

## AKC All Breed Agility Trials Premium

This event is accepting entries for Mixed Breed Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

This event is accepting FEO (For Exhibition Only) entries, see last page for details

### ENTRIES WILL BE CHOSEN BY RANDOM DRAW

Entries are limited to 330 runs each day

ENTRIES OPEN WED, JUNE 12, 2024 AT 8:00 a.m.

at the trial secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned.

Online entries are available at LabTestedOnline.com.

DRAW CLOSES WED, JUNE 26, 2024 AT 5:00 P.M.

DRAW LOCATION: 7837 Manning Ave. No, Stillwater, MN 55082

DRAW THURS, JUNE 27, 2024 AT 6:00 PM

FINAL CLOSING WED, JULY 17, 2024 AT 5:00 PM

## NORTH STAR HERDING GROUP CLUB

(LICENSED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB)



**Friday, August 2, 2024** – Event 2024581012  
STD/JWW (all levels), Premier Std & JWW, FAST (all levels)

**Saturday, August 3, 2024** – Event 2024581013  
STD/JWW (all levels), Premier Std, Time 2 Beat

**Sunday, August 4, 2024** – Event 2024581014  
STD/JWW (Ex/Mast only), Premier Std & JWW, Time 2 Beat

Cloud Nine Training Center  
11528 96<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.  
Maple Grove, MN 55369

Judge: **Debby Wheeler (#56662)**  
2400 W. Valley Pkwy Spc 95  
Escondido, CA 92029

Trial Secretary Services by: **Kris Osojnicki of Agility Scores LLC**  
[agilityscores@gmail.com](mailto:agilityscores@gmail.com) [www.agilityscores.com](http://www.agilityscores.com)



#### CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under AKC Rules and Regulations. Gina DiNardo, Secretary

## HOURS AND SITE INFORMATION

<b>Trial Hours:</b> 7:00am - 6:00pm daily	
<b>Judging Begins:</b> 8:00am each day	<b>Surface:</b> Indoors on Great Mats
<b>Crate Setup:</b> 7:00am Friday	<b>Ring Size:</b> 80' x 110'

## OFFICERS and other SHOW POSITIONS

### Officers of North Star Herding Group Club

President	Mary Murphy
Vice President	Janice Powers
Treasurer	Toni Osojnicki
Secretary	Patti Kleven, 8619 Jenner Land S., Cottage Grove, MN 55016

### Board Members

Barbara Peterson, Katie Johnson, Patrick Miller, Lisa Peterson

### Event Committee

Andrea Bixby, Matt Bixby, Nancy Gagliardi Little, Carolyn Hildebrandt,  
Terry Hildebrandt, Kris Osojnicki, Toni Osojnicki

TRIAL SECRETARY	TRIAL CHAIRPERSON
Kris Osojnicki	Toni Osojnicki
Agility Scores LLC	11201 – 121 <sup>st</sup> St. N.
<a href="mailto:agilityscores@gmail.com">agilityscores@gmail.com</a>	Stillwater, MN 55082
<a href="http://www.agilityscores.com">www.agilityscores.com</a>	Osojn001@umn.edu
612-716-4698	651-430-9004

## ORDER OF CLASSES

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Tall to Short	Short to Tall	Tall to Short
FAST (all levels)	Time 2 Beat	Time 2 Beat
Premier JWW	Excellent/Masters JWW	Excellent/Masters JWW
Excellent/Masters JWW	Premier Std	Premier JWW
Premier Std	Excellent/Masters Std	Excellent/Masters Std
Excellent/Masters Std	Open Std	Premier Std
Open Std	Novice Std	
Novice Std	Open JWW	
Open JWW	Novice JWW	
Novice JWW		

**MAILING / DELIVERY / ONLINE ENTRIES**

**PLEASE WRITE NSHGC ON ENVELOPE**

**Mail Entries To:**

Kris Osojnicky

7837 Manning Ave. No., Stillwater, MN 55082

**SPECIAL REMINDER ABOUT OVERNIGHTS:**

All overnight deliveries must be sent **NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED**

If Express Mail – Write in big letters **“NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED”**

*The post office will not attempt delivery of overnight that requires a signature*

Online Entries are being accepted for this trial at LabTestedOnline.com

Entries close on Wednesday, July 17, 2024 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.

All confirmations will be emailed. Please provide a legible email address on your entry.

