

Sanctioned **Teacup Dogs Agility Association**

Agility Trial

PREMIUM LIST

August 19 & 20, 2017

Trial location: 3611 Century Boulevard Lakeland, FL 33811

Judge: Norine Noonan



PRESENTED BY Imperial Polk Obedience Club

Saturday, August 19

Sunday, August 20

3 Standard classes and 2 Games (Power & Speed and Near & Far)

2 Standard classes and 3 Games (Connect the Dots, Tunnel Vision and Beat the Clock)

Pre-Entries Close at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 9, 2017

Weekend packages available

Day of show entries will be accepted with an additional fee until 30 minutes prior to judging begins

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.

Show hours: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Judging to begin at 8:00 a.m., both days

Site will be open at 7:15 for set up

Measuring will start at 7:30

The trial held indoors with A/C and mats.

Electronic timers will be used.

FEO entries will be accepted.

Trial Committee

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON

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TRIAL CO-CHAIRPERSON

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TRIAL SECRETARY

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Eligibility

This trial is open to all dogs 20" and under over the age of 12 months, 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 the first day of the trial. TDAA rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at www.k9tdaa.com.

Scheduled Order of Classes (subject to change at the judge's discretion)

Saturday, August 19 (2" to 16")	Sunday, August 20 (16" to 2")				
Power & Speed	Connect the Dots				
Standard 1 Run Beginner, Intermediate, Superior	Standard 4 Run Superior, Intermediate, Beginner				
Standard 2 Run Superior, Intermediate, Beginner	Standard 5 Run Beginner, Intermediate, Superior				
Near & Far	Tunnel Vision				
Standard 3 Run Beginner, Intermediate, Superior	Beat the Clock				
Running Order					
Running order in Standard classes will be back to back, i.e. Sup 2, Sup 3, Int 2, Int 3, Beg 2, Beg 3	Jump heights will correspond to the height running order per day.				
Running order for Games classes: Games III, Games II, Games I, except in cases where all levels can run the same course.	Saturday: small to large Sunday: large to small				

A warm up area, consisting of regulation TDAA equipment, shall be provided for all exhibitors.

Obstacle Familiarization will be provided on Saturday and Sunday mornings 15 minutes prior to judging for all dogs and handlers who did not familiarize on Sat. **No toys or treats may be used in the ring during familiarization.**

Awards

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 3rd 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. One High in Trial will be offered each day to one dog/handler team that competes in all classes per day. HIT to be determined by highest score, then fastest time if score is tied.

Move-Ups

Pre-entry move-ups requests must be in writing but may be sent via email to the trial secretary at loriharmanp@hotmail.com at least 24 hours prior to the trial. Move-ups will be accepted each day from event to event.

Height Divisions

Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division. Judges reserve the right to measure dogs entered in any trial. At the handler's option, dogs may be entered in any height division. Dogs that run in a height division higher than their measured division will be scored in the higher jump height division (ex: if your dog is measured into the 12" division and you jump 16" at a TDAA trial you will be competing with 16" dogs for placements). Dogs that run in a height division lower than their proper division will be scored with dogs of their measured height. Height divisions are as follows:

Dog's measurement at the withers	Regular	Veterans	With Jump Height Exemption	Veterans plus Jump Height Exemption
4" and under	2"	2"	2"	2"
4.01" to 8"	4"	2"	2"	2"
8.01" to 12"	8"	4"	4"	2"
12.01" to 16"	12"	8"	8"	4"
16.01" to 20"	16"	12"	12"	8"

Note: It is no longer necessary to present a jump height card when entering a TDAA trial.

A dog's owner or handler may enter a dog at any jump height desired. Dogs jumping at a height other than their measured height will earn qualifying legs and all TDAA titles. A dog may enter a trial at only one jump height.

Dogs given a jump height exemption will be able to earn qualifying legs and all TDAA titles. Dogs with a jump height exemption, including veterans, compete against dogs in the height class they measure into based on wither height.

Long-backed dogs – Based on the measurement of the dog from the front of the chest to the back of the rear compared to the dog's wither height. The dog's length must be 150% or greater than their height to qualify for this exemption.

Weight to length provision – (by structure, not obesity) This exemption should be limited to certain breeds that have a propensity for weight that is greater than their height if you compare pounds to inches.

Dwarfish legs/deep chest – Granted to dogs whose leg to shoulder height ratio is 1/3 or less of the dog's overall height. Based on the dog's wither height when that height is 150% or greater than the measurement of the space from floor to chest.

Veteran dogs – A jump height exemption granted to dogs of at least 7 years of age. Veteran dogs receive an extension for Standard course times. 4" veterans receive an additional 4 seconds while 8", 12" and 16" veterans receive an additional 2 seconds.

Disabled Handlers – Handlers who have been given handicap status by their home state will be granted a time exemption of 4 seconds for Standard course times and 4 seconds for Qualifying course times for time-based games classes. See TDAA rules for additional information. This additional time is in addition to any exemption given to the handler's dog due to Veteran status. Proof of disability shall be a copy of the handler's disabled parking tag or official documentation provided with the entry or presented at check-in.

