

P R E M I U M L I S T

Sanctioned

Teacup Dogs Agility Association Agility Trial



**Saturday, June 20, 2015**  
**Sunday, June 21, 2015**

PRESENTED BY



Location:  
 Melissa Wallace's House  
 2591 Garnet Drive North Pole, AK

**Saturday:** 3 Standard Classes and 2 Games: *Salmon Run, Strategic Pairs*

**Sunday:** 3 Standard Classes and 2 Games: *Wild West Pinball, Copycat*

*Possible Add-On Game Each Day: Black Hole Saturday, Minuet Sunday*

This trial will be held outdoors on grass and dirt

**Judge: Ashley Ragland**

Unlimited Entries – FEO (For Exhibition Only) entries accepted

Pre-entries must be postmarked/mailed by Friday, June 12, 2015

Day of trial move ups allowed

Pre-entry move up deadline June 15, 2015 by email.

**Certification**

*Permission has been granted by the Teacup Dogs Agility Association for the holding of this event under Teacup Dog Agility Association Rules and Regulations.*

**PAWS-AK Trial Committee**

<b>Trial Chair</b>	<b>Trial Secretary</b>
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**Scheduled Order of Classes & Running Order (*subject to change*)**

Saturday, June 20, 2015 <i>Small to Tall</i>	Sunday, June 21, 2015 <i>Tall to Small</i>
Salmon Run ( <i>all levels</i> ) Standard Round 1 ( <i>Sup to Beg</i> ) Standard Round 2 ( <i>Beg to Sup</i> ) Strategic Pairs ( <i>all levels</i> ) Standard Round 3 ( <i>Sup to Beg</i> ) Possible Add-On: <i>Black Hole</i>	Standard Round 4 ( <i>Beg to Sup</i> ) Copy Cat ( <i>all levels</i> ) Standard Round 5 ( <i>Beg to Sup</i> ) Standard Round 6 ( <i>Sup to Beg</i> ) Wild West Pinball ( <i>all levels</i> ) Possible Add-On: <i>Minuet</i>

## TRIAL INFORMATION

This trial will be held outdoors on grass and dirt with containment fencing. Site will be **open at 7:45** for set up. Measurements start at 8:00. Obstacle familiarization: 8:30. General and Game Briefing: 8:45. **First dog on the line at 9:00.**

The following is a list of obstacles to be used. Contacts have rubber coating.

*A-frame (6' 8" slatless), Closed (Collapsed), Tunnel (6 foot fabric), Tire Jump (16"), Dog walk (8' slatless ramps), Table (36" by 36")  
Open (Pipe) Tunnel (16"), Single & winged jumps (30" bar), Teeter (8' slatless, 12" wide), Weave poles (24" centers)*

A warm up area with jump provided for all exhibitors. Obstacle familiarization available in the morning prior to judging.

**Awards:** Ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> in each jump height of each class. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a Qualifying score. Dogs may receive placement ribbons without qualifying. Fast track dogs will only get Qualifying ribbons at the Beginners/Games I and Intermediate/Games II levels. New Title Rosettes awarded.

**PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE AND HOTELS**  
**All dogs must be kept on leash except in designated areas**

**Eligibility:** This trial is open to all dogs 20" and under and 12 months and older, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance.

**Your dog must be registered with TDAA to participate in TDAA Trials.** There is a registration form included in this premium, or you can register at the trial or online. Registration fee of \$12 is in addition to trial fees. TDAA rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at [www.k9tdaa.com](http://www.k9tdaa.com).

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Pre-entries must be post-marked/emailed by Friday, June 12, 2015  
Day of Trial Entries will be accepted throughout the day for an additional fee.

**PRE-ENTRY FEES:**

Each run ..... \$11.00  
Junior Handler per run ..... \$8.00  
Day package ..... \$50.00  
Weekend package ..... \$90.00  
Fast Track fee ..... \$8.00

**DAY OF TRIAL ENTRY FEES:**

Emailed and paid from 13-18 June Fee.....\$2  
Day-of Fee.....\$5  
Each run .....\$11  
FEO runs .....\$5 ea  
Add-On Games if played (no add'l fee).....\$8 ea

Dog Registration if needed..... \$12 ea

NEW ONLINE & Credit Card Entries.

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## GAMES DESCRIPTIONS

**Salmon Run**

Salmon Run is a game of strategy and daring. The objective is to get from the ocean to the spawning area while performing as many obstacles as possible on the way without ever stopping, going back to correct a missed obstacle, or without allowing the dog to ever cross over his own path. One point is earned for each obstacle performed. Scored Points Then Time.

