

Request for Workers

Agility trials can't be run without the help of volunteers. SMKC truly appreciates ALL volunteers!

We will be offering day of trial sign-ups for all positions. Please check the worker board for open positions.

Rubberized equipment, 26" Tunnels!

AGILITY GATE USED AT THIS TRIAL

MORE OFFERINGS ON THE SHORE: COME JOIN US!

Feb 28-Mar 2, 2025: TKC, Crown Sports Center
Judge: Jack Cadalso

April 11-13:2025: SMKC; Crown Sports Center
Judge: Jen Young

May 2-4; 2025: BHAD, Frederica, DE
Judge: Debby Wheeler

May 30- June 1, 2025: TKC, Crown Sports Center
Judge: Cindy Deak

June 13-15, 2025, BHAD, Frederica, DE
Judge: Sherry Spivey

SPECIAL EVENT HAPPENING NEXT YEAR

“SHORE RUN FOR THE MONEY!” See the last page for details of a fun event starting in February! Make your plans now to attend to be in contention for the MONEY

Entries open on **Tuesday, Nov 26, 2024 at 8am EDT** on a FIRST RECEIVED basis. All entries received before this date will be returned. Entries close on **Thursday, Jan 9, 2025 at 6pm EDT**. For overnight mail, be sure to check **AND** sign the “**No Signature Required**” waiver for acceptance. Maximum of 10 entries per envelope.



An AKC Member Club
Premium List

Four AKC All Breed Agility Trials

Events # 2025027716–2025027717-2025027701-2025027702

This event is accepting entries for dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program
350 runs per day

January 17- 19, 2025

FRIDAY: Trial 1: All FAST; T2B; PS; PJ; EX/MAS STD and JWW

FRIDAY: Trial 2: All FAST and T2B

SATURDAY: FAST; PS; All Levels STD and JWW

SUNDAY: T2B; PJ; All Levels of STD and JWW

JUDGE: SANDY MOODY

Salisbury Maryland KC Training Center

31663 Winterplace Parkway

Salisbury, MD 21804

Indoors, Climate Controlled, Turf

Ring Size 80 x 100

Trial hours: 7am – 7pm

Judging starts no earlier than 8am all days

FEO (For Exhibition Only) offered at this trial

Club website: www.salisburymarylandkennelclub.org



American Kennel Club Certification
Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

2024 OFFICERS OF THE SALISBURY MARYLAND KENNEL CLUB

President	Peggy Bradford
1 st Vice President	Diane Spalding
2 nd Vice President	Jeannine Dennis
Treasurer	Anna Marie D'Onofrio
Secretary	Holly Mills 21148 Laguna Dr, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971

EVENT COMMITTEE

Elisa Calabrese; Penny Denny; Erika Caldwell; Tracie Bishop; Anna Marie D'Onofrio
Linda Furey; Vanessa Lemley; Mary Beauchemin; Diane Spalding; Tammy Sparks; Robin Valliant; Jeri Collette

Trial Secretary	Trial Chair
Jennifer Cannon 8102 Pintail Drive Parsonsburg, MD21849 shoretrialsecretary@outlook.com	Cheryl Price Lindy4413@yahoo.com (410) 521-1637 Asst Trial Chair Anna Marie D'Onofrio

Entry Fees

\$25/\$24/\$17/\$17/\$17 (1st / 2nd / 3rd, 4th & 5th entry per dog/per day)

JR Rate: \$18/\$18/\$15/\$15/\$15 (1st / 2nd / 3rd, 4th & 5th entry per dog/per day)

(Fees include AKC recording fee of \$3.50 for each run/per dog/per day)

***MAKE checks payable to: **SMKC**

To enter online, go to www.LabTestedOnline.com. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries is designated 20% online and 80% paper. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48-hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly.

JUDGE AND ASSIGNMENTS

Sandy Moody: #94039 Georgetown, DE All Classes, All Days

Wait List for Withdrawn Entries after Closing

SMKC is offering a Wait List to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing on Jan 9, 2025. A maximum of 20 entries will be placed on the wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to the trial closing date. Any entries withdrawn that are received by closing date will be replaced by a wait listed entry if any are available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by Sunday, Jan 12 @ noon will receive a full refund.

Entry Information

- Be sure to include the correct fees. Overpayments less than \$10 will not be refunded.
- All entries must be submitted on official AKC agility entry forms, one dog per entry form. Photocopies of front and back will be accepted only if legible and official AKC size.
- Entries will not be accepted without signature, back of entry form with agreement, and fees, nor will email, telephone or FAX entries be accepted.
- Owners are responsible for ensuring that entry forms are completed IN FULL. Entries submitted without ALL information will be returned as invalid
*****PLEASE WRITE EMAIL ADDRESS LEGIBLY!!*****
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. A \$30.00 service fee will be added for all returned checks.
- Overnight service **MUST** check **AND** sign the “**NO SIGNATURE REQUIRED**” waiver box, as the Trial Secretary will not be present to sign for your entries.
- Limit 10 entries per envelope.
- **THIS CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THIS EVENT**

Invalid Entries

Invalid entries will be returned to the address on the entry form. The following constitute an invalid entry:

- An entry which is missing any AKC required information.
- Entries not on Official AKC forms or on a photocopy of an AKC form without the current AKC agreement on the reverse side or attached to the entry form.
- Entries which are illegible or incomplete or received with insufficient fees.
- Conditional, unsigned, incomplete, email, telephone, FAX, entries cannot be accepted.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry.

