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## ENTRY METHOD

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON March 6, 2024, 8:00 a.m. CST** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON April 13, 2024, 5:00 p.m. CST** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted. Entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

**DAY OF EVENT ENTRIES:** Day of event entries will be permitted at this Fetch testing if entry limit is not reached. Day of show entries will be accepted from 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.

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## PREMIUM LIST



### **WI-IL Agility Group of Spring Grove IL** Licensed by the American Kennel Club

**WI-IL Agility Group**



### **Novice and Intermediate ONLY**

**April 20, 2024** Event # 2024610921

**April 20, 2024** Event # 2024610922

### **WAG Training Center**

2807 N US Highway 12, Spring Grove, IL 60081

### **ENTRY LIMITS**

**40 entries per Fetch event**

*To be held indoors on turf*

### **Testing Hours:**

Saturday– 8:00am to 4:00pm

Check-in from 7:30-8:00 am



**AMERICAN  
KENNEL CLUB**

**CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

**OFFICERS OF WI-IL AGILITY GROUP OF SPRING GROVE, ILLINOIS**

President ..... Patti Jo Yuswak  
 Vice President ..... Laura Hilger  
 Secretary ..... Rosie Hatcher-Pientok, 9033 271<sup>st</sup> Ave, Salem, WI 53168  
 Treasurer ..... Shelly Weeks

<b>TRIAL CHAIRPERSON</b>	<b>TRIAL SECRETARY</b>
Patti Jo Yuswak 30724 114 <sup>th</sup> Street Twin Lakes, WI 53181 <a href="mailto:whtbc10@wi.rr.com">whtbc10@wi.rr.com</a> (815) 355-3115	Shelly Weeks 119 Wright Street Elkhorn, WI 53121 <a href="mailto:poodlenutz@gmail.com">poodlenutz@gmail.com</a> (262) 215-9199

**EVENT COMMITTEE**

Simone Szulc-Cieplicki, Laura Hilger, Jane Skirvan, Mary VanderBloomen,  
 Patti Jo Yuswak

**JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS**

<b>Test #1</b> <b>Whitney Rupp</b> #114285 Compton, IL <b><u>Saturday, April 20, 2024 – Test #1</u></b> Novice, Intermediate  Alternate judge: Bonnie Marie Gutzwiler (Yorkville, IL) #102527	<b>Test #2</b> <b>Bonnie Marie Gutzwiler</b> #102527 Yorkville, IL <b><u>Saturday, April 20, 2024 – Test #2</u></b> Novice, Intermediate  Alternate judge: Whitney Rupp, (Compton, IL) #114285
Backup Judge: Jillian Dirks #111500	

**FOR AKC CLUBS: VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

**Emergency Veterinarian**

Animal Emergency & Treatment Center of Grayslake  
 1810 E Belvidere Road, Grayslake, IL 60030  
 (847) 548-5300

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/ Ambulance/Police- McHenry County - **911**

**Northwestern Medicine Immediate Care**

2507 North Richmond Road  
 McHenry, IL 60051  
 (815) 455-6100

<b>TEST LEVELS OFFERED</b>
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Saturday April 20, 2024	Saturday April 20, 2024
Novice	Novice
Intermediate	Intermediate
Testing 8:00 a.m. until conclusion of event. Handler's briefing to be held at 8:00 a.m.	

<b>DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER</b>
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This trial is open to all dogs SIX (6) 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 are eligible to participate. 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.

**Condition of the Dog.** Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to participate provided that, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the Fetch test. Dogs with bandages, sutures, or visible wounds are not eligible. Deaf dogs are allowed to enter so long as the handler is in control of the dog at all times, the dog can complete the requirements of the test, and the dog does not appear to be under undue stress in the opinion of the judge.

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### ENTRY FEES

#### Pre-entries: \$20 per dog/per test

Pre-Entries close at Secretary's office on **Friday, April 12 at 5:00 p.m.** after which time pre-entries can no longer be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted. Changes, additions, corrections, or cancellations of entries must be received in writing prior to the close of pre-entries.

#### Day of Show: \$25 per dog/per test

Day of show entries will be accepted, if entry limit not reached, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.

**Mail entry forms and fees to:** Shelly Weeks  
119 Wright Street  
Elkhorn, WI 53121

Please make checks payable to: **WAG**

No entries will be accepted by phone, email, fax, or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Shelly Weeks at [poodlenutz@gmail.com](mailto:poodlenutz@gmail.com). No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

**Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the

Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

## WAIT LIST INFORMATION

WI-IL Agility Group is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 10 entries per event will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to 5:00 p.m. April 13, 2024. No entries may be withdrawn with a refund after 5:00 p.m. April 13, 2024. 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 will receive a full refund.

## SIGN-IN and CRATING Areas

There will be a table for check-ins and information.

Dogs will be crated out of view of the Fetch test area, or far enough away as to not cause a distraction to the dog being tested. Please bring your own crates, chairs and something to put under your crates and chairs to protect the floor. No ex-pens allowed.

## MOVE-UP REGULATIONS

Move-Ups to the next higher level WILL be offered. Dogs shall be moved up to a higher level at the request of the owner as a result of qualifying for a Fetch title, **provided the request is made to the Trial Secretary, in writing, no later than 6:00 p.m., Monday, April 15, 2024.**

## AKC FETCH MOVE-UP FORM

The form MUST be filled out completely – NO VERBAL CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED. Email move-ups will be accepted if received by 6:00 p.m. April 15, 2024 and ALL required information is included.

