

AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST
(Event #2024169301)

AFGHAN HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA

MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

Tuesday, October 15, 2024



Roberts Centre/Holiday Inn
123 Gano Rd., Wilmington, OH 45177

AFGHAN HOUNDS ONLY
INDOOR CLIMATE CONTROLLED RING
ON ARTIFICIAL TURF

100' x 100' Ring / Electronic Timer will be used

CLASSES OFFERED

STANDARD AGILITY CLASSES

REGULAR: Novice A & B, Open, Excellent, Master / PREFERRED: Novice, Open, Excellent, Master
JUMPERS WITH WEAVES

REGULAR: Novice A & B, Open, Excellent, Master / PREFERRED: Novice, Open, Excellent, Master
All Jump Heights offered in All classes.

NO PREMIER, FAST OR TIME 2 BEAT CLASSES OFFERED

ENTRIES

Entries Open 8:00 a.m. CDT, Wednesday, August 14, 2024, at the Trial Secretary's Office.
Entries Close 6:00 p.m. CDT, Wednesday, September 25, 2024, at the Trial Secretary's Office.

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee) **\$32.00**
Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) **\$26.00**

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES PAYABLE TO AHCA TO:

Lynda Hicks, Trial Secretary, P. O. Box 1159, Florence, TX 76527

OR ENTER ONLINE at: <https://enter.ahca.club/>

and make ONLINE PAYMENT: <https://pay.ahca.club/>

****SPECIAL EVENT****

Companion Events Show 'N Go

Monday October 14, 2024 - 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM EST

Show 'N Go Practice will be offered to all Companion Event entrants the evening before the Companion Events at the trial site. Short Agility, Obedience & Rally practice courses will be set up and allow 4-minute practice runs to all Companion Event entrants at \$5 per run.

A sign-up sheet will be available at ringside and permit multiple runs for entrants dependent upon availability.



Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina M DiNardo Executive Secretary

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Agility Trial Committee: all other AHCA members present

JUDGE – ALL CLASSES

Ms. Sherry Jefferson.....**Washington, PA**

PRIZES

The Afghan Hound Club of America, Inc., through the generosity of the members and friends, offers the Prizes. A complete listing of donors will be printed in the Catalog.

AWARDED FOR EACH CLASS, EACH JUMP HEIGHT – MUST qualify to place

FirstBlue Rosette; AHCA National Specialty 2" Medallion Suspended on Blue Ribbon;
6" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
Second.....Red Rosette; AHCA National Specialty 2" Medallion Suspended on Red Ribbon;
4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
ThirdYellow Rosette; AHCA National Specialty 2" Medallion Suspended on Yellow Ribbon;
4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
FourthWhite Rosette; AHCA National Specialty 2" Medallion Suspended on White Ribbon;
4" Acrylic Disc with Logo Motif
Qualifying ScoreGreen Ribbon

HIGH IN AGILITY TRIAL:Blue & Gold Rosette; 6" Garry Newton -Bronze;
Large Ginger Jar; Utility Wagon

NEW TITLE ROSETTES will be provided. **MACH/PAX/PACH BARS** will be awarded to all dogs that inform the trial secretary of the title possibility by closing.

****All prizes must be claimed the day of the trial. None will be mailed. ****

OBSTACLES

Obstacles will conform to the current requirements of the Agility Regulations. All jumps are displaceable. Weave Poles mandatory in all Standard and JWW Classes

MOVE UPS

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 in writing not later than Monday at 6:00 pm preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements. Also refer to Chapter 1, Section 22 regarding entry corrections.

ABOUT EMAILED MOVE UPS

When emailing a move-up, please provide the following information:

Trial Name (AHCA National Agility Trial)

Owner Name Dog Call Name

Dog AKC # Move up for October 15, 2024

Moving from (include STD or JWW), Moving to (include STD or JWW)

JUMP HEIGHT CARDS

Starting 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

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Owners are responsible for entering the proper height division. All height divisions will be offered in both the Standard and Jumpers with Weaves classes. Dogs in Preferred classes MUST jump their measured height and may not jump in a higher height or any qualifying scores or placements will be disallowed. Therefore, if you are unsure of your dog’s correct jump height, please enter the lower height and if necessary, your dog will be moved to their higher height.

Height at Withers	Regular Classes Jump Heights	Preferred Classes Jump Heights
11” or less	8”	4”
14” or less	12”	8”
18” or less	16”	12”
22” or less	20”	16”
Greater than 22”	24”	20”
24C -		Dogs may be entered at the 24” height at their owner’s discretion if their measurement is 22 inches and under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24” regular jump height division may not enter 24- choice.