PLEASE CHECK YOUR ENTRIES CAREFULLY!

CONFIRMATIONS

- Confirmations will be sent via US mail ONLY if an exhibitor does not have an active e-mail address or upon specific request.
- A Preliminary Confirmation will be sent to the e-mail address on the AKC entry form after your entry has been processed. Please review the information in the confirmation for input errors and notify the Trial Secretary of any corrections.
- Final confirmations of entry and judging schedule will be sent to the e-mail address on the AKC entry form after the closing date.

NOTE: If the exhibitor has not received the Final confirmation within five days of the trial, please contact the Trial Secretary.

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.

It is expressly understood that the exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs 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 Event Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any entry fees will be made.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that the dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of 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.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. No classes will be held up by a late exhibitor.

All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area. No dogs may be left tied to trees, cars, fences, etc. Dogs under 4 months of age are not allowed at this trial.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen 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.

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.

RIBBONS AND AWARDS FOR REGULAR CLASSES

Rosettes will be awarded to the first through fourth place dog in each jump height division in each class.

Flat Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score.

MACH/PACH/PAX Rosettes and a MACH/PACH/PAX bar will be given to exhibitors earning a MACH, PACH or PAX title at this trial. New title ribbons will be given to dogs earning a new title. All ribbons and prizes must be claimed the day of the Trial; none will be mailed. PACH and PAX Titles earned on the same day: Please take either the PACH or PAX awards, not both.

MOVE UPS

Move ups must be sent in writing (E-mail is acceptable and preferred) to the Trial Secretary for the Jan 17th trial no later than Monday, Jan 13 at 6pm. Please email to shoretrialsecretary@outlook.com

Day to Day move ups will be accepted but must be written in the move up book (on ribbon table) no later than 15 minutes after the last run is judged for each class.

TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<i>(Tall to Small)</i>	<i>(Small to Tall)</i>	<i>(Tall to Small)</i>
Premier JWW Ex/Mas JWW Premier Standard Ex/Mas Standard All FAST 1 All FAST 2 T2B 1 T2B 2	All FAST Premier Standard Ex/Mas Standard Ex/Mas JWW Open JWW Novice JWW Open Standard Novice Standard	Premier JWW Ex/Mas JWW T2B Ex/Mas Standard Open Standard Novice Standard Open JWW Novice JWW
Briefing at 7:45. Judging begins at 8:00 a.m.		

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.

OBSTACLES

All obstacles and equipment used at this trial meet the requirements for agility trials.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Owners/Agents are responsible for entering the proper height divisions.

REGULAR	PREFERRED	INFORMATION
Exhibitors may choose to enter their dog in a higher height division than required by AKC, but not in a lower height division than the AKC mandated height.	The following jump heights shall be used in all Preferred classes.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division For dogs measuring ...
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches & under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches & under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches & under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches & under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
24C"	---	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-Choice class at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24"Regular Jump height division may not enter 24-choice

☺ Simplified Jump Height Card Process ☺

If your dog needs to be measured, check the box at the top of the entry form so that your dog is placed on the Measuring List. A VMO will be present all three days.

It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

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. FEO is allowed in all classes. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.
- 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 Absent 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 to the scribe and the judge.

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.
- FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as a punitive correction. Harsh verbal and /or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.
- A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time

Additional Site Information

- Crating will be out of your car.
- Site opens daily at 7:00am.
- Building is climate controlled.
- **Flexi-Leads are NOT allowed in the building or in the rings.**
- **Please enter the building for your run through the back door and exit through the front door for improved traffic flow.**
- To watch a run, use the bathroom, and pick up ribbons, please enter and exit in through the front door.
- **A viewing window is available to watch your friends runs.**

Refunds

Bitches in season will not be admitted to the trial. Any exhibitor with an entered bitch in season, on the trial date, will be refunded the entry fee, less \$5 per run (each day), upon written certification from a veterinarian. Notification must be in the hands of the trial secretary no later than the start time on the date of the trial.

Injuries – Dogs that cannot compete due to an injury will be given a partial refund minus **\$10** per run (per day). A written vet letter must be given to the Trial Secretary no later than the start time on the date of the trial.

Veterinarian

Lotus Vet Urgent Care

9am-6pm: Monday - Friday
1727 Northwood Dr, Salisbury, MD
410-231-3435

Pets ER

Mon-Fri-6pm-7am; Sat/Sun: 24 Hrs
402 Punkin CT, Salisbury, MD 21804
410-543-8400

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free from internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

Hotels (Please verify with hotels regarding Pet Policy)

Residence Inn- 140 Centre Rd., Salisbury, MD 21801. (410) 543-0033
Breakfast. \$115/night. One time pet fee \$25. Ask for Salisbury Agility Group. Must book by 12/25/24 for this rate.

