through will begin as soon as the Judge has approved the course and will be at approximately 12:00 pm on Friday and 7:30 am on Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Set Up Crew: If you wish to help with set up, please contact Kathie Leggett at kathie@touchngoagility.com before Wed, May 25th to be added to the Set Up Crew list and entry list.

Canopy Setup: Unless you have volunteered to assist in site set up, there will be no set ups permitted prior to 10:00 am Friday. Crates and canopies of non RVers may be setup between the RV's where there is space. This is particularly useful when the RV's are back to back and there is space for between the rigs. Note: Canopies may not be setup in "designated walkthrough areas". There will be some areas normally used for crating that may have other functions (catering, awards, etc) planned to be there.

Parking at the trial: With the exception of Trial Committee personnel, others by permit, and RVs with their associated tow vehicles, there will be NO competitor parking inside the inner fenced area of Dixon Fairgrounds. Only authorized and permitted vehicles will be allowed to move on the grounds during show hours. All other vehicles must be moved and may not return until the show is completed for the day. You will be able to drive in to unload, but then you will have to move your vehicle to the outer parking lots no later than 12:30 pm on Friday and 7:30 am the other days (this time may adjust earlier if necessary). There are two lots: the one you drive through when you turn off First Street into the Fairgrounds, and then one across First Street from the Main entrance. Neither lot is very far away. This step has been taken to reduce congestion, improve air flow and ensure emergency vehicles and other users of the Fairgrounds can have access when needed.

RV Parking: due to the anticipated large numbers of overnights at this event, overnight parking will only be permitted by advanced reservations and every overnigher will be given an assigned parking spot. See letter from your camp host at the end of this confirmation.

Please note: **TRACS has rented only a portion of the Fairgrounds.** Please respect the boundary, parking and RV/Camping signs.

Please clean up after your dog. Let's show them that "Dog People" are clean people. **DO NOT LEAVE ANIMALS UNATTENDED IN VEHICLES.** The club will not be responsible for damage to vehicles resulting from the rescue of overheated animals!

Exiting the Fairgrounds

As the Australian Shepherd Club is renting the north end of the Fairgrounds, you will have to exit through the same gate you entered; otherwise you will be disturbing their show.

Directions from I-80 west: take 113 South towards Dixon. Stay straight as the road curves left over 80, follow the signs to stay on 113-S. 113 becomes First Street. Follow First Street for a couple miles passing through downtown Dixon, the fairgrounds are three blocks past downtown on your left.

Directions I-80 east: take the Dixon Avenue / A Street exit and go right on A Street. Turn right on First Street. The fairgrounds are three blocks south on your left side. Go past the office and main entrance drive and turn left into the south end of the fairgrounds. The agility site will be clearly in view as you enter the fairgrounds.

WORKERS: Schedules for the day will be posted by each ring each morning. If you volunteered, you can check to see what job you have been assigned. We will make every attempt to email the schedule out prior to the trial. If you volunteered but we were unable to schedule you because of multiple dogs and classes, thank you anyways! Feel free to step in and help out if you see the chance! Every class you work in will earn you a ticket for our awesome Workers Raffle. If your Chief Ring Steward doesn't give you one, don't be shy—ask for it! In addition, all workers will receive one lunch ticket.

CHECK IN and WORKER SCHEDULE CHECK IN: 11:00 – 11:30 am on Friday and 7:00 -7:30 am the rest of the days. If you sent in a copy of a valid temporary or permanent height card, you can pickup your armband stickers at the check in table when you arrive. If not, you will receive them when you get measured. Course Maps will be available at ring side. Worker Schedules will be posted at ring side. Please check in with your Chief Ring Steward (CRS) 15 minutes before you are scheduled to work to assist with keeping the classes running smoothly.

MEASURING IN: If you did not submit a copy of your height card(s) with your entry, you must present one at check in or your dogs **MUST** be measured ****BEFORE**** running (including dogs running in the 24" class). You must be wearing your arm band to run in your classes.

CONFLICTS: As we are running multiple rings, 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. Gate Stewards will be instructed to move dogs as necessary to accommodate conflicts, however, in no instance will the order in which an individual's dogs are to run be changed. We will do everything we can do make sure you get your run, including resetting jump heights 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.

