ENTRIES OPEN: February 20, 2024,, at 8:00 a.m. (EST)

At 87 Pecan Course Circle, Ocala, FL 34472
Entries Received Prior to OPENING DATE will not be accepted.
Please mark OVERNIGHT ENTRIES no signature required

ENTRIES CLOSE: April 19, 2024, at 6 p.m. (EST)

Method of Entry is First Received

Envelopes/transactions cannot have entries for more than 10 dogs maximum

Premium List for Event #s: Fri: 2024123807, Sat: 2024123808; Sun: 2024123809

Valdosta Kennel Club

(LICENSED BY THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB)



FRIDAY-SATURDAY-SUNDAY May 3-5, 2024

These events are accepting entries for dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

Reed Bingham State Park

542 Reed Bingham Rd., Adel, GA 31620

OUTDOORS ON GRASS, 1 Ring, 1 Judge, Ring size: 110 x 110 ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO 270 RUNS TOTAL

Show Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Measuring or Wicketing of Dogs will begin at 7:15 am

Judges' Briefing will begin at 7:45 am - Judging will commence at 8:00 am



CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under AKC Rules and Regulations.

Gina Dinardo, Secretary

CLUB OFFICERS

President	Jason Griner
Vice President	Sandy Miles
Treasurer	
Secretary	Jim Hill

Event Committee:

Maureen Koepp, Jim Hill, Peter Strand, Sandy Miles, Kim Lee, Foley Harper, Jennifer Bauder-Heidt, and other club members to be appointed as needed.

Trial Chairman	Maureen Koepp
3586 Knights Mill Dr, Valdosta, GA 31	605
(813)609-9557	email: mkoepp242@gmail.com
Trial Secretary	Jacqui O'Neill
87 Pecan Course Circle, Ocala, FL 34	
(570)594-7922	email: barc4agility@gmail.com

JUDGE

Leslie Gregory (104663)
Canton, GA
All Days

DIRECTIONS

Take Exit 39 from I-75 in Adel, GA. Go West on GA 37 towards Moultrie. In approximately 6 miles turn right onto Evergreen Church Rd. In approximately 0.5 mile take a left and follow the road to Reed Bingham State Park. Once passing through the gate, follow the road to the right. The trial will be across from the playground.

VETERINARIAN

("On Call")

Baytree Animal Hospital, 1619 Baytree Rd., Valdosta, GA, 31602 (229)244-5052

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

Obstacles will conform to the requirements in the current edition of the AKC Regulations For Agility Trials.

NEW 26" TUNNELS

PARKING FEE

There is a \$5 parking fee which covers the entire weekend. See the trial secretary to pay and receive your pass.

SETUP

Exhibitors can setup on Thursday after noon.

JUDGING PROGRAM

Excellent, Masters and Preferred classes will run together. Electronic timing will be used at this trial.

Friday	Saturday	Sunday		
ALL FAST	PREM JWW	T2B		
PREM STD	M/EX JWW	M/EX STD		
M/EX STD	OPEN JWW	OP STD		
OP STD	NOV JWW	NOV STD		
NOV STD	PREM STD	PREM JWW		
M/EX JWW	M/EX STD	M/EX JWW		
OP JWW OPEN STD		OPEN JWW		
NOV JWW	NOV STD	NOV JWW		
Small to tall	Tall to small	Small to tall		
Thanks for coming – drive safe!				

PLEASE READ TRIAL SITE RULES CAREFULLY

Information contained in this premium takes precedence over information from any other publication.

MAKE ALL CHECKS & MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO VKC

ENTRY FEE: \$24.00 for the first entry of a dog; \$14.00 for each additional entry for the same dog on the same day.

(Includes a \$3.50 AKC recording for first run and \$3.00 for each additional run.) Envelopes/transactions cannot have entries for more than 10 dogs maximum.

Make all checks payable to VKC and mail with entries to:

Jacqui O'Neill, Trial Secretary 87 Pecan Course Circle, Ocala, FL 34472

******IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION******

OPENING DATE: February 20, 2024, 8 am.

CLOSING DATE: April 19, 2024, 6 pm, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules and in Chapter 1, Section 13 of the AKC Agility Trial Rules and Regulations.

CANCELLATION OF ENTRIES BEFORE CLOSING: Entries cancelled before closing will not be charged any processing fees. Entry checks will be shredded.

REFUNDS: There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date in the event a dog and/or handler are injured, absent, or dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of management it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refund of entry fee will be made. If a waitlist exists, and your entry could be replaced, then a full refund would be given for the runs that can be replaced, no fees taken.

