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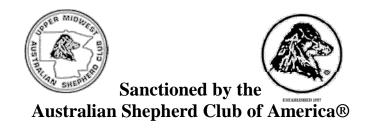
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NEW! ACE Program

- Any dog 18 months or older will jump one height lower than their Championship Program - Standard Division height if entered in the Ace Program - Standard Division
- Any dog 10 years or older can jump two heights lower than their Championship Program Standard Division height if entered in the ACE Program Senior Dog division.
- > The original program is now called the Championship Program.

Trial Chairperson	Trial Secretary
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January 24-25, 2015

JUDGE: Pamela Bryant-Meeks

On The Run Canine Center

13835 Aberdeen Street NE Ham Lake, MN 55304

Classes Offered Each Day:

Saturday: 2 Rounds of Gamblers, 2 Rounds of Regular, 1 Round of Jumpers Sunday: 2 Rounds of Jumpers, 1 Round of Gamblers, 2 Round of Regular

Championship Divisions offered:

Standard, Veteran, Junior Handler, and FEO

ACE Divisions offered:

Standard, Senior Dog

Entries limited to 350 runs per day - MOVE-UPS Accepted Entries open December 1, 2014 Pre-Entries close January 10, 2015

Day of Trial entries close 7:15am day of show. Any entry post-marked after January 10, 2015, will be considered a Day of Trial entry at the higher entry fee

Entry Information:

Eligibility:

ASCA agility trials are open to ALL breeds, including mixes. Your dog does NOT have to be registered with ASCA to enter ASCA agility trials. However, to earn titles, you must have a tracking number or an ASCA Australian Shepherd registration. A tracking number application is included in this premium.

Date of Trial (DOT) Entries:

Any entry postmarked after January 10, 2015, will be considered a DOT entry and be charged the higher class entry fee. We will accept these entries after January 10 until 7:15am on each trial day, up to 350 runs per day. DOT fees: \$17/class or a DOT Daily Package of \$70 for five classes/same day.

Levels:

Exhibitors may, at their discretion, enter at a level higher than they have titled. If they are registered to receive titles, higher level scores will be applied to unearned lower level titles. Once your dog Q's at a higher level they cannot return to the lower level.

Move-Ups:

Day-to-day move-ups will be accepted. Move-ups for Saturday must be received by Monday, January 19, 2015. Sunday move-ups must be received by the end of the trial on Saturday.

Equipment:

Slatted A-frame & dogwalk and slatless teeter (all with rubber granules) will be used. Jumps (including double), tunnels, weave poles (24-inch spacing) and displaceable tire may be used at the judge's discretion.

Prizes and Awards:

Qualifying and 1st through 4th place ribbons will be awarded in each class. Placements will be combined for 20+ and 24" dogs in all divisions.

HIT Rosettes Requirements:

Dogs must be entered in all runs both days to be eligible for HIT awards. HIT calculations are based on scores from Jumpers/Gamblers/Regular in the Championship Program. HIT Level determined as level the dog was entered in Regular class. HIT Aussie and HIT Other Breed will be based on the total Q points for that dog, regardless of level(s). HIT must have an ASCA registration / tracking number. Points for HIT are calculated as follows: Elite Q - 7 pts, Open Q - 6 pts, Novice Q - 5 pts. Each faulted Q run in Regular shall be given one-half the value of the equivalent level HITQ points. In the event of a tie, dog with the fastest combined YPS will be the winner.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- This trial will be held according to ASCA Agility regulations. Exhibitors, through submission of their entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of ASCA rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial. The ASCA Agility Rulebook is available for viewing or download at: www.asca.org.
- ASCA, UMASC and On The Run Canine Center will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor.
- All dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when using the warm up area or in the agility ring.
- Any ASCA members currently not in good standing with ASCA will not be allowed entry into the trial. No entry shall be accepted for a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs.
- 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 show site. In such a case, no refund of fees will be paid.
- No refunds will be granted after the closing date. Refunds, less a \$25
 administration fee, will be granted for bitches in season and injured dogs, if
 the request is accompanied by a veterinarian's letter and provided to the
 trial secretary no later than noon on Sunday.
- FEO (For Exhibition Only) We will accept FEO entries for the Championship Program. Dogs entering FEO must be a minimum of 15months of age. FEO entries may jump at a lower height, but are not eligible for any prizes or awards. Any dog under 18-months must jump at a lower height. This is a non-qualifying division.
- Dogs showing threatening behavior will be subject to either disqualification or excusal, per the ASCA Dog Bite Policy. All UMASC investigations and appropriate forms will be forwarded on to the ASCA Business office. Dogs excused or disqualified under said policy will be excused from the remainder of the event and asked to leave, without refunds of entry fees.