MOVE UPS: Day to Day move-ups will also be taken for Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Be sure to complete a Move-Up Form at the Award's table by 30 minutes after the last run of the day.

SCORES/AWARDS: We will get scores posted as soon as possible after the jump height is completed, however, **in accordance with AKC rules, the judges MUST review scribe sheets before placements may be posted or awards handed out.** We will do everything possible to have your awards ready as soon as possible after the judges' review. You can pick up your awards at the Awards table. In addition to rosettes for class placements and qualifying flats, there are rosettes for Double Qualifying rounds; for new titles; and for any MACH.

The on Call Vet and the nearest 24 Hour Emergency Veterinarian: UC Davis Veterinary Teaching Hospital; (530)752-1393; Maps will be available at the Trial Secretary's table.

FOOD: We will be offering a complimentary continental breakfast buffet for our competitors in the mornings. Additionally we will have Danny's Catering on the grounds, so be sure to stop over and try his great food. He will be onsite Sat, Sun and Mon, starting with wonderful breakfast burritos!

Other Users of the Fairgrounds: During the week Wed. Thurs. and Friday there is a school that uses one of the fairgrounds buildings. At recess the children play in the north area and sometimes wander the grounds.

Saturday, Sunday and Monday the Australian Shepherd Club will be having a show on Lawn 12 (small lawn on north end). They will be entering and exiting via the back gate. This area will not be available for our use beginning Thursday. It will be roped off so it will remain clean for the ASCA obedience rings.

On Saturday and Sunday nights there will be parties in the Madden and Denerton Halls. There will be people wandering the grounds. We will have security on site.

RING SCHEDULE

Friday, Ex B/A/P will all run together. Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Ex B will walk and run separately from Ex A and the Preferred classes will walk and run with their respective jump heights from the Regular classes;
(i.e. Ex B Preferred 4/8/12" dogs will walk with the Ex B 8/12/16" Regular dogs)

<u>Friday, May 27, 2005</u>		
Ring 1 – Mr. Farage	Ring 2 – Ms. Herring	
Ex A & A Pref Std	Ex B & B Pref JWW	
Ex B & B Pref Std	Ex A & A Pref JWW	
<u>Saturday, May 28, 2005</u>		
Ring 1 – Ms. Herring	Ring 2 – Mr. Selthofer	Ring 3 – Mr. Farage
Ex A & A Pref Std	Ex B & B Pref JWW	Open/Open Pref Std
Ex B & B Pref Std	Ex A & A Pref JWW	Nov A, B & Pref Std
ISC Std	Open/Open Pref JWW	Nov A, B & Pref JWW
<u>Sunday, May 29, 2005</u>		
Ring 1 – Mr. Selthofer	Ring 2 – Mr. Farage	Ring 3 – Ms. Herring
Ex A & A Pref Std	Ex B & B Pref JWW	Open/Open Pref Std
Ex B & B Pref Std	Ex A & A Pref JWW	Nov A, B & Pref JWW
Nov A, B & Pref Std	ISC JWW	Open & Open Pref JWW
<u>Monday, May 30, 2005</u>		
Ring 1 – Mr. Farage	Ring 2 – Ms. Herring	Ring 3— Mr. Selthofer
Ex A & A Pref Std	Ex B & B Pref JWW	Open/Open Pref Std
Ex B & B Pref Std	Ex A & A Pref JWW	Nov A, B & Pref Std
	Open/Open Pref JWW	Nov A, B & Pref JWW

Entry numbers as of closing:

Friday, May 27, 2005

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Standard	158						7						165
Novice A	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Novice B	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Open	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Ex A	33	0	5	6	15	7	3	0	0	1	1	1	36
Ex B	125	6	29	28	41	21	4	1	0	2	1	0	129

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
JWW	159						36						166
Novice A	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Novice B	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Open	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
Ex A	30	0	1	6	16	7	3	0	0	1	1	1	33
Ex B	129	7	33	27	43	19	4	0	0	3	1	0	133

Saturday, May 28, 2005

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Standard	273						34						307
Novice A	6	0	0	1	4	1							6
Novice B	30	1	5	4	17	3	13	0	1	2	6	4	43
Open	42	1	8	4	18	11	13	1	2	1	5	4	55
Ex A	56	2	8	9	27	10	3	0	3	0	0	0	59
Ex B	139	3	28	37	42	29	5	1	3	0	1	0	144

