

PREMIUM LIST
AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS



Swamp Dog Agility Club of Greater New Orleans

Licensed by the American Kennel Club
January 22, 2021 – Event #2021662515
January 23, 2021 – Event #2021662516
January 24, 2021 – Event #2021662517

Hancock County Fairgrounds
 4184 Kiln Delisle Road, Kiln, Mississippi 39556

ENTRY LIMITS

Friday, Saturday and Sunday – 45 Total Exhibitors

Not to Exceed 330 Runs

Random Draw (Closes December 28, 2020 with the draw at 6:00 pm

At 20461 Smith Road, Covington, LA 70435)

Spots are Reserved for Workers according to Chapter 16
 Of the Regulations for Agility Trials

Entry Numbers subject to change due to

Covid-19 Regulations for Louisiana and Mississippi

No Outside Spectators due to Covid Restrictions

Trial Hours: 6:00 am to 30 minutes after last run

THIS TRIAL WILL BE HELD OUTDOOR UNDER COVER

Ring size: 100' X 100' Surface: Packed Dirt

Judge: Mary Mullen, 8417 Holly Ct., Evansville, IN 47710-4957

Judge #28605

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON December 14, 2020 at 8:00 am at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON January 14, 2021 at 6:00 pm after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted 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.



CERTIFICATION

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

James P. Crowley, Secretary

OFFICERS OF SWAMP DOG AGILITY CLUB

President.....Elizabeth Boone
 Vice President.....Rose Lehn
 Corresponding Secretary.....Rosalind Guillet, 133 Carroll St., Mandeville, LA 70448
 Recording Secretary.....Susan Talbot
 Treasurer.....Allison Baker

TRIAL COMMITTEE

Sharon McDonald, Dennis Lavoie, Dawn Lavoie, Julie Hill, Terri Taylor-Joseph, officers and board of directors of the club.

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Pauline Appleby 405 Magnolia Lane Mandeville, LA 70471 (85) 705-9532 pappleby@charter.net	Rosalind Guillet 20461 Smith Road Covington, LA 70435 (985) 201-4798 rozguillet@gmail.com

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

JUDGE	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Mary Mullen #28605 8417 Holly Ct. Evansville, IN 47710	All Classes	All Classes	All Classes

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Hancock Animal Clinic
 17064 Highway 603
 Kiln, MS 39556

Telephone: (228) 586-0062

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.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Emergency – Dial 911
 Waveland Police Chief (228) 467-3669
 Kiln Volunteer Fire Department (228) 586-5366
 American Medical Response (228) 467-9880
 Hancock Medical Center, 149 Drinkwater Blvd., Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

CLASSES OFFERED AND RUNNING ORDER

Friday	All Levels of Fast All Levels of Standard All Levels of JWW Premier Standard and Premier JWW Time 2 Beat Order for all above classes will be Time 2 Beat, Master/Excellent Fast, Open Fast, Novice Fast, Premier Standard, Master/Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard, Premier JWW, Excellent/Master JWW, Open JWW, and Novice JWW *Regular and Preferred classes will run concurrently.
Saturday	All Levels of Fast All Levels of Standard Premier Standard All Levels of JWW Time 2 Beat Order for all above classes will be Time 2 Beat, Excellent/Master Fast, Open Fast, Novice Fast, Premier Standard, Master/Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard, Master/Excellent JWW, Open JWW and Novice JWW *Regular and Preferred classes will run concurrently.
Sunday	All Levels of Standard All Levels of JWW Premier JWW Time 2 Beat Order for all above classes will be Time 2 Beat, Master/Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard, Premier JWW, Master/Excellent JWW, Open JWW, and Novice JWW *Regular and Preferred classes will run concurrently.

All Days - First briefing at 7:45 am Judging to begin at 8:00 am
Please note there will be one course for all levels of fast to allow one walk through
Jump Height Order – Small to Tall all weekend.

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

JUMP HEIGHT CARDS

Jump height cards are no longer required to be submitted with the entry form.

