

Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta
Monday, July 12th to Wednesday, July 14th, 2021
CKC Agility Trials
EXHIBITOR INFORMATION



*****PLEASE READ THIS INFORMATION CAREFULLY*****

Holding a trial during the COVID-19 pandemic requires many changes. When you enter, you signify you have read and agreed to the information published here AND any updated or changed information that may follow from the club and/or trial secretary. We will be strictly following all Federal, Provincial and Local guidelines regarding holding public events.

Location

Go to www.wetnoses.ca Click on CONTACT for map and directions. A full map is also in the Premium List. It is strongly advised that you PRINT THE MAPS to this venue well ahead of the event.

Along with the large Wet Noses Sign visible in the driveway from highway 24, there is a 25 foot Canadian Flag as well as a Wet Noses flag just before the canal bridge. Please drive slowly and take caution if passing, as shoulders are steep.

Check In

All Exhibitors MUST check in with the show secretary PRIOR to unloading any dogs or gear. ALL Guests MUST have a signed waiver. Masks are mandatory when social distancing is not possible, they will NOT be required when you are running your dog. Anyone ringside must sit/stand 6 feet from the nearest "Cohort group" or be wearing a mask.

MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED WHEN COURSE WALKING!

ALL exhibitors and Guests MUST do the at home self-assessment (last page in this schedule) prior to coming to the trial each day. Please stay at home if you do not pass the Self-Assessment. Check-in ONCE for the weekend.

Monday check in is from 7:00 am onward. Trial instructions and Judge's briefing will take place at 7:45 am. Walk through is immediately following the judges briefing. First dog on the line immediately following walkthrough. We will be starting with PAD on Monday.

Tuesday and Wednesday check in is from 7:15 am. Trial instructions and Judge's briefing will take place at 7:45 am. Walk through will follow judges briefing. First dog on the line immediately following walkthrough.

We have a designated Course Building Team to minimize the number of people who are touching the contact equipment, therefore we will be running Tall to Small all weekend.

Facility

FREE Wifi On Site Password: runclean

Food

There is a Food Truck arranged for the trial called "Hunger Paynes".

Dog Treats and Food will be available in the store. Dehydrated and RAW in stock.

We do have a few kiddie pools and misters to help cool off the dogs, but please come prepared to keep yourselves and your dogs cool!!!

Camping

RV and Trailer Parking is designated as North of the standard agility ring 1 behind the large white C-Can facing the ring.
No reservation required.

Cost is \$20 per night Cash Only. Please provide payment in the Wet Noses Store or in the Drop Box upon arrival, prior to parking, **in an envelope, marked clearly with your contact information – and RV UNIT INFO AND LICENSE PLATE #.**

No services - a hose with cold clean water will be available. Please be prepared to be fully self-sufficient.

Motor home generators must be vented upward, and as a courtesy to your fellow campers, generators will need to be turned off between the hours of 11:00 pm and 6:00 am. Ground is uneven; arrive prepared to level your unit. Showers will not be available.

Benching

PLEASE CHECK IN WITH TRIAL SECRETARY PRIOR TO unloading any dogs or gear. FREE on site benching and tenting. Open **from 7:00am Monday**. There will be no driving on the field to set up. Prepare to bring a dolly or cart to assist in moving your equipment. Please maintain appropriate social distancing (6 feet / 2 Metres) between benching areas. Your tent may be set up in the **shaded tree area** along the canal.

There will be a porta-potty available on site

Training and Equipment Familiarization

Practice prior to the start of the trial, the agility rings and equipment can be booked online for drop in training at www.wetnoses.ca !

Photographer

We are pleased to have the unique artwork of Chipperfield Photography on site again this year!!! Private photo sessions are available by appointment, during this event, to capture your dogs unique personality, *please see flyer in Premium List*. We are very grateful to Jennifer for her very generous donations to help make these trials successful!!! Don't miss out, book ahead!!! www.chipperfieldphotography.com

Please Note: Jennifer is EXCELLENT at capturing images without distracting dogs. If you have any concerns with your dog, please simply let her know before your run. She will happily relocate.