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
JWW	278						33						311
Novice A	6	0	0	2	3	1							6
Novice B	30	0	4	3	20	3	15	0	2	2	7	4	45
Open	41	2	9	5	15	10	9	0	2	1	3	3	50
Ex A	56	1	5	9	29	12	5	1	2	0	1	1	61
Ex B	145	5	34	36	43	27	4	0	3	0	1	0	149

	ISC			
	<i>Total</i>	14"	18"	26"
STD	39	12	12	15

Sunday, May 29, 2005

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Standard	271						27						298
Novice A	9	1	0	2	5	1							9
Novice B	33	1	6	4	16	6	11	0	1	2	6	2	44
Open	41	1	6	5	19	10	7	1	1	0	2	3	48
Ex A	52	1	8	9	24	10	3	0	3	0	0	0	55
Ex B	136	6	31	34	40	25	6	1	3	1	1	0	142

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
JWW	277						32						309
Novice A	10	1	0	4	4	1							10
Novice B	33	0	5	3	20	5	14	0	1	2	9	2	47
Open	43	2	7	6	17	11	7	0	2	0	3	2	50
Ex A	50	2	4	8	26	10	5	1	2	0	1	1	55
Ex B	141	6	35	33	43	24	6	1	3	1	1	0	147

	ISC			
	<i>Total</i>	14"	18"	26"
JWW	38	13	12	13

Monday, May 30, 2005

	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Standard	236						24						260
Novice A	6	1	0	1	3	1							6
Novice B	31	1	6	4	15	5	6	0	0	1	4	1	37
Open	39	0	6	5	19	9	10	0	2	0	4	4	49
Ex A	39	1	5	7	18	8	2	0	1	0	0	1	41
Ex B	121	4	25	30	37	25	6	1	3	1	1	0	127
	Regular						Preferred						Total
	<i>R. Total</i>	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	<i>P. Total</i>	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
JWW	234						25						259
Novice A	7	1	0	2	3	1							7
Novice B	31	0	4	4	17	6	9	0	1	1	5	2	40
Open	35	1	6	6	14	8	6	0	1	0	2	3	41
Ex A	37	2	3	6	19	7	3	0	1	0	1	1	40
Ex B	124	4	27	29	40	24	7	1	3	2	1	0	131

We look forward to seeing you at our Spring AKC Agility Trial. Have fun and may all your runs be clean.

Lisa Kretner
TRACS Trial Secretary.

Information for Overnighters at the TRACS AKC Memorial Day Show

General Information

My name is Pam Richards. I am your **Camp Host**. I want your stay here to be pleasant so let me know if you have any problems and I will try to help you. My cell phone number is 916-580-8186. I will post a Camp Host sign by my motor-home. If you can't reach me, Kathie Leggett will be available on cell phone 916-719-0516. A list of people with reservations is at the end of this email.

Check In

We will have a Welcome table at the entrance and will give you your site number and other papers. Then you will proceed to your section and hand the number to one of the many assistants we have to take you to your site and help you park.

The Tent and vehicle overnight campers not using utilities will have assigned sites. These are basically 15' by 30' each and are located on rough grass. We are concerned about providing proper fire and emergency access so there are roads into and around the tenting area. The showers and bathrooms are in reasonably close proximity.

Permits

You will be given a permit(s) that you must display in the window of your vehicle(s) during your stay. Each towed or towing vehicle will be given a permit.

Thursday Arrivals

There is one vehicle entrance to the Dixon Fairgrounds. We will have a **Welcome Table** inside the grounds at **2:00 pm** on Thursday May 26th. We will staff the table until **6:00pm** by which time we hope most of you will be in place. See the section titled Welcome Table NOT Staffed If you arrive later than 6pm.

On Thursday we have people that will escort you to your site and assist in parking if needed.

There is a parking lot between the public road and the entrance to the grassy area of the fairgrounds. This will be a staging area for you to park if we are backed up.

Friday Arrivals

Arrival times are: 10am – 12:30pm

Close of show (5pm?) – 8pm

We will have a Welcome Table inside the grounds on Friday May 27th. We have people that will escort you to your site and assist in parking if needed.

