

Dog Owners Training Club of Lynchburg, VA

We are pleased that you will be participating in our June 26 – 27 - 28, 2009 AKC agility trials at Boonsboro Ruritan Club, 1499 Coffee Road, Lynchburg, VA 24503. Please review the information for your entry and contact me with any corrections as soon as possible. The current information reflects entry status on June 18th. Move-ups will be accepted until 6 pm on Monday, June 22nd. You may email the move-up information to jsmotrel@JetBroadBand.com.

VOLUNTEER WORKER LIST

Many of you have volunteered to help us. Thank you so much! The worker volunteer sheet will be emailed to you on Tuesday or Wednesday of next week after the final move-ups have been processed. It will also be posted on the DOTC web site at www.DOTCLynchburg.org. Let me know if you have any problems with your job assignment. As a volunteer worker, you will get a ticket to the BBQ buffet on Saturday or 5 DOTC dollars on Friday or Sunday, and also a worker raffle ticket for each hour that you work. See the **Ring Captains Jean Krason (STD) and Amy Stump (JWW)** to get your tickets. DOTC dollars can be used as cash at Louis Pirnik's food concession for breakfast or lunch OR can be saved and applied to entry fees at future agility trials!

If you are local or have a shorter drive home, please consider staying a while to help us move our equipment back into the storage building! The trial should conclude at around 2:30 - 3 pm on Sunday!

MEASURING & HEIGHT CARDS

Volunteer Measuring Officials Jim and Judy Smotrel can measure your dogs for an official height card. Measuring will be available from 11 - 11:45 on Friday and from 7:15-7:45 on Saturday and Sunday, and **additional times throughout the days** whenever they are not running their dogs. If you did not include a valid height card with your entry (see the check box with your data), you must either present your valid height card at check-in or your dog must be measured before its first run (even 24" dogs). See the trial secretary to pick up your armbands after measuring.

If you included a height card with your entry, your armbands for the weekend will be provided in envelopes by Handler name at the check-in table. Handlers may check in after 11 AM on Friday, 7:15 AM on Saturday or 7:15 AM on Sunday.

SATURDAY BBQ BUFFET

On Saturday, each ring will shut down for about 30-40 minutes for our free lunch buffet for all exhibitors and workers and prepaid guests. Lou Pirnik will provide pulled pork loin with various sauces, pasta salad, green salad, pound cake and ice cream! Ring 1 will break after Exc Std is completed. Ring 2 will break after Nov JWW. Lunch will be served from noon until 1:15 pm. Please go to the buffet line whenever you are free during this time. Your free Lunch Buffet tickets will also be enclosed in your armband envelope if you indicated that you wanted to join us! A limited number of non-exhibitor tickets will be available at the trial for \$8 each. Check the lunch list (attached and also on web site) to see if your name is included! **Please verify that I have recorded the right choice for you.** If you missed it, email me now! Just let me know what you want – no lunch, regular buffet or no-meat.

JUDGES	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Lavonda Herring	Exc Std and Exc JWW	Open & Nov FAST; All JWW	Exc FAST; All Standard
Terri Campbell	-----	Exc FAST; All Standard	Open & Nov FAST; All JWW

We will be running small dogs to big dogs all days. If you have a ring conflict, the STD ring will take precedence.

Estimated Schedule of Judging – Friday (Times are approximate and can vary from this schedule)

Ring 2	Exc JWW briefing, mini walk	11:45 am	Ring 1	Exc STD briefing, mini walk & run	Approx 2– 2:50
	Exc JWW Mini run	12 noon – 12:40		Exc STD maxi walk & run	2:50 – 3:45 pm
	Exc JWW Maxi walk/run	12:40 - 1:20			

We will be running small dogs to big dogs all days. If you have a ring conflict, your Standard run should take precedence. Within each class and height division, the running order will be: Excellent B, A, BP, AP; Open, Open Pref; Nov B, Nov A, Nov Pref.

Briefing and walkthroughs are held 15 minutes before the start of judging each morning.

Estimated Schedule of Judging – Saturday (Sunday is similar with fewer entries, shorter lunch and finishing around 2:30)

Ring 1			Ring 2	Open FAST briefing and walk	7:45 AM
	Exc FAST Briefing & Walk	8:00 AM		Open FAST Run	8:00 – 8:30
	Exc FAST run (all heights)	8:15 – 8:50		Nov FAST (briefing, walk and run)	8:50 – 9:40
	Exc Std Briefing/ Mini walk & run	9:10 – 11:00		Open JWW (briefing, walk and run)	10:00 – 10:45
	Exc Std (maxi dogs walk & run)	11:00 – 12:00		Nov JWW (briefing, walk and run)	11:00 – 12:00
	LUNCH	12:00 – 12:45		LUNCH	12:00 – 12:45
	Open Std (briefing, walk and run)	1:00 – 1:45		Exc JWW Briefing/ Mini Walk/Run	1:00 – 2:45
	Nov Std (briefing, walk and run)	2:00 – 3:15		EXC JWW MAXI Walk/Run	2:45 – 3:30

Times are approximate and can vary due to weather, absences and move-ups.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at ringside when it is their turn to run.

RVS AND CAMPERS

We have limited room for RV parking at this event on a pre-reserved basis only. A couple of spaces are still available. The \$10 per night camping fee is donated to Boonsboro Ruritan Club for improvements on their property. Tent camping is allowed on the grassy areas. Please do not drive vehicles on the ball fields! Parking is permitted in the front grassy field near the road, weather permitting.