Move Up's and Day of entries

We will be doing move ups BETWEEN each trial each day – so there are same day move ups allowed. We are taking Day of entries for Tuesday and Wednesday if we have not hit our 300/day run limit per judge. The Trial is FULL on Monday so there will be no day of entries allowed on Monday.

Important Rules

There will be no off leash activity allowed on the premises except in designated areas only to be noted during briefing. Dogs must be under control. Please be courteous to fellow exhibitors while exercising or swimming so you are not distracting to dogs running in the rings.

Picking up after your dog and yourself is totally your responsibility. There will be waste containers available on site for dog droppings, regular waste and recycled waste. Please use them – there is zero tolerance for waste left behind.

If you are leaving any dog on the grounds for any reason, please leave your contact information highly visible at your camping/benching area.

Wet Noses Inc. is a designated non-smoking area. No open fires are allowed on site – it is a rural facility and as such has limited water resources to fight grass fires – please take care as the grass/fields are dry.

The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta and Wet Noses Inc. will not be responsible for the loss or injury to any dog, person or vehicle/belongings whether the result of an accident or other cause during the trial weekend.

Veterinarian

Sundance Vet Clinic - 35 Sunmills Dr SE - 403-254-9698

Fish Creek - 15311 Bannister Road SE - 403-873-1700

Alpine 24 hour Pet Hospital – 5707 Macleod Trail SW - 403-212-4008

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COVID-19 Requirements

General Required Practices

1. RMWHCA members, judges and exhibitors are required to follow Federal, Provincial, Local and facility guidelines as presented below. Any changes in guidelines between the posting of this Judging Schedule and the starting of each trial will also be followed.
2. Social distancing must be practiced if not wearing a mask. Maintain a distance of 6 feet / 2 Meters or more unless individuals are part of a family unit.
3. Masks are recommended unless running a dog in a class. Masks are provided by exhibitors for their personal use. **MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED WHEN COURSE WALKING!**
4. Exhibitors may consider wearing disposable or washable gloves unless running a dog in a class.
5. There will be plenty of hand sanitizer around the facility for personal use and sanitizer will be provided in the porta-potty
6. Wash hands as frequently as possible. Disinfect gate latches, if touched.
7. No handshakes or hugging.
8. Do not touch dogs that are not your own.
9. Bring your own pen/pencil. No common use pencils, pens or markers will be available.
10. Benching spaces should be at least 6 feet / 2 Meters apart. The benching space should be used for each exhibitor or "family" of exhibitors.
11. As you park at Wetnoses, leave sufficient space between vehicles to allow for effective social distancing.

Information applicable to all participants

1. Due to a change in the Alberta Health Guidelines: spectators are now allowed at the trial, however they must check in with the trial secretary and fill out a Covid Waiver.
2. Course maps will not be available in printed form. Course maps will be posted in multiple locations and exhibitors may take snapshots (one exhibitor at a time maintaining social distancing). Do not cross floor lines or barriers that indicate 6-Foot / 2 Meter distances.
3. There will be no self-serve ribbons. Ribbons may be requested from the trial secretary who will arrange the delivery of your ribbons.
4. The trial secretary's designated space will be considered sacred ground. Please either wear a mask to speak with the trial secretary or respect the 6 Feet / 2 Meter perimeter to protect the trial secretary. Anyone who violates the space of the trial secretary will be asked to leave the trial grounds and may not return for the duration of the trials. No refunds for entries will be provided in this instance.
5. Wristbands will be handed out to everyone (exhibitors, volunteers, and spectators) when the Covid Waiver has been signed and handed into the secretary. Please keep these on for the duration of the trial.