Please, please, please pick up after your dog at the show site and hotels.

MEASURING - Dogs with a wither height of 20" or less will need to show an ASCA, AKC, or NADAC height card or be measured at the trial, unless they are jumping in the highest jump height in that category/division.

Championship Program								
			Medium					
	Sma	ıll Dogs	Dogs	Larg	arge Dogs			
Standard Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 8"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 12"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 16"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 20" class Jump 20"	Withers over 20" are in the 20"+ class Jump 20" (may jump 24")			
Jr. Handler Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4" or 8"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 8" or 12"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 12" or 16"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 16" or 20" class Jump 16" or 20"	Withers over 20" are in the 16+" or 20"+ class Jump 16" or 20" (may jump 24")			
Veterans Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 8"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 12"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 16" class Jump 16"	Withers over 20" are in the 16"+ class Jump 16"			
ACE Program								
Standard Division	Withers 11" & under Jump 4"	Withers 14" & under (>11" & ≤14") Jump 8"	Withers 18" & under (>14" & ≤18") Jump 12"	Withers 20" & under (>18" & ≤20") are in the 16" class Jump 16"	Withers over 20" are in the 16"+ class Jump 16"			

DIRECTIONS:

From the North: I-35 south to CR-2 exit, Exit 131, toward US-8/Forest Lake. Turn Right onto W. Broadway Ave/CR-2 W and go 6.9 miles. Turn left onto Lexington Ave NE/CR-17/CR-18 and continue for 4.8 miles. Turn right onto Bunker Lake Blvd NE/CR-116 W for 3.5 miles. Turn right onto Aberdeen St NE for 1 block. Facility is on the right.

From the South: I-35W north. Merge onto US-10 W via Exit 30 toward Anoka for 2.8 miles. Exit on Hwy 65 (Central Ave) and turn Right traveling for 6.1 miles. Turn right at Bunker Lake Blvd. Turn left on Aberdeen St NE for 1 block. Facility is on the right

Accommodations:

(please confirm current dog policy when calling hotels)
AmericInn – 13440 Hwy 65 NE, Ham Lake MN (763) 755-2100
Super 8 – 9410 Baltimore Street NE, Blaine MN (763) 786-8888
Comfort Suites – 10580 Baltimore Street NE, Blaine MN (763) 792-0750

ASCA MEMBERSHIP AND TRACKING NUMBER FORM

Beginning 1/1/2003 for non-ASCA registered dogs — In order to have ASCA qualifying legs tracked and to receive ASCA titling certificates, each non-ASCA registered dog will be required to have an ASCA Tracking Number. This is a one time fee of \$10/dog. At the time of applying for the tracking number, the individual owner must also be an ASCA member (minimum membership type of Service is required). ASCA membership does not need to be maintained in subsequent years. It will be the responsibility of the owner to identify to ASCA the shows and legs earned when applying for a Tracking Number for those ASCA qualifying legs earned from 1/1/2003 until submission of application.