**Strategic Pairs**

Strategic Pairs is a unique relay in which handlers on the team choose where on course to swap the active dog, and how often! The strategy is to slice and dice the course in the most economical manner. The plan of the team is only upset by any faulted obstacle, requiring the other dog to resume the course at the point of the fault. Scored Time only.

**Copy Cat**

Copycat is a dog's-choice game. The handler's job is to avoid taking two obstacles back to back of the same point value. If this happens, you incur a "copycatting" fault. Scored Points, Then Time.

**Wild West Pinball**

The purpose of the Wild West Pinball is to accumulate as many points as possible in the time allotted: 50 seconds. All dogs start at Slingshot Tunnel. Scored Points Less Faults, Then Time.

**Black Hole**

Black Hole is a numbered course requiring the handler to simply avoid any tunnels (Black Holes) with his dog. A dog that goes into a Black Hole is subject to a significant penalty. Scored Time, Plus Faults.

## Minuet

Minuet is a simple sequence that is run over and over again as a continuous loop until the expiration of time. The dog will earn one point for each time the sequence completed. The game requires the handler to reset any bar dropped by the dog and to restart the sequence on any wrong course fault. Scored Points, Then Time.

Additional information on the games can be found in:

### The Book of Agility Games

*3<sup>rd</sup> Edition by Bud Huston*

#### CLASS INFORMATION

##### **Standard Agility Class**

- Beginner** All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.  
**Intermediate** Only dogs that have earned the Teacup Beginner Agile Dog (TBAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class.  
**Superior** Only dogs that have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agile Dog (TIAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

##### **Games Classes**

- Games I** All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.  
**Games II** Only dogs that have earned the Games I (TG1) shall be eligible for participation in this class.  
**Games III** Only dogs that have earned the Games II (TG2) or Games III (TG3) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

##### **FEO (FOR EXHIBITION ONLY) – Games & Standard Classes**

TDAA offers FEO runs, open to any TDAA registered dog in any class. These are offered at the option of the local/host club. FEO dogs will run last at their jump heights. They may run on lead. FEO runs do not count toward TDAA titles. No treats or food allowed. FEO will have a maximum time of 1.5 of the SCT. FEO cannot repeat any obstacles, no training in the ring.

**Fast Track Move-Ups:** Titles may be grandfathered from other organizations on a "Fast Track" basis. A dog with a higher title from another organization may move up on the same day to the next level of TDAA competition with a qualifying score. It is possible to move up from Beginner to Superior on the same day if the dog qualifies first in Beginner and again in Intermediate. Likewise, a dog may move up from Games I to Games III by qualifying at each of the lower two levels. A qualifying score in the lower class is required to move up to the next higher class. The dog's owner must submit a copy of title certificates for the dog. **Please mark each that apply and submit \$8.00 with this FAST TRACK Move-Up Request form. Payment of the \$8.00 is not a guarantee that your dog will qualify at the lower level and is non-refundable. This fee must be paid for this trial even if a Fast Track fee has been paid in the past.**

#### HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Judges reserve the right to measure dogs entered in any trial. **New for 2015:** Each handler may select the jump height they wish their dog to jump. All jump height exemptions are now removed. Dogs will continue to be scored with dogs at their measured height. At the handler's option, dogs may be entered in a higher height division but will be scored in that higher height division. A judge must measure provisional dogs.

##### **Other New rules effective January 1, 2015:**

- Removal of four-paw safety rule – a Beginner dog will no longer be required to move on after committing four paws to an obstacle and leaving. Beginner dogs will have three chances to perform a contact obstacle, and will not be faulted until a third on-and-off refusal.
- Veteran Dogs (7 yrs and older) receive an extension of standard course time based on measured height.
  - Measured height of 2" & 4" dogs receive an additional 4 seconds
  - Measured heights of 8", 12" & 16" dogs receive an additional 2 seconds
- Disabled Handlers receive an extension of 4 seconds to standard course times and qualifying course times for games. The proof of the disability shall be the handler's disability parking tag or other documentation.
- There will be no special system of titling for disabled handlers or veteran dogs.

Please consult your jump height card/email to confirm the correct measured height to enter. If you do not have a TDAA height card/email, your dog must be measured at this trial.