BITCHES IN SEASON are not eligible to participate. Entry fees will be refunded subject to a \$5.00/day processing fee. Written verification from a veterinarian is required. Notification for refund of bitches in season must be RECEIVED no later than one half hour prior to the start of the first day the dog is entered. Requests can be mailed to the trial secretary or emailed to barc4agility@gmail.com as well as handed in person at the trial before the deadline noted above.

THERE IS NO FOOD VENDOR ON SITE.

HOTELS

Days Inn	(229) 896-4574 0
Hampton Inn	(229) 896-3099
1500 W. 4 th St, Adel, GA 3162 Super 8	(229) 896-2244
1103 W. 4 th St, Adel, GA 3162	,

Please contact the hotels for their pet policy and rates. Information may have changed after publication of this premium, we cannot be held liable for this. Please do not leave your pet alone in the room and clean up after them at all times. Reports of barking dogs left unattended in the hotel OR OTHER BEHAVIOR DEEMED INAPPROPRIATE BY THE HOTEL MANAGEMENT MAY be subject to a bench hearing.

RV reservations must be made through the park. They are within walking distance of the trial.

Reed Bingham State Park.....(229) 896-3551

ONLINE ENTRIES

This trial is accepting online entries through **LabTestedOnline.com**. Go to http://www.labtestedonline.com to create a user account and add your dogs.

Then look for the trial on your My Local Events page or search by state for (state). Click on the "i" information icon to the right of the club's name to create your entry.

During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows: 50 runs online, 300 runs paper each day. 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.

JUMP HEIGHT CARDS

You are no longer required to send a copy of your dog's height card/form with your entry. However, please check the box on the entry form that states you need to be measured if this is necessary. Remember, it is your responsibility to carry your permanent card and or measurement form with you as proof of your dog's height. If you need to have your dog measured, this must be done **BEFORE** you run! (*Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 2, Section 4*)

TRIAL SITE RULES

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG. If you are caught not cleaning up after your dog(s) you may be asked to leave the site – no refunds will be given.

ALL DOGS ARE TO BE EITHER ON LEASH OR CONTAINED IN A SECURE LOCATION AT ALL TIMES UNLESS THEY ARE IN THE RING. PER AKC RULES NO DOGS ARE TO BE RUNNING FREE ON THE ENTIRE PREMISES UNLESS THEY ARE IN THE RING. THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED AND THOSE FOUND IN VIOLATION ARE SUBJECT TO BEING ASKED TO LEAVE WITHOUT ANY REFUNDS

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 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 paid will be made.

MOVE UPS

As per Chapter 1, Section 20, American Kennel Club Regulation for Agility Trials, dogs may be moved up to a higher class, at the request of the Owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title. Dogs so moved up will be entered at the end of the running order or otherwise at the secretary's or Judges discretion.

EMAILED MOVEUPS: When emailing a moveup please provide the following information: TRIAL NAME, Owner Name. Dog Call Name, Move up for what days (Saturday, Sunday, etc.), Moving from, Moving to (PLEASE include STD or JWW).

NOVICE MOVEUPS: <u>Dogs or Handlers having attained ANY AKC Agility Title</u> <u>must be moved to the Nov B Classes</u>. PLEASE LET US KNOW AS SOON AS YOU REALISE THAT A CHANGE IS NEED. This request must be made in writing at least 30 minutes before the start of the trial. This request must state the reason and justification for the change from Novice A to Novice B. <u>The dog can also be moved up a level</u> (Nov to Open) at the request of the owner subject to the normal move-up criteria.

Before the trial Move ups may be made prior to the moveup deadline via email to barc4agility@gmail.com or in writing to Jacqui O'Neill, trial secretary, 87 Pecan Course Circle, Ocala, FL 34472. Verbal move ups cannot be accepted.

Move ups for the first day are due in writing (email or snail mail) by <u>Monday at 6 pm</u> the week of the trial. <u>Day-to-Day Move ups</u> must be submitted in writing <u>at the trial</u> within ½ hour of the last run of the trial day for the following day(s) and cannot be conveyed via fax, email, or verbally to the trial secretary.

PRIZES

FIRST PLACE	Blue Ribbon
SECOND PLACE	Red Ribbon
THIRD PLACE	Yellow Ribbon
FOURTH PLACE	
QUALIFYING	

A Bar and Rosette will also be awarded for any team earning their Master Agility Championship.

All awards not picked up by the exhibitor(s) become the property of the club

CLASSES AND DIVISIONS

Class	Levels Offered in Standard, JWW and T2B Classes
Regular	Novice A & B, Open, Excellent, Masters, Premier
Preferred	Novice, Open, Excellent, Masters, Premier

Please see the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for current class descriptions. Dogs must be entered only in Regular Classes or Preferred Classes with no crossover between them allowed at the same set of trials.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS				
REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS		
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.		
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers		
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers		
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers		
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers		
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers. Regular Dogs may not be entered in this height if they are 22 inches and under.		
24C"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches and under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.		