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Please type or print clearly. Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned.
Membership Application:
Owner's Name (1):
Owner's Name (2):
Owner's Address:
City, State, Postal Code:
Phone Number: E-mail:
Service Membership Fee: \$10.00 per person (if interested in other membership types, go to www.asca.org)
(We) agree to abide by the ASCA Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and all ASCA Rules and Regulations governing the ASCA Registry and all other ASCA programs.
Owner's Signature (1):
Owner's Signature (2):
Dog Information: Lifetime fee for tracking number is \$10.00 per dog for ASCA Members
Dog's Full Name:
Dog's Call Name:
Any/All Previous Registration Numbers Used:
Sex:Birthdate:
Breed:
Mail completed form with check or money order to:
ASCA Business Office – (979) 778-1082

6091 E. State Hwy 21, Bryan, TX 77808

UMASC greatly appreciates volunteers

Please remove this half of the page, fill out the form and send in with your entry.

Name:							
Email:							
Phone:							
I can do the following (mark	all that you like to do):						
Saturday:	Sunday:						
Scribe	Scribe	Scribe					
Time	Time	Time					
Gate Steward	Gate Ste	Gate Steward					
Leash Runner	Leash R	Leash Runner					
Bar Setter	Bar Sett	Bar Setter					
Course Builder	Course I	Course Builder					
Don't worry if you don't know	w how to do a job. We'll s	show you how!					
My Dog(s) are entered in (classes), at these heights (circle all that apply, use the actual height your dog will jump):							
Class:	Level:	Height:					

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Gamblers: Reg / Vet

Jumpers: Reg / Vet

Regular: Reg / Vet



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Australian Shepherd Club of America® Agility Entry Form

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8th Annual Freeze Pup

ASCA Agility Trial

No e-mail, fax or phone entries accepted. Make checks payable to **UMASC**.

Return completed form with fees to: Niki Manning, 705 8th Avenue South, South St. Paul, MN 55075 For questions email Niki or Jan at agility@uppermidwestasc.com

Registered Name of Dog:												
Call Name of Dog:						Breed:						
ASCA Registration/LEP/Tracking #					Date of Birth: Sex:						ex:	
Dog's Height (at withers):					Standard Jump Height: 8 12 16 20 20+ 24						20+ 24	
C					Class Jump Ht.: 4 8 12 16 16+ 20 20+ 24							
Program: (select one) Championship (CH) or ACE												
		Divis	sion			Level			Round Entered			
Class	Std	Vet	Sr Dog	JH	Nov	Open	Elite	S	Sat Sun		Sun	FEO
Jumpers								1		1	2	
Regular					АВ			1	2	1	2	
Gamblers								1	2	1		
ENTRY FEES (all programs/divisions)												
	Each class individually \$13.00 Blizzard Pkg (10 Runs) \$111.00											
	Sn	ow Flu	rries (5			ekend -					1	\$111.00 \$56.00
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Juniors	Snow F	lurries	Pkg (5	Run								\$27.00
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Owner's Name (Please print clearly):												
Street Address:												
City, State, Zip Code:												
Phone No.:												
Handler if other than owner:												
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Exhibitor/Owner must read and sign reverse side of this form. Parent or Guardian of Junior must sign as well. Entry form not valid without signature. DOT fees: \$17/class or a DOT Daily Pkg of \$70 for five classes/same day.

AGREEMENT

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

- 1.1 As used here, "ASCA" means the Australian Shepherd Club of America, Inc., affiliate clubs and each of their members, officers, directors, employees, show committees and agents.
- 1.2 Exhibitor/owner agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
- 1.3 Exhibitor/owner certifies that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.
- 1.4 Exhibitor/owner acknowledges all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack thereof, electrical appliances, fittings, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.
- 1.5 Exhibitor/owner release ASCA (including ASCA officers, directors, employees, and members), the Upper Midwest Australian Shepherd Club (including its officers, agents, and employees), and On The Run Canine Center, Ham Lake, MN (including its officers, agents and employees), and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Exhibitor/owner hereby assumes sole responsibility for and agrees to indemnify and save aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury, or death may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I have read, understood and acknowledge the above Agreement.

Signature of Owner/Exhibitor

Date

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian of Minor

Date

Telephone

Email