Saturday Arrivals

Call when you arrive at the show grounds and I will have someone meet you. If you can't reach me by phone and it is during show hours, park outside come in and find me.

Welcome Table NOT Staffed

I will leave an envelope with your name on it at the entrance to the fairgrounds. This will contain the following information:

Your Name

Your site number

Your parking permit(s)

A map of the area showing where your site is and where the Camp Host is located

Canopy Setup

No Canopies, crates etc. may be setup ringside before 10:00 am Friday.

Crates and canopies of non RVers may be setup between the RV's where there is space. This is particularly useful when the RV's are back to back and there is space for between the rigs. **Note:** Canopies may not be setup in "designated walkthrough areas".

Traffic Movement

Only authorized and permitted vehicles will be allowed to move on the grounds during show hours. All other vehicles must be moved and may not return until the show is completed for the day.

Friday 12:30 pm – close of show (5pm?)

Saturday 7:30 am – close of show

Sunday 7:30 am – close of show

Monday 7:30 am – close of show

Exiting the Fairgrounds

As the Australian Shepherd Club is renting the north end of the Fairgrounds, you will have to exit through the same gate you entered; otherwise you will be disturbing their show.

Showers

There are showers available. They will be marked on your map. I have been told that the showers occasionally run out of hot water. It would be best if you conserved hot water so there will be more to go around. Also, if possible you may want to shower throughout the day so that there isn't a line.

Parking Permits

You will receive your parking permit when you arrive. This must be displayed prominently in your window. Please do not cover this up. We will be checking vehicles to be certain that only authorized people are on site.

Other Users of the Fairgrounds

During the week Wed. Thurs. and Friday there is a school that uses one of the fairgrounds buildings. At recess the children play in the north area and sometimes wander the grounds.

Saturday and Sunday the Australian Shepherd Club will be having a show on Lawn 12 (small lawn on north end). They will be entering and exiting via the back gate. This area will not be available for our use beginning Thursday. It will be roped off so it will remain clean for the ASCA obedience rings.

On Saturday and Sunday nights there will be parties in the Madden and Denerton Halls. There will be people wandering the grounds. We will have security on site.

Being Good Neighbors

It is critical that we leave the grounds in as good a condition as when we found it. **Please pickup after your dog.**

Dogs may NOT pee on any man made items or obstacles such as, garbage cans, fences, light posts etc.

Have many clean runs,

Pam Richards

List of Reservations for Overnight Parking in Alphabetical Order

Lorie Abbott	Linda Grant	Joan Pope
Esther Abshier	Naomi Harada	Mary Powell
JC Amenda	Donna Haraway	Lisa Renville
Sally Armstrong-Barnhardt	Catherine Hardman	Pamela Richards
Derede Arthur	Crissy Hastings	Edwina Ryska
Barbara Avila	Heather Johnson	Rachel Sanders
Pam Baak	Sharon Kennedy	Sandy Schneider
Suzi Bluford	Cynthia Kennedy	Jack Sciaroni
Constance Bohnet	Linda Knowles	Zigi
Holly Bourne	Monika Knutson	Reg Shaffer
Eric Bruce	Lisa Kretner	Becky Stenberg
Liza Buckner	Penny Larson	Wendy Stont
Tim Buell	Gina Larson	Cindy Sturges
Caren Case	Lynne Leeper	Terri Swenson
Karen Cassidy	Kathie Leggett	Marjorie Trebino
Susan Cochran	Rene Luther	Laura Tsuk
David Connet	Gail Mahood	Pat Turpyn
Gayl Dalmau	Erika Maurer	Katie van de Sandt
Nancy Damarodas	Ann McQuillen	Friend of van de Sandt
Ashley Deacon	Karen Mulvihill	Mary Van Wormer
Patty Dudte	Kimberly Munoz	JoAnn Von Lohmann
Kathy Etchemendy	Ken Navarre	Wendy Wallace
Denise Evans	Bob Nerrie	Marcia Walsh
Dorothy Fujimara	Garril Page	Linda Wargo
Marti Fuquay	Lynda Piercy	Caroline Winata
Cherie Gessford	Marsha Pike	