****TRIAL REGULATIONS FOR EXHIBITORS***

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ENTRIES will be made as soon as entries are processed. Acknowledgment of entries will include confirmation notices.

CONSULT FINAL CONFIRMATION FOR TIME OF JUDGING AND SCHEDULE.

DOGS This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) 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), AKC Canine Partners listing number (if the trial-giving club is offering the option of Canine Partners entries. See front page of the premium for that information), or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. All American dogs that have been listed with AKC Canine Partners may participate if the trial-giving club is offering the option of mixed breed entries and provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry form. 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 or deaf 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. Puppies under four months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

DOGS MAY ARRIVE any time prior to judging, otherwise, they must be available for measuring before their class begins.

ENTRIES NOT ON OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORMS OR PHOTOCOPIES OF ENTRY FORMS without the Agreement and Rules attached to the Official AKC Entry Form are NOT ACCEPTABLE.

ENTRIES RECEIVED WITHOUT FEES will not be accepted.

ENTRY FEES shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of Trial Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management, it is impossible to open or to complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.

ERRORS ON ENTRY BLANKS-Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after trial has closed.

FAX, TELEPHONE AND UNSIGNED ENTRIES cannot be accepted.

JUDGES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR DOGS. If you are not present when it is your turn, you will be marked absent. Please be at the line on time!

MOVE-UPS – The deadline for move-ups for the trial is 6pm on the Monday before the trial. Day to day move-ups are accepted for up to ½ hour after completion of the last run.

NO ENTRY SHALL BE MADE AND NO ENTRY SHALL BE ACCEPTED, WHICH SPECIFIES ANY CONDITIONS AS TO ITS ACCEPTANCE.

RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee. A charge of \$25.00 will be made for each returned check.

TRIAL COMMITTEE will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, nor assume any liability in the event of an accident or misfortune to either dogs or exhibitors participating in this show.

WALKTHROUGHS – will be determined by the final confirmation.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

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.

Fix and Go On (FNG)

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. Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the run.

Entering for Exhibition Only (FEO)

(Competitor note – by publishing this information, it informs you that the club is offering this at the event.)

FEO allows exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only offered in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog 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. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).
- Toys are allowed in the ring:

- Toys must be non-audible
- Toys may not leave the handler's hand
- Toys that roll freely cannot be used
- Food/treats are not allowed in the ring
- 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.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Worker sign-up at the trial.
Food, beverages and vouchers in exchange for your help.
Thank you in advance – without volunteers we couldn't have agility!

Paper maps will be available at the trial.

Premiums, confirmations, running orders
(after move-ups are processed) and
results will be posted to
www.barc4agility.com

Individual results will be emailed to each competitor after the trial.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Valdosta Kennel Club

Day of Wk	Actual Date	STD	JWW	T2B	FAST	Prem STD	Prem JWW
FRIDAY	5-3-24			N/A			N/A
SATURDAY	5-4-24			N/A	N/A		
SUNDAY	5-5-24				N/A	N/A	

Class Fee \$_24/14 each additional run, same dog, same day

Opening Date: Feb 20, 2024 Closing Date: April 19, 2024 6 pm Checks made out to: VKC

Mail to: Jacqui O'Neill, Trial Sec., 87 Pecan Course Circle, Ocala, FL 34472

IMPORTANT : CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS
DEFORE FILLING OUT

16"

NovB

NovB

NovB

8" 12"

STD NovA

FAST

HANDLER

NovA

NovA

ENTRY FEE	Φ.
ENCLOSED	Þ

12"

PREFERRED Classes

16" 20"

NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP PremierP

NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP PremierP

ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

AEAGL2 (10/17)

NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

REGULAR Classes

20" 24" 24C"

Open Exc

Open Exc Master

Open Exc Master Premier

Master

Premier

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

JWW

T2B T2B	T2B T2B	P		
]STD □JW			
This Dog Needs To Be Measured Yes No	SEX	ĺ	HEIGHT AT WITHERS	
	/ARIETY		CALL NAME	
AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)			<u> </u>	
AKC® NO ☐ Enter Complete Registrat	tion # below	DATE OF BIRT	TH	
ILP NO. PAL NO.		PLACE OF BIF	RTH (LIST COUNTRY)	
FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY BREEDER				
SIRE				
DAM				
ACTUAL OWNERS				
OWNERS ADDRESS				NEW
ADDRESS CITY, STATE ZIP + 4				

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

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

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, 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 for 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 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.

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 tilling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes must compete at the required jump height and may not compete in a jump height division higher or 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. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their doods) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partnerssm 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. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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

SIGN HERE X		
Telephone Number:		
Email Address:		□New Email
In Case of Emergency - Name:	Phone#:	