SETUPS

Our rental of the property officially begins at 7 pm on Thursday. Exhibitors may setup shade tents ringside on Thursday evening after the ring gates are in place and the reserved areas have been marked with orange tape (perhaps by 8 pm). We will arrive with our agility equipment on Friday morning at approximately 7:30 AM. If you get there early, we would appreciate your help with bringing the equipment from the storage building and setting it up.

AIR CONDITIONED crating is available for all dogs (and people) inside the BRC building. It is a large open room with a concrete floor. Please cleanup your area when you leave.

VENDORS will be setup both inside the building and outside near the rings. Please support their booths!

Louis Pirnik will provide a food concession at this trial with breakfast and lunch foods. Your DOTC dollars will be accepted there!

Photographers: Ian and Karen Stewart (www.stewarteventimages.com) and Vicki King (WWW.CCR.photorefect.com)

Beverly Adams (Therapeutic Massage for dogs or people)

Jill Tanner - Italian charms

Christie's Canine Café – homemade dog treats, toys, leashes www.christiescaninecafe.com

Robin Belyea - Braided leashes <http://sites.google.com/site/peligriff/>

Jerry Anderson's Pet Boutique– McCartney dog caricatures on shirts, flags, hats, etc

Pat Martin – t shirts

GiGi Enterprises (Marcy Davis) - Rubber broom & hand brush, PVA mop, cleanup supplies www.gigienterprises.com

VET ON-CALL: After Hours Veterinary Service: (maps available from Trial Secretary) near Quality Inn and Ramada Inn

Animal Emergency and Critical Care, 3432 Odd Fellows Rd, Lynchburg VA 24501 exit 7 from Rt 29

Hours: Friday 6 pm - 8 AM; Saturday and Sunday 12 noon - 8 AM 434-846-1504

Boonsboro Animal Hospital, 6097 Boonsboro Road, Lynchburg VA 24503

Friday: 7:30 am - 6 pm; Saturday 8 am - 1 pm; 434-384-7799; Dr David Case, Dr Rhonda Faulks

MOTEL INFORMATION Please verify dog policy when making reservations

QUALITY INN Rt 29 at Exit 7- Oddfellows Rd (434) 847-9041 3125 Albert Lankford Dr, Lynchburg VA 24501
15 minutes from trial site. Price includes a complimentary hot breakfast. Next to Outback Steak House.

KIRKLEY HOTEL 2900 Candler's Mtn Rd, Lynchburg VA 24502 434-237-6333 full service hotel

Extended Stay America 1910 University Blvd, Lynchburg VA 24502 434-239-8863

Hampton Inn 5604 Seminole Ave, Lynchburg VA 24502 434-237-2704

Holiday Inn Express 5600 Seminole Ave, Lynchburg VA 24501 434-237-7771

Super 8 Motel 3736 Candler's Mtn Rd, Lynchburg VA 24502 434-846-1668

Campgrounds (none are very close to Lynchburg!)

Paradise Lake Campground (Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park) Rt 460 near Appomattox; 804-993-3332

Otter Creek Campground on Blue Ridge Parkway, 434-299-5941

Peaks of Otter Campground on Blue Ridge Parkway, Milepost 86, 540-586-4357

Holliday Lake State Park, near Appomattox, 1-800-933-PARK, www.dcr.state.va.us/parks/holiday.htm

Wildwood Campground, Monroe VA, 434-299-5228, www.wildwoodcampground.com

Directions To the Boonsboro Ruritan Club Building on Coffee Road:

See map at WWW.DOTCLynchburg.org

In general, follow the signs to Rt 501 North! Here are the details:

US 460 - From the West of Lynchburg: From 460, take the right-hand exit to 460 E Business (Timberlake Rd). Proceed for about 3 miles. At the junction of Rt 501, exit to the right and follow 501 North for about 2 miles to a traffic light at Rt 221. *Continue straight on Rt 501 N through the light at Rt 221. At the next light, turn left onto Rt 501 North, "NorthWest Expressway". At the next light at Boonsboro Rd, turn left (still 501 N) and go about 2 miles. Turn left onto Coffee Road (Rt 644) and go about 2 miles. The Boonsboro Ruritan Club Building is on your right.*

US 460 - From the East of Lynchburg: Exit Rt 460 at Candler's Mountain Rd (a right turn exit). Follow signs to Rt 501 North (River Ridge Mall will be on your left, and Days Inn will be on your right). Take the exit ramp to the right to Rt 501 North/Rt 29. Follow 501 N for about 3 miles to Lakeside Dr, Rt 221. *See italics above.*

US 29 – NEW DIRECTIONS due to new Bypass around Madison Heights!

As you approach Sweet Briar College, stay on Rt 29 Lynchburg/Danville. Do not take Business 29 to Madison Heights unless you want to go through all of that traffic! Don't take the Sweet Briar College exit. As you near Lynchburg, take exit to W 460/S 29 to Lynchburg. Rt 501 N soon joins 460 W. Exit Rt 460 at Candler's Mountain Road/Buena Vista and follow the directions from Rt 460 East above.

US 29 - From the South of Lynchburg: Follow Rt 29 North into the city limits (pass River Ridge mall entrance on your right). Take the exit ramp to the right to Rt 501 North and proceed for about 3 miles to Rt 221. *See italics above.*

Thanks, Trial Secretary Judy Smotrel (434) 384-3177 jsmotrel@jetbroadband.com

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All of these documents with important trial information can be printed from our web site.