Hampton Inn: Fruitland, MD 304 Prosperity Lane \$129 + Taxes; \$65 pet fee. Must book by 1/2/25 for this rate. (410) 548-1282

La Quinta: 300 S. Salisbury Blvd, Salisbury, MD (410) 546-4400 \$85.90 Thursday; \$98.90 Friday/Saturday Nights. Must book by 1/6/25

The following hotels do not have room blocks. Please call for rates and pet fees.

Hampton Inn Salisbury- 121 Naylor Mill Rd., Salisbury, MD 21804 (410) 334-3080

Quality Inn 2701 N. Salisbury Blvd, Salisbury, Md 21801 (410)543-4666

America Best Value Inn - 2625 N.Salisbury Blvd., Salisbury, Md 21801 (410)742-7194

Days Inn 2525 N. Salisbury Blvd, Salisbury, Md 21801 (410)202-2395

Econolodge 10936 Market Ln. US Rt. 13 Princess Anne, Md. 21853 (410)651-9400

Please Clean Up After Your Dog(s) At The Hotel And Show Site We Want To Be Welcomed Back!

RV PARKING!

FREE RV Parking is Available across the street from the Training Center at the East Wicomico Little League Lot. No hookups and No Dumping.. Please make reservations by contacting Diane Spalding at spalding4u@hotmail.com

Shore Run For The Money

Trial at least one day of each of the agility trials listed below to complete the challenge.

Entry Fee:
\$10.00

Awards to be presented at the
Talbot Kennel Club Agility Trial
May 31, 2025

Photograph compliments of
Sharon Devry Photography



\$\$\$ PRIZE AWARDS \$\$\$

1st Place - 50% of Entry Fees 2nd Place - 30% of Entry Fees 3rd Place - 20% of Entry Fees

RULES

Dog and Handler Team must be entered and trial in at least one class at all three of the above trials.

HOW TO EARN POINTS

- Entered and completed course (no FEO)
- 5 points
- Qualifying Score (all classes except Premier)
- 10 points
- Qualifying Score (Premier classes)
- 20 points
- Qualifying Score (STD & JWW same day)
- 20 bonus points
- Q in STD, JWW & Fast (same day)
- 40 bonus points
- Q in both Premier STD & JWW
- 35 bonus points

Team **MUST** be registered and entry fee to be received and paid by first run of the Talbot Kennel Club February/March 2025 trial.

REGISTRATION FORM

Handler Name: _____

Dog Call Name: _____

Breed: _____

Email Address: _____

Cell Phone #: _____

Make Check Payable To: SMKC
Mail Entry Form To:
Jill Stephenson
206 Walden Drive
Fruitland, MD 21826

jastephenson61@comcast.net

Download Form:
www.talbotkennelclub.org/agility

Directions to the Site: 31663 Winterplace PKWY, Salisbury, MD

From the West (Bay Bridge)

Take 50E and continue onto the Salisbury Bypass. Exit on RT.50 East/Ocean City. At the first light, Turn LEFT onto HOBBS RD. Take the next RIGHT onto Winterplace PKWY. The Training Center is near the end of the road on the RIGHT.

From the North/ Wilmington/Dover via Route 13S

Exit RT 1 for 13S. Continue on 13S, until you get to the Salisbury Bypass. Exit to bypass and continue to the left. Take the RT50/Ocean City exit and follow the directions above.

From the South/Norfolk VA via Route 13N

Take 13N. Exit on Hobbs RD. At the stop light, cross RT 50, then next right onto Winterplace Pkwy.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

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

Table with columns for dates (FRI: 1/17/25, SAT: 1/18/25, SUN: 1/19/25) and classes (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B, PREM STD, PREM JWW) with checkboxes for participation.

Daily Entry Fee: \$25/\$24/\$17/\$17 (per Trial/Per Day)
Jr Rates: \$18/\$18/\$15/\$15 (per Trial/Per Day)
Make checks payable to: SMKC
Mail to: Jennifer Cannon 8201 Pintail Drive, Parsonsburg, MD 21849
IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!
Choose Either Regular or Preferred Classes
Check one jump height, and check class selections - Only one selection per class (both Master and Premier allowed)

Table with columns for REGULAR Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and PREFERRED Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20") and rows for STD, JWW, FAST, T2B with checkboxes for Nov A/B, Open, Exc, Master, Premier.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes [] STD [] JWW

Form fields: This dog needs to be measured: [] Yes [] No, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME

AKC NAME (include AKC titles only)

Form fields: [] AKC NO., (Enter Complete Registration # below), DATE OF BIRTH, [] ILP NO., [] PAL NO., [] FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY, PLACE OF BIRTH (List Country)

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS NEW ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP+4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

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.

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.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners 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.

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

SIGN HERE X

Telephone Number: _____ New Email ?

Email: _____

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

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