VETERINARIAN:

Care Center Veterinarian-Two Offices (see below),

Call and Send Text to get Registration Form

<p>Cincinnati - 6995 E Kemper Rd, Cincinnati OH 45249 513-530-0911 Google Maps says 36 miles, 37 minutes. If you are going to this vet, text CINCINNATI to 34947</p>	<p>Dayton 6421 Clys Rd. Centerville OH 45459 937-428-0911 Google Maps says 21 miles, 31 minutes. If you are going to this vet, text DAYTON to 34947</p>
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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.

HOST HOTEL / TRIAL LOCATION

Holiday Inn-Roberts Conference Centre

123 Gano Road, Wilmington, Ohio 45177

Toll Free: 1-800-654-7036 / Phone (937)-283-3200 / Fax (937)655-8746

(Speak to the Hotel Desk, NOT Reservations Line, and inform the Hotel that you are with the AHCA)

DIRECTIONS

From Columbus, Ohio:

- Take I-71 South to Exit #50
- Turn right off the exit ramp and on to State Route 68
- Turn right at the first intersection and on to Gano Road
- Turn left into the third driveway to enter the front of the hotel

From Cincinnati, Ohio:

- Take I-71 North to Exit #50
- Turn left off the exit ramp and on to State Route 68
- Turn right at the first intersection and on to Gano Road
- Turn left into the third driveway to enter the front of the hotel

From Dayton, Ohio:

- Take State Route 35 East and follow the By-Pass around Xenia
- Continue State Route 35 East by following the signs to Washington Court House
- Take the Home Avenue/State Route 68 Exit
- Turn right off the exit ramp and on to State Route 68 South
- Continue State Route 68 South for about 10 miles
- Turn left onto Gano Road; the intersection just before you come to I-71

*******TRIAL REGULATIONS NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS*******

NO SMOKING ALLOWED INSIDE THE SHOW FACILITY.

TRIAL HOURS 7:00 a.m. to 30 minutes after last run; judging will commence no earlier than 8:00 a.m.

RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee. **A charge of \$35.00** will be made for each returned check

ERRORS ON ENTRIES-Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after trial has closed.

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.

TELEPHONE, EMAILED AND UNSIGNED ENTRIES cannot be accepted.

ENTRIES NOT ON OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORMS OR PHOTOCOPIES OF ENTRY FORMS without the Agreement and Rules are **NOT ACCEPTABLE.**

ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES will not be accepted.

NO ENTRY SHALL BE MADE AND NO ENTRY SHALL BE ACCEPTED, WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITIONS AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ENTRIES will be made as soon as the trial closes. Acknowledgment of entries and judging schedule may be emailed.

Entries accepted in order of receipt. Chapter 1; Section 16 Regulations prevent hand-delivery of entries within the first 24 hours of opening. All entries received before the Opening date and time will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the “No Signature Required” waiver signed. All entries with fees must be received by the Trial Secretary by September 25, 2024, 6:00 pm CDT, after which time no entry may be accepted, canceled, altered, or submitted 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.

REFUNDS: Refunds are allowed if requested before the closing date. Refunds after closing date for bitches in season only. All refunds must include owner's name and mailing address with request.

THE CURRENT PRESIDENT, National Specialty Show Chairperson, Co-Show Chairperson and members of the Bench Show Committee, and members of their household, shall not exhibit, nor cause to be exhibited, dogs they own, or co-own, in competitive classes at this National Specialty Show. The Agility/Obedience/Rally/Triathlon Trial Secretary and/or Chairperson may exhibit, or cause to be exhibited, dogs they own, or co-own, in competitive classes at this National Specialty Show and affiliated events.

THE AFGHAN HOUND CLUB OF AMERICA RESERVES THE RIGHT TO TAKE CORRECTIVE ACTION against any individual(s) who engage in inappropriate conduct prejudicial to the interest of the sport of purebred dogs, or the Club, as determined by Club officials, and/or the Event Committee. Individuals who engage in disruptive or aggressive conduct at any event during the National Specialty will be subject to corrective action, including discipline and/or expulsion from the event. Should the Event Committee determine that expulsion is the appropriate course of action, refunds will not be given.

ALL RIGHTS TO TELEVISION, VIDEO TAPE, ADVERTISE, PHOTOGRAPH, PROMOTE or otherwise exploit this event are vested in the Afghan Hound Club of America, Inc., or in persons to whom assignments of such rights have been made in writing by the Club. All persons and animals on the Show Grounds at any time while the show is in progress, do by attending this show or participating therein, grant to the Club the right to photograph, televise, video tape, or otherwise use their likeness and voice in any manner without further release or consent.

JUDGES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR DOGS. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

TRIAL COMMITTEE will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or misfortune to either dogs or exhibitors participating in this show.