Fill out one form for each dog and mail, email, or hand deliver to the TRIAL SECRETARY – NO ONE ELSE IS AUTHORIZED TO ACCEPT MOVE-UPS.

### FETCH MOVE-UP

AKC Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Registration No: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Variety: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Handler: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle Appropriate Choices)

Move up for:    Event 1    Event 2

Move from:    Beginner

Move to:    Intermediate

## ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

**Exhibitors are responsible** for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

## RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

*Qualifying Score* ..... *Dark Green Flat Ribbon*  
*New Title* ..... *Blue & Yellow Rosette*

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

### SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

**The safety of the dog** 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 searches safely. **It is expressly understood** that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children 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. WI-IL Agility Group 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. WI-IL Agility Group 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 WI-IL Agility Group or any official thereof.

**Collars, Leashes and Harnesses.** During searches, dogs must wear a properly fitted collar or harness approved by the judge. A wearable camera such as a Go Pro may be mounted to the dog's harness, if desired. Leashes may be of any length and/or retractable. The leash should be made of plain, pliable material.

**All dogs must be on leash** at all times, and retractable leashes may not be used when on trial grounds (except during judged searches). Dogs must enter and exit the search area with the leash attached to the collar or harness, including when waiting in the search area before and after the search. An off-leash option may be offered at the discretion of the judge, only if the area is completely enclosed.

### REFUNDS

**No entry fee** will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, 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. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. Dogs pulled after closing because of injury or other medical condition are not eligible for a partial refund.

**Bitches in season** will be refunded the full entry fee. **Notification in writing must be given to the trial secretary no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial.**

### RINGSIDE

**Judges are not required** to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at the search area when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility to provide service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

**EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN:** Once the time and location for check-in is determined all exhibitors will be notified by email.

**Claims will be arbitrated as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.**

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.

## HOTEL INFORMATION

When making reservations, inquire about pet policies as they do change. Please be responsible pet owners when staying at these establishments so that dogs will be welcome guests in the future. Pick up after your dogs. Do NOT leave dogs in hotel rooms unattended.

Baymont Inn, 11200 N Route 12, Richmond, IL (6 miles)	815-678-4711
Comfort Suites, 1775 E Belvidere Road, Grayslake, IL (18 miles)	847-223-5050
Best Western, 990 Lake Avenue, Woodstock, IL (18 miles)	815-337-0065
Super 8, 557 Crystal Point Drive, Crystal Lake, IL (18 miles)	815-219-7877

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

The WAG Training Building is in Spring Grove, IL, on Route 12, just west of the intersection of Route 12 and Spring Grove/Winn Roads.

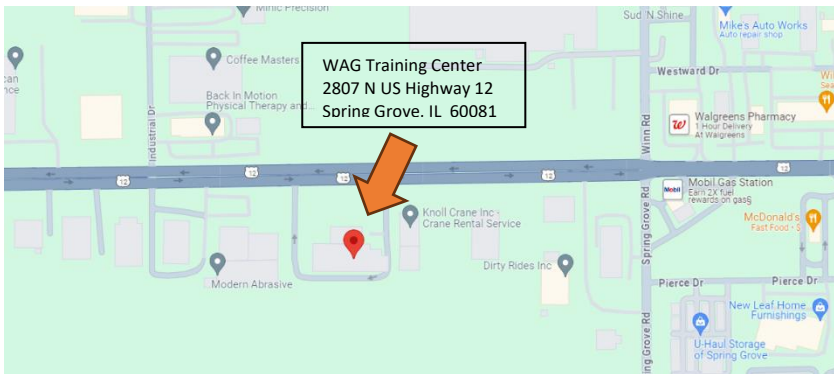
**From the North:** Take Route 12 south (East Rt 12) to Spring Grove. WAG is one block before Spring Grove/Winn Roads and will be on the right side of the road.

**From the South:** Take Route 12 north (West Rt 12) to Spring Grove. WAG is one block after Spring Grove/Winn Roads and will be on the left side of the road.

**From the East:** Take Rt 173 west to Winn Road south to Rt 12 west. WAG is one block west of Winn Road.

**From the West:** Take Rt 173 east to Route 12 South to Spring Grove. WAG is one block before Spring Grove/Winn Roads.

## MAP



Official Entry Form AKC Fetch Test



**Entries should be mailed to:**  
**WI-IL Agility Group**  
**Shelly Weeks**  
**119 Wright Street**  
**Elkhorn, WI 53121**

Saturday, April 20, 2024 Test #1	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate
Saturday, April 20, 2024 Test #2	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate

**Entry Fee Pre-Entry (deadline April 12, 2024) \$20.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Entry Fee Day of Show (after April 12, 2024) \$25.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Make checks payable to: WAG**

*Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.*

AKC Registered Name		Registration Number
		<input type="checkbox"/> AKC/PAL/ILP/CP <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign
Call name	Date of birth	Sex
Breed	Variety (Not Required)	
Owner		
Owner's Address		
City	State	Zip
Telephone	Email	
Handler name (if different from owner):		Junior Handler # (if applicable):

**Fields marked in blue are REQUIRED.**

**Fields marked in gray must be completed if the information is known.**

**\*\*\*Be sure to read the Agreement and sign on the reverse. No form will be processed without your signature!**

**Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site at:**

[www.akc.org/fetch](http://www.akc.org/fetch)

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, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event 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 of loss, injury or damage to this dog.

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, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

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

**SIGN HERE**

**X:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of Emergency – Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_