The entry form has been changed to indicate whether the dog has been issued a temporary or permanent height card, or needs to be measured. If the dog needs to be measured it is the handler's responsibility to ensure that the box on the entry form is checked, and that the dog is measured prior to running, either by the judge of record or by a VMO or AKC rep if present

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

WAITING LIST

There will be no waiting list for this trial.

DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), **an AKC Canine Partners listing number**, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under six months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

Swamp Dog will check with the AKC for "Dogs Ineligible to Compete in AKC Events" and entries will be declined according to that list as directed by the American Kennel Club.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place outdoors under cover on packed dirt. One ring measuring 100 x 100.

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... \$22
 Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) \$14
 Third entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) \$14
 Fourth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) \$14

If you would like to know the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard along with your entry. E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form.

VOLUNTEER WORKER FORM

Mail entry forms and fees to: Rosalind Guillet, Trial Secretary, 20461 Smith Road, Covington, LA 70435. Please make checks payable to **Swamp Dog Agility Club**. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Rosalind Guillet at rozguillet@gmail.com. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a **\$30.00** collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

- First Place*.....*Blue*
- Second Place*.....*Red*
- Third Place*.....*Yellow*
- Fourth Place*.....*White*
- Qualifying*
- Score*.....*Dark Green*

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH, PACH, PAX or Grand Champion rosette and MACH/PACH/PAX/Grand Champion bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH, PACH, PAX or Grand Champion title.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by contacting the American Kennel Club, 5580 Centerview Dr., Raleigh, NC 27606-3390, by phone (919) 233-9767, by email at info@akc.org, or on their website at www.akc.org.

Volunteer helpers will be needed for the smooth running of this trial. To volunteer to help, please fill out the form below and return with your entries. Volunteer workers will be gratefully acknowledged with lunch. We will contact you to confirm your work assignments as far in advance of the trial as possible.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/15go2ICB9RLxTjxT8Xj3RCEnxzLZnnDvZCcXqhP31Gpc/edit>

Name: _____

E-mail: _____ Cell: _____

I can help with the following jobs during the following classes/jump heights:

Jobs	FRI	SAT	SUN
Course Builder			
Gate Steward			
Scribe			
Timer			
Scribe Sheet Runner			
Leash Runner			
Bar Setter			

Classes	4-8-12-16	20-24-26
Nov Std		
Open Std		
M/E Std		
Nov Jww		
Open Jww		
M/E Jww		
Fast		
T2B		
Premier Standard		
Premier JWW		

Return Form with entries to:
 Rosalind Guillet
 20461 Smith Road
 Covington, LA 70435

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The **safety of the dog** is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

It is **expressly understood** that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance 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 case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Swamp Dog Agility Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. **Swamp Dog Agility Club** reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against **Swamp Dog Agility Club** or any official thereof.

All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

REFUNDS

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

Bitches in season are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. As such, the club will refund **entry fees less \$5 per day** of the entry fee paid for bitches unable to compete for this reason upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate. This certificate must be presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial.

RINGSIDE

Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if they have a valid height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class. **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.

CATALOGS

A limited number of catalogs will be available for sale at the trial site for a cost of **\$10**. Running order Will be sent prior to the trial and/or available on the club's website www.swampdogagility.com.

VENDORS

Vendors must be pre-approved. A vendor fee of \$25 per day will be charged. If you would like a vendor space, please contact Rosalind at (985) 201-4978 or rozquillet@gmail.com.

MOVE UPS

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, provided that request is made to the Trial Secretary in writing no later than the Monday before the trial. Move-ups over the weekend will be accommodated, provided the information is provided within 30 minutes after the last class of the day concludes.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

Crating space will be available. Crates may be left overnight; however, Swamp Dog Agility Club and the Hancock Country Arena will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

Food concession will not be available, but there are several local restaurants and fast food chains very close by. Lunches will be provided to workers.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Note: Since hotel policies are subject to change, please be sure to inquire about current rates and policies when making reservations.

