



presents our 7th Annual AAC sanctioned

H. Lyle Brown Memorial Trial September 12, 13 & 14, 2008

Our Distinguished Judges:

**Christine Woodley
Gloria Mitchell**

Outdoors at the Kelowna Dog Sport Centre
At the Red Barn 3345 Bulman Rd. Kelowna BC.
Running Surface: Grass/Turf
The trial will go ahead rain or shine

**Entries must be postmarked no later than
Friday August 22th, the closing date.**

This is a Limited Entry Trial

Individual entries **ONLY** will be accepted.

An Electronic Timer will be used

INFORMATION

Dog Height Divisions

<u>Dog Height at withers</u>	<u>Height Division</u>
12" or Less.....	10"
Over 12" but under 16" (inclusive)	16"
Over 16" but under 21" (inclusive)	22"
Over 21"	26"

Ribbons and Prizes

There will be ribbons for 1st through 4th placing and qualifiers in each jump height category. Various other gifts and prizes will be awarded throughout the weekend.

Notice to Exhibitors

No refunds except in the case of an injury to a dog or a bitch in season. In such a case a veterinary certificate is required. Under these circumstances \$10.00 will be withheld to cover postage and handling.

Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of AAC Rules and Regulations, including, but not limited to, the following:

This event is held under AAC Rules and Regulations and is open to all dogs being at least 18 months of age, purebred or mixed breed, except bitches in season, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance, or dogs showing signs of aggression.

Obstacles shall be chosen from those described in the current edition of the rules and regulations of the AAC and shall conform to AAC specifications. **A breakaway tire will be used.**

No leads, collar, food, toys, or any other aids or devices shall be permitted on course at any time; this includes obstacle familiarization.

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 be asked to leave the show grounds. In such cases, no refund of fees will be paid.

All dogs must be kept in their ex pen or crate or on leash when not in the ring. All dogs must be in control when leaving the ring after their run. Any dog engaging in aggressive or out-of-control behavior upon exit of the ring will be disqualified and / or be required to leave the show grounds. In such cases, no refund of fees will be paid.

There will be no refunds, cancellations or changes after the closing date, except for bitches in season and move-ups as per AAC regulations.

Veterinarian on call list provided at check-in.

Class Changes

A dog that has entered a trial and subsequently earns a title shall be permitted to move up in class, as long as the Trial Secretary is notified at least ONE WEEK prior to the trial date.

Same day move-ups will be allowed. Class Move-up Forms will be available. Please complete them immediately after **THE COMPLETION of each event.**

Food

There will be **No concession** on site. There are several food outlets such as Tim Hortons within a couple of kilometers of the site.

Directions

From the North: on Highway 97 you will pass the airport and the turnoff to the University of British Columbia – Okanagan and then go over an overpass. Immediately after the overpass, turn East (left) onto Hereron Road. Turn North (left) almost immediately onto Bulman Road. You will see a sign telling you about golf courses. Watch for the Kelowna Dog Sport Centre sign on the right. Turn right and drive down to the red barn and park on the North side.

From the South/West: Travel through Kelowna on Highway 97 and as you are leaving the city turn right just before the overpass onto Hereron Road. You will notice signs for golf courses as well. Turn North (left) almost immediately onto Bulman Road. You will see signs telling you about golf courses. Watch for the Kelowna Dog Sport Centre sign on the right. Turn right and drive down to the red barn and park on the North Side.

Please only exercise your dogs in designated areas around the barn. Do not make any contact with the turf. Thank-you.

Accommodations

There is limited overnight parking on site. Costs are \$10.00 / night. Please call or email to reserve. 250-769-5937. There are several hotels within five minutes of the site. Please contact the trial secretary for a list if required: marcia3000@shaw.ca

AAC ID Cards

If your dog does not have an AAC ID card, please order it yourself before the trial. All dogs **MUST** have an ID card to compete in AAC events. Registration forms can be downloaded at the AAC website (www.aac.ca) or copied from the On Course newsletter.

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Classes Offered

2 Standard, Starters, Advanced, and Masters
2 Gambler, Starters, Advanced, and Masters
2 Snooker, Starters, Advanced, and Masters
2 Team Relay for Starters, Advanced, and Masters
1 Steeplechase Open to all levels

Tentative Order of Classes

Friday September 12, Steeplechase,

Saturday, September 13

Standard 1, Standard 2, Team 1, Team 2

Sunday, September 14

Gambler 1, Gambler 2, Snooker1, Snooker 2

Check-in Friday, September 12 – 4:00
Saturday & Sunday – 7:00 a.m.

Dog Measurement 4:15 Friday
7:15 – 7:45 Saturday, Sunday

FIRST DOG ON THE START LINE 5:00 pm
Friday 8:00 am Saturday, Sunday

Obstacle Familiarization Starters only
Friday Sept 12 – 4:00 pm

Fees

Weekend package (2 standard, 7 games) \$ 115.00
Individual classes..... \$14.00

Entries MUST be postmarked on or before
Friday August 22, 2008

No phoned, faxed, e-mailed or hand-delivered entries will be accepted. Individual entries only. Confirmation slips will be forwarded after closing date

Trial Chair

Adele McNiven email: whippetgood@shaw.ca
phone: 250-765-6247

Trial Secretary

Marcia Browne email: marcia3000@shaw.ca
phone: 250-769-5937

Please make cheques payable to: **C.O.D.A.C.**
Cheques will be cashed after the closing date. Mail entries to:

Marcia Browne
919 Skyline Road
Kelowna, B.C. V1Z 1J6

Agility Class Descriptions

Regular Classes – These classes are open to all dogs, 18 months of age or older, as described within the current rules of the Agility Association of Canada.