There will be no special system of titling for veteran dogs or for disabled handlers.

Fast Track Program

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 but no higher than the comparable level. You must submit a copy of certificates from the organization in which the higher level title was earned for each dog.

A dog eligible for Fast Tracking may only move up one class at a time and not skip over a class whether or not they met the criteria for a higher class in the first test. A dog moving up on the Fast Track will not be eligible for placement within the class that he received the qualifying score and will not earn a title or receive a title certificate for that level.

Please mark the classes that apply on the Trial Entry form and submit an additional \$8.00 with your entry (payable to IPOC). Payment of this fee is no guarantee that your dog will qualify at the lower level (though he will have multiple chances at each), and is non-refundable. The Fast Track fee must be paid for this trial even if it was paid for a previous trial.



Obstacles

The following is a list of obstacles to be used:

A-frame (9', slatted) Open (Pipe) Tunnel (24" diameter) Table (35" x 35")

Closed Tunnel (24" diameter, 6' chute)

Dog Walk (12' planks, slatted)

Single and winged jumps

Tire Jump (24" opening)

Weave poles (24" separation)

All obstacles meet the larger size of TDAA equipment requirements.

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 designated areas, e.g., the warm-up area and the designated off leash area.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dog(s) and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dog(s) and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the show committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid 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.

Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials.

Exhibitors who do not clean up after their dog will be subject to dismissal with no refund of their entry fees.

No dogs shall be left at the trial site overnight.

TDAA and Imperial Polk Obedience Club are not responsible for loss, accidents or theft. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages or un-prescribed drugs will be allowed on the grounds or in the building the day of a TDAA event.

Directions to the Trial Site

From I-4 – Take Exit 27, the Polk Parkway (this is West of Lakeland). Get off at Exit #3, pay toll, turn right on Airport Road. Go 1/2 mile to Drane Field Road, turn left, go 1/2 mile to Century Blvd. across from the airport, turn left. Go to the fourth driveway, and turn left into the warehouse complex. Drive between the buildings and go to the building in the back. Come in the door in the middle of the building.

From Hwy 60 – Take County Line Road north to Drane Field Road. Go east 2 to 3 miles to Century Blvd across from the airport, turn left. Go to the fourth driveway, and turn left into the warehouse complex. Drive between the buildings and go to the building in the back. Come in the door in the middle of the building to set up prior to trial and on the day of the trial, please only use the office door at the south end of the building.

Emergency Veterinarian	Vendors
Veterinary Emergency Clinic	A limited variety of lunch items will be available for sale. Drinks
3609 US Hwy 98 South	will also be sold. Restaurants are available close by.
Lakeland, Florida Phone: (863) 665-3199	There is limited space for vendors at this trial. Cost is \$25 per day. Contact Gwen Ritz at gritz2@tampabay.rr.com

RV Parking

There are a limited number of slots on site with electric/water for \$20.00/night. Limited dry camping will be permitted at the trial site for \$5.00/night. Reservations are required. Please email Gwen Ritz at gritz2@tampabay.rr.com to reserve your site. Make sure to include the RV size and if you want dry or power. Check-in time is 3:00 p.m. Arrivals prior to 3:00 p.m. will have an additional fee of \$5.00.

SEPARATE CHECK FOR RV PARKING IS TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO IMPERIAL POLK OBEDIENCE CLUB (IPOC)

All RVs WILL BE ASSIGNED PARKING UPON ARRIVAL – NO EXCEPTIONS. We strongly recommend NOT setting up before receiving parking assignments.

Nearby Lodging

These hotels allow dogs, but please contact them to find out their specific policy regarding size limits and deposits. Please be courteous and clean up after your dogs so that we may use these hotels again.

Baymont Inn and Suites Lakeland Holiday Inn Conference Center La Quinta Inn & Suites 4375 Lakeland Park Drive 3260 US Highway 98 North 1024 Lakeland Park Center Drive Lakeland, FL 33809 Lakeland, FL 33805 Lakeland, FL 33809 (863) 858-9070 (800) 230-4134 (863) 859-2866 **Comfort Inn Plant City Knights Inn Plant City** 301 S Frontage Road 2003 S Frontage Road Plant City, FL 33563 Plant City, FL 33563 (813) 707-6000 (813) 752-0570

Please verify hotel rates and availability! You are responsible for any damage you or your dogs incur on the show grounds and/or motel grounds. Please help us keep our motels accepting of dogs for our trials. Clean up after your dogs.

WANTED! 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 a small number of handlers. We can use everyone's help—even for a short period. Please sign up to volunteer to work during classes you are not running in.

If you aren't sure how to do a job—we'll be happy to train you! We will make sure you get adequate time to warm up your dog and do your walkthrough. We want everyone to have a pleasant experience running in TDAA while at the same time helping to make the trial run smoothly.

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Class Information

Standard Classes

Beginner – All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class. There shall be no grandfathering of titles from another organization.