Traveler's Choice Motel

I-10 @ Exit 13, 13031 Hwy 603, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520; (228) 466-5819 \$67 Pet fee
Waived for the agility trial . . . please ask for it 6.9 miles to show site

Econolodge Inn and Suites

441 Yacht Club Drive, Diamondhead, MS 39525; (228) 586-0210 \$79 per night \$15 pet fee
20 pound max size. Two dog limit. 9.9 miles to show site

Super 8 Bay St. Louis

1000 Hwy 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520; (228) 220-1273 \$62 per night, \$15 pet fee
13.7 miles to show site

Motel 6 Gulfport

9355 US Hwy 49, Gulfport, MS 39503 (228) 863-1890 \$55.99 per night no pet fee
20.5 miles to show site

LaQuinta Inn & Suites Biloxi

957 Cedar Lake Road, Biloxi, MS 39532 (228) 392-5978 \$95 per night, no pet fee
30 miles to show site

LaQuinta Inn

794 E. I-10 Service Road, Slidell, LA 70461 (985) 892-2681 \$79 per night no pet fee
28.5 miles to show site

Motel 6

136 Taos St., Slidell, LA 70458 (985) 641-0979 \$42 per night, no pet fee
28.2 miles to show site

Reminder – Hotel grounds are an extension of trial show grounds – exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs on hotel grounds. The actions of exhibitors who fail to clean up after their dogs can hinder the future of these facilities and are subject to disciplinary action by the Trial Committee.

RV Parking Available on Site

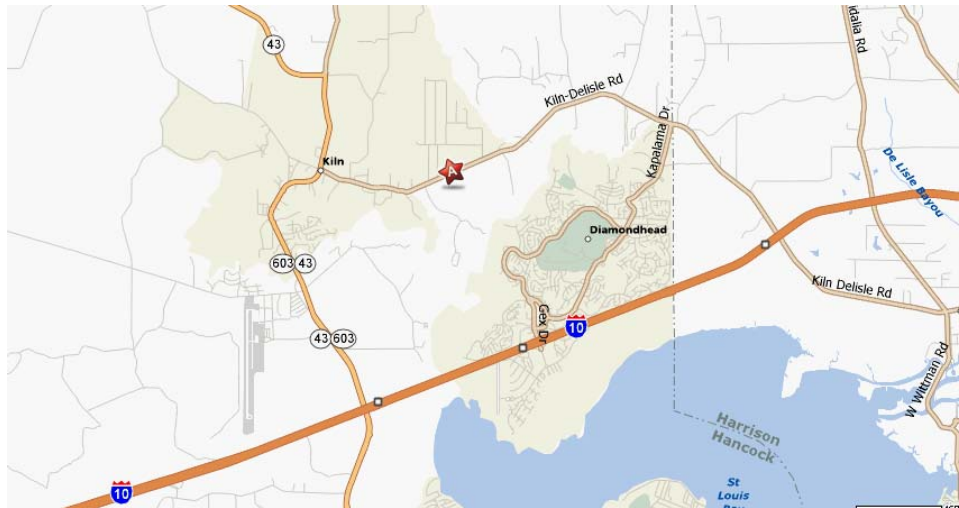
RV parking is available at the Hancock County Fairgrounds for a cost of \$15/night. Fee includes water and electrical hook-ups; there is no dump station. Restroom facilities, including a new shower facility, are available 24 hours/day. Campers must park in designated RV spaces. The first 5 RV sites will be posted as reserved for *trial committee members*. All other spaces are on first come first serve basis. Tent campers under arena welcome for \$5/night.

ALL RV spots MUST be reserved with SWAMP DOG AGILITY CLUB in advance so that the spaces can be unlocked.
Contact: Sharon McDonald, doxtrainer@yahoo.com Please send fees (payable to Swamp Dog Agility Club in with entry).



Directions to the Trial Site

From the west on Interstate 10 take Exit 13, Bay St. Louis/Kiln and head north on Highway 603 for 4.5 miles. Then turn right on Kiln Delisle Road for 2.2 miles and the Kiln arena will be on your left. From the east on Interstate 10 take Exit 20 and head north, De Lisle, for 2.3 miles and keep right at the fork on the road to Kiln Delisle Road for another 3.9 miles and Kiln arena will be on your right.