Special Classes – These classes are open to all dogs but are intended for dogs that are of a size or stature which limits their jumping ability. A dog may no longer compete in standard classes after being entered at an official trial in any Special class, except that they may move to Veterans.

Veteran Classes – These classes shall be for dogs seven years of age or older that are currently competing in any Standard Agility Class and for dogs five years of age or older who have competed in the Specials Agility Class for a minimum of one calendar year.

Starters Standard Class – The Starters Class shall be for dogs not having earned the Agility Dog of Canada (ADC) title. Dogs completing the course with three clear rounds, as defined by the Rules and Regulations, shall be awarded the ADC title.

Starters Games Classes – The Starters Games Classes are open to all dogs that have not earned a qualifying score in a particular game. However, if at the time of entry to this trial, a dog has earned at least one (1) qualifying score in a particular Starters level game or an ADC title, the dog must be entered in the Advanced Games classes for a particular game.

Advanced Games Classes: The Advanced Games Classes open to dogs that have earned one (1) qualifying score in a particular starters level game but have not earned two (2) qualifying scores for a particular Advanced level game under two different judges or who, prior to January 1, 2005 have completed an ADC.

Master Games Class: The Master Games Classes are open to dogs that have earned two (2) qualifying scores at the Advanced level for a particular game, or who, prior to January 1, 2005 earned one (1) or more qualifying scores in a particular Advanced level game.

Gambler's Class – This game demonstrates the handler's strategy and the dog's ability to work at a distance from the handler. The object of the game is to accumulate as many points as possible during the Opening Sequence and successfully complete the Gamble.

Snooker Class – This game demonstrates the handler and dog's versatility as they work together against the clock. The object of this game is to accumulate as many points by successfully completing as many obstacles as possible in the prescribed order within time.

Team Relay Class – This game demonstrates team spirit, strategy and sportsmanship. The course shall follow course guidelines for the relevant titling class. Each dog/handler team shall run one section of the course.

Steeplechase Class – This class is designed to demonstrate the dog's ability to run and jump at high speeds while maintaining control on the A-Frame and weave poles. To qualify the dog must complete the course with a combined time-plus-faults score equal to or less than the SCT. This class is open to all dog at all levels but is run in accordance with the rules and regulations as defined in Master Standard.

All obstacles conform to AAC specifications for official AAC events

H . Lyle Brown Memorial Trial
Central Okanagan Dog Agility Club
Official Trial Entry Form
September 12, 13 & 14, 2008

For Office Use Only
Date R'vd _____
Paid _____
dogs _____
Parking _____

Please use one entry form for each dog.

Dog Identification

Note: Please copy the information for this section exactly as it appears on your AAC ID card.

Dog's Call Name _____

Dog's Registered Name _____

AAC Registration # _____

Breed _____

Date of Birth _____

Height at Withers _____

Jump Height 6" 10" 16" 22" 26"

Is your dog: Regular Special Veteran

Owner/Handler Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ Prov _____ PC _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail: _____

Handler (if other than owner) _____

Membership with which club? (if applicable)

Team Relay Partner(s)

Random Draw

Handler _____

Dog _____

Handler _____

Dog _____

Check at the registration table for sign up

sheets for: Timer, Bar Setter, Gate Keeper, Scribe and Course Builder. We need your help, thanks!

Check the classes you wish to enter & circle the level.

Friday

Steeplechase

Saturday

Standard 1 Starters Advanced Masters

Standard 2 Starters Advanced Masters

Team 1 Starters Advanced Masters

Team 2 Starters Advanced Masters

Sunday

Gambler 1 Starters Advanced Master

Gambler 2 Starters Advanced Master

Snooker 1 Starters Advanced Master

Snooker 2 Starters Advanced Master

Entry Fees:

Individual Classes **\$14.00**

Weekend Package

(2 standard, 7 games) **\$115.00**

Overnight Parking **\$10.00 per night**

Call 250 769-5937 to reserve

Total Entry Fees \$ _____

Cheques are payable to C.O.D.A.C.

Mail Entries To:

**Marcia Browne
919 Skyline Rd
Kelowna B.C. V1Z 1J6**

Is there a chance you may earn your **MADC, ATChC, Bronze, Silver, or Gold** at this trial?

Please circle the one you are close to achieving.

**AGILITY ASSOCIATION OF CANADA
GENERAL AGREEMENT**

I/We, the undersigned, agree that the Host Club has the right to refuse my entry for causes, which the organizing committee shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and the holding of the event and the opportunity to have the dog participate or, be judged.

I/We agree to hold the organizing committee, the organization which it represents, including its members, officers and directors, the Agility Association of Canada, sponsors of the event, owners of the premises upon which the event is being held and their employees, harmless from any claims for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any persons or thing by the act of this dog(s) while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near entrances thereto, and I/We further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog(s) by disappearance, theft, death, or otherwise and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog(s), whether such loss, disappearance, theft or otherwise be caused by or alleged to be caused by negligence if the parties aforementioned, or by negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

I/We hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 damages because bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting thereof, 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, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner of the dog entered hereon.

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/We have read, understand and will abide by the Official Rules and Regulations of the Agility Association of Canada, Inc. in effect at the time of this entry, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the Agility Trial Schedule for this event.

I/We certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and General Agreement/ Disclaimer.

I/We agree to conduct myself/ourselves in accordance with such official Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accordance with them.

Signature: _____

Handlers under age 18, parent or guardian must sign general agreement.

Date: _____

Entry is NOT valid unless signed, dated and submitted with correct fees, by closing date. Confirmation slips will be forwarded after closing date.

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