Intermediate – Dogs that have earned the Teacup Beginner Agility Dog (TBAD) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Superior – Dogs that have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agility Dog (TIAD) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games Classes

Games I – All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class. There shall be no grandfathering of titles from other organizations

Games II – Only dogs that have earned the Games I (TG1) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games III – Only dogs that have earned the Games II (TG2) or Games III (TG3) or that have satisfied the appropriate Fast Track requirement shall be eligible for participation in this class.

FEO (For Exhibition Only) – FEO runs are 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 times the SCT. FEO participants cannot repeat any obstacles; no training is permitted in the ring.

Games Class Descriptions

The following are some brief descriptions of the games offered at this trial. We encourage you to enter the games classes even if they seem unfamiliar to you – we are sure that you will have lots of fun!

Judge's briefing on day of trial supersedes any previous briefings. The judge will provide a thorough briefing to exhibitors and hard copies of the complete rules and qualifying requirements will be available. Example briefings are available on TDAA's Web site at www.k9tdaa.com.

Power & Speed – A two-part game where in the first part [Power] the dog will run an un-timed sequence of mostly technical obstacles; and in the second part [Speed] the dog will run a timed jumpers course. Both parts must be completed within the time limit of 2 minutes to qualify. Scored time plus faults, with the lowest score being the winner.

Near & Far – The game's objective is to complete the course as numbered. At two specified places the dog will go ahead to perform obstacles while the handler remains behind a containment line. Crossing the containment line will result in a fault. Scored faults then time, with the lowest score being the winner.

Connect the Dots – A dog's choice point accumulation game where the objective is to handle the dog from dot to dot (the contact obstacles) scoring points on all other obstacles in between. Points for the "in between" obstacles are always at risk, as they'll be lost in case of any fault since the last "dot". Scored Points, then Time.

Tunnel Vision — A game played on a course consisting of mostly tunnels, and jumps. The obstacles must be taken in the numerical order specified by the judge with three caveats: all obstacles can be taken in either direction, each clump of tunnels may be performed in any order and in any direction - so long as each tunnel is ultimately performed, the handler must remain behind the containment line for each group of tunnels. Scored points, minus faults, then time.

Beat the Clock — The objective of this game is for the team to perform the clock of obstacles (four numbered clusters) in order before time runs out. The handler must direct the dog through the tire at the center of the clock prior to beginning each quarter of the obstacles on the clock. Scored points then time, with the highest score being the winner.

Entries & Closing Date

DAY OF TRIAL ENTRY FEES PRE-ENTRY FEES Each Run Entered\$12 Each Run Entered.....\$14 Trial Weekend Package\$110 Weekend Package.....\$130 (5 Standard runs & 5 Games) (5 Standard runs & 5 Games) TDAA Registration (Fees payable to TDAA)......\$12 Fast Track Move-Up (Fees payable to IPOC)\$8 Mail entries with fees to: Lori Potteiger, 2011 Christy Lane, Lakeland, FL 33801 All pre-entries must be postmarked by 6:00 p.m., August 7, 2017. To be accepted, entries must be complete, signed (by parent or legal guardian if handler is a minor), postmarked by the closing date, and accompanied by the correct fees made payable to Imperial Polk Obedience Club (IPOC). You must file a separate entry form for each dog entered (i.e., only one dog per form). Entries will not be accepted without fees. No entries will be accepted which require a signature for delivery. All entries must be submitted on an official TDAA Agility Entry Form, 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 and/or credit cards cannot be accepted. All fees must be paid in U.S. funds. In the event of withdrawal from the event, checks will NOT be returned. All unused checks will be destroyed. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 service charge for any returned checks. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in there 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, an 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. The club will refund all but \$5.00 per run of the entry fee for bitches unable to compete for that reason. The Trial Secretary must receive written notification from a Veterinarian of such claim for refund by letter (not email) before August 10, 2017. **Entry Checklist** Completed **Entry Form(s)** for EACH dog entered. Please write clearly to ensure accuracy of the information. Signed **Agreement Form(s)** for EACH dog entered. Completed Fast Track Request Form if using Fast Track. Please include a copy of a titling certificate from the organization in which the higher level title was earned. Completed TDAA Dog Registration Form(s) if registering your dog(s). Make this check out to TDAA. Please fill out Volunteer Sign Up Sheet. We will make sure you get adequate time to warm up your dog and do your walk-throughs. Review your information before submitting these Forms. Incomplete forms will be returned. Unless otherwise stated, make checks payable to: Imperial Polk Obedience Club (IPOC)

Mail entries to: Lori Potteiger, 2011 Christy Lane, Lakeland, FL 33801

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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 (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. (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 esponsibility 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 or 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, nowsoever such injuries, death, or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may ha												
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A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for a show closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner, it must be entered in the name of the new owner in any which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been made to TDAA.



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)						
Dog's Call Name:						
Dog's Breed:						
Dog's Date of Birth:	Gender:					
Have you registered a dog with TDAA previously?	Yes: No:					
Owner: (The name used on titling certificates)						
Mailing Street Address:						
City, State and Zip:						
Primary Phone #:	Secondary Phone #:					
Email Address:						
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 # Amt Dog # Person # Create PDF Height Cert TEMP Hgt Email .PDF to customer Enter AUD					