### **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

- \* 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.
- \* All dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when in the ring or when in the warm-up area. It is expressly understood the exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. 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 trial site. \* In such case, no refund of any fees will be made.
- \* Food and toys are not permitted in the course area, and handlers are not allowed to use whistles or other instruments or devices.
- \* Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run.
- \* Exhibitors may wear shirts or insignia of their training group if they wish.
- \* At the handler's option, the dog may wear a flat (buckle or quick release) collar with or without tags or wear adornments, clothing, ties or other attachments. Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited.
- \* Unsportsmanlike conduct, including rough handling or misconduct of any kind, will result in an excusal from the ring. Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at [www.k9tdaa.com](http://www.k9tdaa.com)
- \* Entries will not be accepted without fees. No entries will be accepted which require a signature for delivery. All entries must be submitted on official TDAA Agility Entry Forms, one dog per entry form.
- \* **Photocopied entries without the TDAA agreement are NOT acceptable.** Unsigned, incomplete or illegible entries are NOT acceptable and cannot be entered in the trial. Faxed entries cannot be accepted. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. Credit card entries with an emailed entry form and signed TDAA agreement are accepted.
- \* The Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 service charge for any returned checks. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY basis.
- \* Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee.
- \* No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- \* Bitches in season are not permitted in the trial. Full refund (less transaction fee if entered with credit card) for bitches in heat if notification is sent to the Trial Secretary in writing (E-mail OK) no later than June 15, 2015.

### **Checklist**

- Completed **Entry Form(s)** for **EACH** dog entered. Please write clearly to ensure accuracy of the information.
- Completed **Agreement Form(s)** for **EACH** dog entered.
- Completed **Fast Track blocks on the Entry Form** if using Fast Track. Bring title certificates with you.
- Completed **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** if registering your dog(s), with **payment for \$12 each made out to TDAA**. You can also register your dog online with TDAA at <http://www.dogagility.org/newstore/> Click on TDAA Webstore.
- Review information before submitting. I will email or call you with any questions so write legibly.
- Be sure to sign the **Entry Form(s)/Agreement Form(s)** and **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** (if needed).
- Make entry check payable to:** PAWS-AK OR pay online at [www.paws-ak.com](http://www.paws-ak.com) OR call Melissa at (801)828-7308 to process your credit card payment.
- Mail entries to:** Melissa Wallace OR email to [paws\\_ak@yahoo.com](mailto:paws_ak@yahoo.com) with Subject stating Trial Entry  
2591 Garnet Drive  
North Pole, AK 99705
- Any questions?** Call Melissa at (801) 828-7308.

## **VOLUNTEER SIGN UP**

Volunteers are the backbone of any agility trial. By its very nature TDAA is small. Small dogs, small equipment, small trials, and small number of handlers. We need all hands to make a trial work. Please volunteer to work during classes you are not running. We will make sure you get adequate time to warm up your dog and do your walk-through. We want everyone to have a pleasant experience running in TDAA while at the same time helping to make the trial run smoothly and quickly.

### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Please contact hotel directly for current rates.**

*Please be courteous and clean up after your dogs so we may use these establishments again!*

It is strongly suggested that reservations be made well in advance of the show dates. Hotel space is very limited in Fairbanks during the summer months.

Super 8 Motel — 1919 Airport Way, 451-4783 (\$25.00 deposit per dog) - \$10.00 fee per dog.

Pike's Waterfront Lodge – 1850 Hoselton Road, 456-4500 (\$10.00 fee per day)

Chena River Lodge — 1908 Chena Landings Loop, 479-8080 (\$10.00 fee per dog)

**Camping:** Several campgrounds are in the area, but if you don't mind dry camping, give me a call. I might be able to accommodate you in the yard for free. No facilities except during trial hours.

### **After Hours Emergency Veterinarian**

8 Bonnie Ave  
Fairbanks, AK 99701  
(907) 479-2700

### **Hospital**

Fairbanks Memorial Hospital, 1650 Cowles St., Fairbanks, AK (907) 452-8181

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**Lunch** – Potluck lunch both days. We will have grilled burgers on Saturday and sandwiches on Sunday. Bring sides, desserts, and your own beverages. If you are vegetarian, feel free to bring your own dish and put something on the grill.

