WI-IL Agility Group



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March 9 & 10, 2024 CPE Trial Judge: Wayne Van Deusen

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<u>Saturday – small to tall:</u> Standard – 1/23/5C Snooker – 12/35C Jumpers – 12/35C Wildcard – 12/35C FullHouse – All levels Trial Secretary Shelly Weeks WAGCPESecretary@gmail.com

> Sunday – tall to small: FullHouse – All levels Colors – 12/35C Wildcard – 12/35C Jackpot – All levels Standard – 1/2/3/5C

GENERAL BRIEFING: There WILL be a face-to-face briefing at the trial.

MASKS: COVID numbers are rising again. Masks are not required, but are recommended. All masking rules are subject to change based on state mandates and CDC recommendations at the time of the event. You will be contacted via email if anything changes.

JUDGE'S CLASS BRIEFINGS: The judge's briefings for each class will be on each course map and there will be briefings for each class.

ENTERING AND EXITING THE BUILDING: People exiting the building have the right of way. Please step back and let them out before entering.

FOOD: Water and soda will be available for workers and for purchase. Lunch will be available for workers. WAG refrigerators are NOT for public use, so please bring coolers if you wish to keep things cold.

CRATING: There is plenty of indoor crating. Bring your own crates and chairs as WAG public crates and chairs will be limited.

WALK-THRUS: Time limit on walk-thrus will be 5 minutes for each jump height group. Levels 3/5/C may be broken into two groups: 4/8/12 and 16/20/24. Levels 1/2 will all walk together unless the number of handlers should require the group to be split Walk-thrus for large classes, like FullHouse and Jackpot, will be split into smaller groups.

CHECK-IN: Please be sure to check yourself in on the gate sheets for each class.

COURSE MAPS: Course maps will be posted the evening before each day on the WAG website, on the March CPE event page <u>https://wagagility.com/march-cpe/</u> usually by 6:00 p.m. Full size course maps will be posted at the trial. It is suggested you take a photo of the course maps with your phone and move on. Please be respectful of others.

RUNNING ORDER: The running order will be posted on the WAG website, on the March CPE event page <u>https://wagagility.com/march-cpe/</u> by 6:00 p.m. Friday. Note the running order may be posted early in the week and is preliminary. The running order is subject to change due to move-ups and DOS.

SEATING: Please bring your own chairs as WAG public chairs will be limited. There will be no seating or gathering on the black matting between the crating area (blue mat ring) and the show ring (turf ring). This space is for dogs and handlers that are entered in the class currently running. Seating is only allowed in the crating area. Please be respectful of others.

LINING UP FOR YOUR RUN: We will be utilizing chutes and the entrance and exit of the ring. The gate steward will direct you when to move into the chute and when to go in the ring. Please follow the gate steward's instructions. After your run, get your dog into the exit chute where you will find your leash. Please celebrate with your dog, leash up, and move out of the area as quickly as you can. To keep congestion to a minimum, please do not hang out in that area.

LEASHES: Handlers have the choice to put their leash in their pocket or safely loop them around their waist or neck. It does not have be out of the dog's sight, however if the dog plays with it during a run it would be considered a toy. If you cannot carry the leash it should be dropped on the ground at the start line and the leash runner will pick it up and place it <u>in the exit chute</u> on the floor. Please get your dog into the chute as quickly as possible to leash up.

MEASURING: There WILL be official measuring at this trial. If your dog appears on the measuring sheet generated by CPE, your dog MUST be measured before you run.

RESULTS: Results and ribbon labels will be placed in binders on the ribbon table. There will be a binder for each class. It is suggested that you take a photo of your results with your phone and move on. Please be respectful of others.

RIBBONS: Ribbons will be "self serve".

SPECIAL AWARDS:

- High in Trial for the weekend will be awarded after the last class on Sunday has been scored.
- Fastest 51 Snooker prizes will be awarded to the fastest 51 in both levels 1/2 and in levels 3/5C.
- "Perfect 10" medals will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score in all 10 runs for the weekend.
- "What was that shit?!?!" awarded to a team chosen by the judge.

NQ RAFFLE: We will be holding an NQ raffle each day. Handlers will be responsible for putting their names in the bucket for their NQ runs. Drawings will be held each day after the last class is scored.

WORKER RAFFLE: We will be holding a worker raffle each day. Handlers will be given a raffle ticket for each class worked. Drawings will be held each day after the last class is completed.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated in helping us adhere to the CDC guidelines and state mandates. Being respectful of others will ensure we all can have a safe and fun trial. It is the responsibility of all of us to follow the rules and be respectful so we can continue to play agility with our dogs.

PLEASE, IF YOU ARE SICK OR NOT FEELING WELL, DO NOT COME TO THE TRIAL. Contact Shelly and we will work out credit for a future trial.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation,

Shelly, Julie, Patti Jo, Jan, and the WAG Board of Directors