Trial Practices

1. Each exhibitor will provide a completed waiver of liability for RMWHCA and Wetnoses. Waivers will be given to the trial secretary as part of your entry package on or before the first morning of the trials. No one will be allowed to participate who has not completed the required waiver. Day of Entries will be accepted but must include an accompanying waiver.
2. Anyone exhibiting COVID symptoms will be asked to leave the trial grounds and will not be allowed to return.
3. It is recommended all exhibitors wear a mask except when running a dog in a class.
4. The gate board will be available near the rings for exhibitors to view. **DO NOT TOUCH THE BOARD**, any changes in running order **must be** made by the gate steward.
5. A 6 Feet / 2 Meter buffer will be marked around the gate steward. Once the gate board is at the ring entrance, the gate steward is the only person allowed to touch the board.
6. Leashes will be moved to the Exit area using a sanitized "picker" tool.
7. Briefings will be done using a microphone and exhibitors are not allowed to enter the ring during briefings.
8. Walk through will be open to all exhibitors in the class, however **MASKS MUST BE WORN WHILE COURSE WALKING**.
9. Results for each event will be posted in a binder in plastic sleeves, please sanitize before and after looking at the binders. Results will also be broadcasted to the email address provided by exhibitors.
10. **MAINTAIN 6 Feet / 2 Meter SPACING** at all times if not wearing your mask.
11. Equipment will be sanitized at the end of each day.
12. Individuals may carry their leash in their pocket but be mindful that the dog must not engage with the leash as a toy, otherwise, you will be excused from the run by the judge for the use of a toy in the ring, unless you have declared your run FFO.

Thank you for entering our trials!!!

We appreciate you abiding by ALL of these instructions
We wish to have a fun and enjoyable Agility Trial for ALL!

CHANGE OF JUDGES

Unfortunately, Brigitte Hole was unable to come and judge at our trial. Sandi Maday has kindly agreed to fill in but will be judging the courses designed by Brigitte. Therefore, all legs at the trial earned by classes judged by Sandi Maday will still be awarded under Brigitte Hole – as per CKC Rule 3.6.2 *“Qualifying scores earned shall be awarded under the name of the judge whose courses were designed and approved.”*

RMWHCA				
Judging Schedule				
July 12 - 14, 2021 at Wet Noses				
Monday July 12				
Walk Through at 8:00 am - 1st dog on the line at 8:15am				
	Judge	# of runs	Ring #	
Novice PAD 1	Sandi Maday	32	1	
Intermediate PAD 1	Sandi Maday	5	1	
Excellent PAD1	Sandi Maday	8	1	
Excellent Standard 1	Sandi Maday	42	1	
Intermediate Standard 1	Sandi Maday	11	1	
Novice Standard 1	Sandi Maday	29	1	
Monday July 12				
Walk through following Novice PAD 1				
	Judge	# of runs	Ring #	
Jumps with Tunnels 1	Sandi Maday	60	2	
JWW Excellent 1	Sandi Maday	32	2	
JWW Intermediate 1	Sandi Maday	6	2	
JWW Novice 1	Sandi Maday	40	2	
Steeplechase 1	Sandi Maday	35	2	
Tuesday July 13				
	Judge	# of runs	Ring #	
Walk through following Jumps and Tunnels 2				
Novice Standard 2	Sandi Maday	46	1	
Intermediate Standard 2	Sandi Maday	11	1	
Excellent Standard 2	Sandi Maday	32	1	
Excellent Standard 3	Kiersten Lloyd	30	1	
Intermediate Standard 3	Kiersten Lloyd	10	1	
Novice Standard 3	Kiersten Lloyd	36	1	
Tuesday July 13				
	Judge	# of runs	Ring #	
Walk through at 7:45 - 1st Dog to start at 8am				
Jumps with Tunnels 2	Kiersten Lloyd	61	2	
Excellent JWW 2	Kiersten Lloyd	34	2	
Intermediate JWW 2	Kiersten Lloyd	7	2	
Novice JWW 2	Kiersten Lloyd	43	2	
Novice JWW 3	Sandi Maday	39	2	
Intermediate JWW 3	Sandi Maday	6	2	
Excellent JWW 3	Sandi Maday	31	2	
Wednesday July 14				
	Judge	# of runs	Ring #	
Walk through following Jumps and Tunnels 4				
Excellent Standard 4	Kiersten Lloyd	32	1	
Intermediate Standard 4	Kiersten Lloyd	7	1	
Novice Standard 4	Kiersten Lloyd	37	1	
Steeplechase 4	Kiersten Lloyd	27	1	
Wednesday July 14				
	Judge	# of runs	Ring #	
Walk through at 7:45 - 1st Dog to start at 8am				
Jumps with Tunnels 4	Sandi Maday	57	2	
Novice JWW 4	Sandi Maday	35	2	
Intermediate JWW 4	Sandi Maday	5	2	
Excellent JWW 4	Sandi Maday	26	2	