### **Trial Site:**

2591 Garnet Drive  
North Pole, Alaska 99705

### **DIRECTIONS TO THE FACILITY:**

From either direction on the Richardson Highway, take the North Pole exit and follow Badger Road going North away from North Pole. Turn right onto Peridot. Follow the gravel road to Topaz, the first road on the left. It is immediately after the row of mailboxes on the left. Take a left onto Topaz. Go down Topaz until you reach Garnet Drive on the right. Now you can see my yard on your right. Turn right onto Garnet. The trial is at the first house on the right. Park to the right of the house on the dirt or on the edge of the road to the right of the house. Just don't park on the new grass or block in cars in the driveway.

**Melissa Wallace – cell phone (801) 828-7308**

**Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association Entry Form**

**Mail Entries to:** Melissa Wallace  
2591 Garnet Drive, North Pole, AK 99705

**Payable to: PAWS-AK**  
**Pre-entries must be postmarked by June 12, 2015**

TDAA# \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

*If dog's registration was recently submitted or included with this entry, enter pending as the TDAA#*

TDAA Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Actual Owner(s) (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Handler (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ Disabled?\*

Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

*\* Please include a copy of a disabled parking permit or other official documentation with entry.*

<b>Dog's Measured Jump Height:</b>	4" <input type="checkbox"/>	8" <input type="checkbox"/>	12" <input type="checkbox"/>	16" <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Jump height your dog will jump at this trial:</b>	4" <input type="checkbox"/>	8" <input type="checkbox"/>	12" <input type="checkbox"/>	16" <input type="checkbox"/>
<i>IT IS THE OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENTER THE CORRECT JUMP HEIGHT. All dogs without a card must be measured before their first run. Please consult your jump height card/email to confirm the correct height. Incorrect entries could result in runs not being credited.</i>				
<b>Dog's Level:</b>	<b>Standard:</b> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/>	Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/>	Superior <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Games:</b> I <input type="checkbox"/>
				II <input type="checkbox"/>
				III <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Can Fast Track to:</b>	<b>Standard:</b> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/>	Superior <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Games:</b> Games II <input type="checkbox"/>	Games III <input type="checkbox"/>

<i>CHECK EACH RUN ENTERED</i>	Saturday					Sunday				
	Salmon Run	Standard 1	Standard 2	Strategic Pairs	Standard 3	Standard 4	Copy Cat	Standard 5	Standard 6	Wild West Pinball
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**FEES:** For multi-dog entries fill separate forms for each dog.

Day Package	or	Weekend Package	Or	Per Run	or	Jr. Handler \$8 ea run	FAST TRACK	FEES	Total
\$50		\$90		____ runs x \$11.00		____ runs x \$8	\$8	\$2 or \$5	
\$ _____	+	\$ _____	+	\$ _____	+	\$ _____	+	\$ _____	= \$ _____

**AGREEMENT:** I (We) acknowledge the "Teacup Dog Agility Association Rules & Regulations" have been made available to me (us), and that I am (we) are familiar with their contents.

I (We) agree to hold the TDAA and any TDAA approved judge harmless from any legal claim resulting from said judge's action under the TDAA Rules, Regulation and Guidelines. I (We) agree that the club holding the Agility Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause, which the club deems to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Agility Trial and of the opportunity to have the dog judged,

I (we) agree to hold harmless the director, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lesser of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the show/trial 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 of this dog by disappearance, theft, death, or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, by caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person or any other cause or causes.

I (We) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the 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 damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this Agility Trial, howsoever such injuries, death, or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person.

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 Teacup Dog Agility Association in the premium list for this agility trial, or both, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" on this entry 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 forgoing representation and agreement.

Signature of Owner	Parent or Guardian if under 18
Handler	Date



**Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association**

**DOG REGISTRATION  
FORM**

**Return with \$12.00 payment to:  
Teacup Dogs Agility Association  
14543 State Route 676  
Waterford, OH. 45786**

**Dog's Name:** (The name used on titling certificates)

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**Dog's Call Name:**

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**Dog's Breed:**

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**Dog's Date of Birth:**

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**Gender:**

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**Have you registered a dog with TDAA previously? Yes:**

**No:**

**Owner:** (The name used on titling certificates)

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**Mailing Street Address**

\_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Phone #:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Secondary Phone #:**

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**Email Address:**

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Your dog's TDAA number will be emailed to you at this address. Provide updated email when applicable.

Only dogs measuring 20" or less at the withers are eligible for TDAA registration. There is no refund of this dog registration fee for any reason.

**Office Use**

**CK #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amt** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Dog # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Person # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Create PDF \_\_\_ Height Cert \_\_\_ TEMP Hgt \_\_\_

\_\_\_ Email .PDF to customer

\_\_\_ Enter AUD