Traveling west on I-12 take exit 63B to Highway 190 West. Go 4.1 Miles and turn left on at 33rd Avenue. A coffee shop called Locals & Coffee is on the corner. Take a right at the first block and the arena is on the left.

USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY

It is the option of the club to allow day-to-day move-ups. Exhibitors should refer to a club's premium list to verify the club's policy for moving a dog up. If offered, 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 according to the club's published policy. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

Name of Club	Date
Breed	Sex
Dog's AKC Name	Dog's AKC #

Move Entry to:				Jump Height Division: (Circle One)				
Agility Class: (Circle One)								
Regular Standard	Open	Excellent	Masters	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"
Regular JWW	Open	Excellent	Masters	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"
Regular FAST	Open	Excellent	Masters	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"
Preferred Standard	Open	Excellent	Masters	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"
Preferred JWW	Open	Excellent	Masters	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"
Preferred FAST	Open	Excellent	Masters	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"

Owners Name: _____

Handlers Name: _____
 (If applicable)

Signature of owner or agent
 duly authorized to make this entry: _____

Signature of Trial Secretary
 If Approved: _____ **Date:** _____

Time Received: _____



**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB
AGILITY ENTRY FORM**

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Swamp Dog Agility Club of Greater New Orleans
Event#: # 2021662515, 2021662516 & 2021662517**

Opens: December 14, 2020 • Closes: January 14, 2021

Fri 01/22/2021	<input type="checkbox"/> Std	<input type="checkbox"/> Jww	<input type="checkbox"/> Fast	<input type="checkbox"/> T2B	<input type="checkbox"/> PrStand	<input type="checkbox"/> PrJWW
Sat 01/23/2021	<input type="checkbox"/> Std	<input type="checkbox"/> Jww	<input type="checkbox"/> Fast	<input type="checkbox"/> T2B	<input type="checkbox"/> PrStand	N/A
Sun 01/24/2021	<input type="checkbox"/> Std	<input type="checkbox"/> Jww	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> T2B	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> PrJWW

Make checks payable to: **SDAC Daily Entry Fee:** 1st run \$22; for each additional run add \$14.

Mail to: Rosalind Guillet, 20461 Smith Road, Covington, LA 70435

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

REGULAR Classes							PREFERRED Classes					
8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C"		4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
STD	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master	Premier	STD	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	PremierP
JWW	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master	Premier	JWW	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	PremierP
FAST	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master		FAST	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	
T2B	T2B						T2B	T2BP				

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes STD JWW

This Dog Needs To Be Measured <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	SEX	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
	VARIETY	CALL NAME

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

AKC® NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Enter Complete Registration # below	DATE OF BIRTH
ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/> PAL NO. <input type="checkbox"/>		PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)
FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY <input type="checkbox"/>		

SIRE

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ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS
 NEW ADDRESS
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER
JR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

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

AGREEMENT

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. 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 any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 person. 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 THIS 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 whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice. 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 PartnersSM 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?

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: _____ Phone #: _____

COVID-19 Precautions and Policies

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and even death.

According to the Centers of Disease Control and Prevention, senior citizens and those with pre-existing conditions are exceptionally vulnerable. By entering this trial, you voluntarily assume all risks related to COVID-19 exposure.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the following rules will be in effect during our trial from setup and through all trial days including tear down on Monday. While we strive to make this event as safe as possible, there may still be risk of infection/exposure that we are not aware of or cannot control. If you are concerned about possible exposure to the coronavirus or are unwilling to follow the stated rules, we ask you to not enter our trial.

Please do not put us in the difficult position of having to ask you to leave our trial for noncompliance with these policies.

Additional rules and regulations are based on recommendations from the CDC and the AKC.

Social Distancing - Participants should maintain a 6 ft social distancing at all times.

Masks – Masks must be worn over the nose and mouth at all times under the arena cover. Bring at least one mask with you for personal use. The only exception is while you are running your dog in the ring. You may place your mask in your pocket as you step to the line with your dog, then place it back once your run is complete, but before leaving the ring. It is the judge's discretion if she chooses to wear a mask. If exhibitors request to speak to her, they must wear a mask. Masks need not be worn when outside as long as 6 ft social distancing is maintained.

Illness – If you are ill or have been exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 14 days – PLEASE DO NOT COME! Should you or an immediate family member be diagnosed with COVID-19 after the closing date of our trial, your entry payment will be reimbursed minus a \$5 administration fee.

Exhibitors – We are limiting this trial to exhibitors only. The general public will not be allowed to watch, in an effort to limit the total number of people onsite.

Crating – Please allow 6 feet between crating areas. Be mindful of walkways and barriers and do not crate against areas that may have a flow of people e.g. near bathrooms or gates. For those with multiple crates, please consolidate your crating area to increase space between people.

Treat tables – Do not use trial tables or other surfaces as a treat table. By judiciously rationing the treats that you bring from your crating area you should not need to leave treats near the ring.

Ringside – To limit the number of people congregating near the rings, we ask that you not come to the ring area earlier than 4 dogs before your turn. Our goal is to only have the next dog on line and 3 more teams with 6 ft spacing ringside. Please wait at the practice areas until you are called.

Personal Hygiene – We encourage you to wash your hands frequently. We will attempt to provide hand sanitizer at multiple locations at the trial but cannot guarantee this. We strongly advise you bring your own sanitizer and disinfecting wipes for personal use.

Concessions – No refreshments of any kind - food or water - will be provided. There are several nearby stores that provide refreshments. Please bring your own food, water, cooler and ice. The kitchen will only be available to the trial secretary and judge. The refrigerator and sink will not be available for exhibitor use. Leashes - Consider using a lightweight leash that you can either put in your pocket or tie around your body.

Walkthroughs – We will limit the size of walkthroughs. This will be after entries close. Please pay attention to all updates announced at the trial.

Ribbons – There will be one designated worker handling ribbons and/or stickers. Please make one visit to this table to one after finishing all of your runs for the day. Be respectful of social distancing while at the table.

Trial Secretary - The trial secretary will be stationed in the kitchen. Please speak to her through the plexiglass window and do not enter the kitchen area. Maintain a 6 ft social distance around the computer monitor and do not monopolize the area.

MACH/PACH parties – There will be no MACH/PACH or other celebratory events and no central communal table or pens for MACH/PACH bars to be signed. Changes to rules – There may be changes to these rules prior to the start of the trial. Be sure to read all communications from the trial secretary before and during the trial. We realize these are changes to activities we have enjoyed for a long time. However, these are the compromises we must make, based on information from the CDC and the AKC. Be aware that infractions of these rules will be dealt with according to AKC regulations, up to and including dismissal from the trial and bench committee hearings.

Even with these additional requirements, we hope that you and your dog will revel in the return to agility. In the ring, it will just be you and your dog and enjoying the thrill our sport offers us. Although it is not as it used to be, we hope to have a safe and enjoyable trial.

COVID-19 Liability Waiver

The novel coronavirus which causes COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact via aerosol droplets. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal, state and local health agencies recommend social distancing and have limited the number of persons allowed to gather. The Swamp Dog Agility Club of Greater New Orleans (SDAC) has put preventative measures in place to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, SDAC cannot guarantee that exhibitors will not contract COVID-19. By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected with COVID-19 by attending this event and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected with COVID-19 at the SDAC agility trial may result from my own actions, omissions, or negligence or those of others, including, but not limited to, SDAC Club members, volunteers, contract workers, and program participants, their families and the Hancock County Arena. I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense of any kind that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance or participation in this SDAC event. On my behalf, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the SDAC and Hancock County Arena, its members, agents, and representatives, of and from claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any claims based on the actions, omission, or negligence of SDAC, Hancock County arena, its members, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any SDAC event. I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them, including but not limited to the SDAC Agility Trial – COVID-19 Rules.

Printed name _____

Signature _____

Date _____