**ENTRIES AND ENTRY FEES**

**Make all checks and money orders payable to: NSHGC or North Star Herding Group Club**

**\$19.00** for the first and second entry of each dog per day

**\$17.00** for each additional run per dog per day

*Includes a \$3.50 AKC recording for first run and \$3.00 for each additional run*

**\*\*BOUNCED CHECK FEES: A \$30 fee will be charged for all bounced checks. Repeat offenders will have to pay with a money order.**

Entry changes, additions, corrections or cancellations **MUST** be received in writing or by email prior to the final closing date.

**REFUNDS:** Refunds for females that come in season and injured dogs after closing date will be refunded (minus a \$10.00 administration fee per day) if a veterinarian certificate is presented to the trial secretary prior to the start of judging. A full refund will be reimbursed to any entrant whose entry is replaced by a Wait-Listed entry. Refunds will not be issued because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of management if it is impossible to open or complete the show. No refunds for overpayments of \$10 or less. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by vet or judge, or barred from competition by action of the trial committee.

**HOTEL / MOTEL INFORMATION**

All hotels / motels listed in this premium list as accepting dogs are considered to be part of the show / trial site. An event committee hearing will be held for individuals reported by any of the above hotels / motels for not respecting motel property. Do not leave your dogs unattended in hotel rooms. Do not let your dog(s) destroy or foul the rooms. No grooming or bathing dogs in rooms. Clean up after your dog outside too! Limit barking and other noise. Please respect others.

**Attention Exhibitors:** For your protection, thoroughly check your room for previous damage *before* moving in. Report any previous damage to hotel before occupying room. **(When making your reservations, confirm the current pet policy & pricing)**

**La Quinta Brooklyn Park**  
**7011 Northland Circle, Brooklyn Park, MN**  
**763-971-8000**

**Super 8 Brooklyn Center**  
**6445 James Circle, Brooklyn Center, MN**  
**763-566-9810**

**PRIZES**

**FIRST PLACE** ..... Blue Ribbon  
**SECOND PLACE** ..... Red Ribbon  
**THIRD PLACE** ..... Yellow Ribbon  
**FOURTH PLACE** ..... White Ribbon  
**QUALIFYING** ..... Dark Green Ribbon

MACH/PACH ROSETTES AND BARS provided

**HEIGHT DIVISIONS**

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 <b>ONLY</b>
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.

## ROUTES TO THE TRIAL

Cloud Nine Training & Event Center  
11528 96th Ave N  
Maple Grove, MN 55369  
952-939-9174

### From 610:

Take Zachary Lane and head south. Turn right onto 95th Ave N to 96th Ave N. Follow the road to the end of the buildings. Cloud Nine is the last building closest to 610.

Note: GPS often takes people to the Park and Ride lot when coming from the east side of town (169/610). To avoid that, once on Zachary Lane go west on 95th Ave. N (not 96th Ave N). Go west on 95th Ave. N to 96th Ave. N (just before the school bus company) and turn right. Follow the road as it turns east to the end of the row of buildings. Cloud Nine is in the last building at the end closest to Hwy 610.

## VOLUNTEERS

A great trial depends on great volunteers. Please consider volunteering.

35 worker spots are guaranteed entry into the trial. To be considered for a guaranteed spot you must email the volunteer coordinator, Andrea Bixby at [amcgath04@gmail.com](mailto:amcgath04@gmail.com) AND your entry must be received prior to the random draw.

This club will be using Google Docs for the worker sign-up sheet. The link to this worker schedule is:

<https://tinyurl.com/NSHGCAug2024>

And it is also available at [www.agilityscores.com](http://www.agilityscores.com):



## AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM

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

*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 a day-to-day move-up must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than 30 minutes past the last run the day preceding the event. 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.*

*Move-ups for the first trial day must be received in writing at 7837 Manning Ave. No., Stillwater, MN 55082 or by email to [agilityscores@gmail.com](mailto:agilityscores@gmail.com) by 6PM the Monday before the trial.*

North Star Herding Group Club

Aug. 2-4, 2024

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's AKC Name                      Call name                      Dog's AKC #

### Move Entry to:

#### Agility Class: (Circle One)

#### Jump Height Division: (Circle One)

Regular Standard	Nov B	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C
Regular JWW	Nov B	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C
Regular FAST	Nov B	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C
Preferred Standard	---	Open	Excellent	Master	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	---
Preferred JWW	---	Open	Excellent	Master	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	---
Preferred FAST	---	Open	Excellent	Master	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

## **EXHIBITOR INFORMATION**

**Obstacles:** Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility.

**Crating Space:** Limited with no ex-pens allowed. Crate in designated areas only.

**Warm-Ups:** The warm-up area contains a regulation agility jump and is available to all exhibitors.

**Dogs Eligible to Enter:** As it states in the Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 1, Section 3, 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) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Services (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate except bitches in heat, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. Dogs or registerable breeds with accepted foreign registration numbers are eligible to participate.

**Safety/Behavior:** The safety of the dogs 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. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. Exhibitors are responsible for ensuring that their dogs are in the proper physical and mental condition to run safely.

**Liability:** It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor, exhibitor's dogs and/or children that 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. The 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. The 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 the club or any official thereof.

**Shoes:** Please preserve the matting by wearing clean athletic shoes. No spiked shoes of any kind are allowed. No sticky spray on dogs paws. The mats have a lot of grip so turf shoes are not recommended.

**Food:** Food and drink will be available for workers/volunteers at this trial. There are several fast food and restaurant options available within a short drive.

**Leashes:** All dogs must be on leash at all times when on the trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course. While running, there are two options:  
Option 1: The Leash Runner will use a "grabber" to move your leash to the end of the course. Your leash will be placed in the bucket.  
Option 2: You can place your leash in your pocket, around your neck, or around your waist per AKC. If the dog grabs the leash while running, this will be scored as an "E".

**Ringside:** Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class. All dogs not needed for further judging may leave the trial. 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.

**Agility Gate App:** The Agility Gate App will be used at this trial for check-in. The app is available on iOS and Android. We will be using this app and it will be projected on a TV by the gate entrance. You will still be able to check in if you do not have your own device, but it is highly recommended to use your device to reduce crowding by the gate.

**Course Maps:** Course maps will be emailed to the exhibitors the morning of the trial, as well as posted on the [agilityscores.com](http://agilityscores.com) website.

## **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

**Blue Pearl Emergency Pet Hospital  
1615 Coon Rapids Blvd  
Coon Rapids, MN 55433  
(763) 754-9434**

Directions: (9.5 Miles, About 13 Mins)  
Head south towards 96th Ave N.  
Turn left onto 95<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.  
Turn left onto Zachary Lane  
At the Traffic Circle, take the 1st exit onto MN 610 E Ramp and go about 6.6 miles.  
Take the E River Rd exit.  
Turn left onto E River Rd and go about 1.7 miles.  
Turn right onto Coon Rapids Blvd.  
The Pet Hospital is on the right.

## **ONLINE ENTRIES**

This trial is accepting online entries through [LabTestedOnline.com](http://LabTestedOnline.com).



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM FOR AGILITY

North Star Herding Group Club

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

Table with 7 columns: Day, STD, JWW, FAST, T2B, Prem STD, Prem JWW. Rows for Fri, 8/2; Sat, 8/3; Sun, 8/4.

Make All Checks Payable to NSHGC

Entry Fees: \$19.00 for first class & 2ND class \$17.00 each additional class each day

Entries limited to 330 runs per day;

Opening Date is Wed. June 12, 2024 @ 8 AM.

Random Draw Close Date is Wed. June 26, 2024 @ 5 PM.

Closing date is Wed. July 17, 2024 @ 5 PM.

Mail entries to: Kris Osojnicki, 7837 Manning Ave. N. Stillwater, MN 55082

IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED \$

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height, and circle class selections /Only one selection per class (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)

Table with 2 columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Rows for Jump Ht, STD, JWW, FAST, T2B.

NON-REGULAR AGILITY CLASSES: INTERNATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES CLASS STD JWW

Form with fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME, AKC Registered Name, Enter Complete Registration # below, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH, Breeder, Sire, Dam, ACTUAL OWNERS, OWNERS ADDRESS, CITY, STATE & ZIP + 4, HANDLER.

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

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...

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...

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.

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 #: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Class Changes Effective January 1, 2020**

### **Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day**

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. 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 on the same trial day.

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

A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.

### **Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)**

- For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying. [Starting July 1, 2024, FEO is allowed in all classes](#)
- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).

### **Fix and Go On (FNG)**

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

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.