DOGS PARTICIPATING- This trial is open to all Afghan Hounds over the age of 15 months that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/LIP). Dogs must be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf shall not be eligible. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Due to space limitations ONLY Dogs that are entered in the trial are permitted on show grounds.

BITCHES IN SEASON are not eligible to participate or be in the Agility Room before or during competition. Entry fees will be refunded. Notification for refund of entry fees for bitches in season must be provided to the Trial Secretary in writing at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the first class for the day.

FIX AND GO-ON (FNG) As outlined in AKC Agility Rules and Regulations, Chapter 5, Section 8, 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.

FOR EXHIBITION ONLY (FEO). In accordance with Agility Rules and Regulations, *Chapter 1, Section 21.* AHCA offers this option. A handler may choose to change any class entry into a For Exhibition Only (FEO) run. The handler must notify the scribe and the judge as they enter the ring prior to the start of the run that they are doing an FEO run. The scribe sheet shall be marked "FEO", no time "NT", and "E" for an excused, nonqualifying run. Maximum Courses Time for FEO shall be 45 seconds for all classes.

ENTERING A MIXTURE OF REGULAR AND PREFERRED CLASSES WITHIN THE SAME TRIAL –

Effective January 1, 2020, Exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes at the same trial. 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 in the same trial.

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

COURSE FAMILIARIZATION AND WARMUPS

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. A walk-through period will be held prior to each class, following the Judge's Briefing. The walkthrough is restricted to handlers entered in that class.

AKC no longer allows obstacle familiarization for Novice dogs.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for all exhibitors.

For single copies of the Regulations for Agility Trials, write to the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 or www.akc.org.

DETERMINATION OF AGILITY HIT

Determination will proceed from the most challenging upper-level classes to lower levels and from regular jump height to preferred jump height.

First order for determination:

1. Double qualifying scores in REGULAR Ex./Master classes
2. Double qualifying score in PREFERRED Ex./Masters classes
3. Qualifying score in REGULAR Ex./Master classes
4. Qualifying score in PREFERRED Ex./Masters classes

Second order for determination: If no qualifier exists in the REGULAR or PREFERRED Ex./Master classes, determination will proceed to the Open classes according to the same ranking above.

Third order for determination If no qualifier exists in REGULAR or PREFERRED Ex./Master or Open classes, determination will proceed to the Novice classes according to the same ranking above.

Tie Breaker If multiple qualifiers exist in a category above, scores will determine ranking in that category, followed by total seconds below SCT to break a tie.

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Please join us for a
****COMPLIMENTARY CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST****

Please plan to come and cheer on our talented Agility Hounds while enjoying a complimentary continental breakfast to be served ringside Tuesday morning.

We welcome exhibitors, event workers and guests to this exciting portion of the 2024 Afghan Hound National Specialty Show.

Hope to see you all there !!!

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**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM FOR
AGILITY TRIALS**

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OR enter online at <https://enter.ahca.club/>

AND MAKE ONLINE PAYMENT: <https://pay.ahca.club/>

I ENCLOSE \$ _____ for entry fees

IMPORTANT-Carefully read Instructions on Reverse Side Before Filling Out.

BREED: Afghan Hound		VARIETY	
SEX:		HEIGHT AT WITHERS	
CHOOSE EITHER REGULAR OR PREFERRED AND CHECK THE JUMP HEIGHT			
REGULAR CLASSES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		PREFERRED CLASSES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
8 12 16 20 24 24C		4 8 12 16 20	
CHECK CLASS SELECTIONS – ONE PER TYPE (STD, JWW)			
STANDARD AGILITY		JUMPERS WITH WEAVES	
<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-A	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-B	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN	<input type="checkbox"/> EX
<input type="checkbox"/> MASTER	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-A	<input type="checkbox"/> NOV-B	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN
<input type="checkbox"/> EX	<input type="checkbox"/> EX	<input type="checkbox"/> MASTER	<input type="checkbox"/> MASTER
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AKC NAME		CALL NAME OF DOG	
Enter Number Here		DATE OF BIRTH	
<input type="checkbox"/> AKC No		PLACE OF BIRTH (List country)	
<input type="checkbox"/> PAL NO.			
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO.			
Breeder:			
Sire			
Dam			
Actual Owner(s):			
Owner's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
HANDLER (Junior Handler see back)		If Junior Handler, please enter # below	

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

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

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, including death at any time resulting therefrom, 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, however such injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. **I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.**

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes must compete at the required jump height and may not compete in a jump height division higher or 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. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or *back-to-back trials* only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners 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. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner? _____

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 above. 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, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed above on this form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

Signature of Owner or his Agent duly authorized to make this entry:
Telephone:
Email Address:
<small>(An acknowledgement or receipt of entry may be sent to this email address)</small>

EXHIBITOR/OWNER MUST READ AND SIGN THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM