

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON **Friday, December 15, 2017 @ 8 am** 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 **Friday, February 2, 2018 @ 11 pm** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

PREMIUM LIST

AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS

This Event is Accepting Entries for All American Dog Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program SM

OIL PATCH AGILITY CLUB OF WEST TEXAS

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



February 16, 2018 Event # 2018622701

February 17, 2018 Event # 2018622702

February 18, 2018 Event # 2018622703

ACE Arena

1441 Texas 176, Andrews, TX 79714(432) 524-5730

ENTRY LIMITS

350 runs per day

Indoors, climate controlled, packed dirt surface, 100' x 110'

Trial Hours:

Friday – 11:00am to 1 hr after conclusion

Saturday & Sunday – 7:00am to 1 hr after conclusion

Judge: Jan Chamberlain

Lemon Grove, CA



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 OPAC

President..... Ralph Johnson
Vice President..... Kathy Neeper
Secretary..... Karin Parker
Treasurer..... Laurie Williams

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Laurie Williams 4108 Cynthia Drive Midland, TX 79705 (432) 413-2076-c lauriemw@sbcglobal.net	Beth Johnson 3500 Edgemont Midland, TX 79707 (432) 352-3841-c opac_ts@suddenlink.net

EVENT COMMITTEE

Event Committee: Laurie Williams, Catherine Clifton, Kathy Neeper, Ralph Johnson, Karin Parker, Cheryl Shutt & all available OPAC members

JUDGE AND ASSIGNMENTS

Jan Chamberlain

2183 Berry St., Lemon Grove, CA 91945-3515

Friday: All Levels of FAST, All Levels Std & JWW
Saturday: All Levels of FAST, Premier Std & JWW, All Levels Std & JWW
Sunday: Premier Std & JWW, All Levels Std & JWW
(All Classes Include Preferred)

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

The on-call veterinarian may be contacted at the following clinic:

Andrews Veterinary Clinic

1270 East Highway 176, Andrews, TX 79714

Phone: (432) 523-4355

Clinic located across street from ACE Arena

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police

Andrews County

911

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
All levels FAST	All levels FAST	Premier Standard Premier JWW
All levels Standard & JWW Classes	Premier Standard Premier JWW	All Standard & JWW Classes
Judging begins no earlier than 11 am	Judging starts no earlier than 9am	
All classes include Preferred		

Anticipated running order:

Friday Exc/ FAST, Open FAST, Nov FAST, Exc JWW, Exc Std, Open JWW, Open Std, Nov JWW, Nov Std

Saturday Exc FAST, Open FAST, Nov FAST, Prem JWW, Prem Std, Exc JWW, Exc Std, Open JWW, Open Std, Nov JWW & Nov, Std

Sunday Prem Std, Prem JWW, Exc Std, Exc JWW, Open Std, Open JWW, Nov Std, Nov JWW

Classes will run small to tall each day and will alternate rings.

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

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
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Effective January 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" or 26" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog *before* its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

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), 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. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind 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 (4) months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place indoors, on a packed dirt surface. Minimum ring size will be 100' x 100'. **Rubberized contact equipment will be used.**

ENTRY FEES & INFORMATION

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... \$ 23
 Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)..... \$ 12
 Third entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) \$ 12

E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form.

Mail entry forms and fees to: Beth Johnson, 3500 Edgemont Drive, Midland, TX 79707. Please make checks payable to OPAC. Paper entries received within 24 hours of the opening date & time must: 1) include postage or be metered; 2) be delivered by a multi-state or multi-national postal or carrier service. No entries will be accepted by phone or fax. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Beth Johnson at opac_ts@suddenlink.net. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Online entries: Sign on to your my AKC account (or create one), then go to the AKC Agility Online Entry Services home page at www.akc.org/AgilityEntry and follow the instructions. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows: 50 online entries 280 paper entries (330 runs). If either form of entry (paper or online) has not filled at the end of the 48-hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor with a \$25 service fee. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry.

VOLUNTEERS

A Google Doc will be posted on the internet for volunteers to fill in when/where they can work. A link will be provided to all exhibitors after the schedule is set. We appreciate all volunteers.

Dog breed bans - No known breed-specific bans in the area.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

First Place	Blue
Second Place	Red
Third Place	Yellow
Fourth Place	White
Qualifying Score	Green

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH or PACH rosette and decorated MACH or PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH/PACH title. A dog toy valued at two dollars will be awarded to all dogs that place 1st in their respective height and class.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

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 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 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. OPAC nor ACE Arena 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. OPAC 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 OPAC or any official thereof.

All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

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.

Bitches in season are not permitted to compete or be on the trial grounds. As such, the club will refund entry fees less \$10 paid for bitches unable to compete for this reason upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate. This certificate must be presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial or cluster of trials.

RINGSIDE

Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing 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.

Ample crating space will be available. Crates may be left overnight; however, OPAC and the ACE Arena will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

Concessions **WILL NOT** be available on the site. There are various restaurants and fast food vendors within a very short driving distance. There will be lunch and water provided to all. Exhibitors are welcome to bring in their own food/drinks.

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 Trial 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.

RV Information Call ACE Arena - 432-524-5730 for information. Prices are \$35/night. Spots are first come, first served – no early reservations required. *If you will be arriving late Thursday evening, please let TS know so a spot can be unlocked.* Prices set by the Andrews County Commissioners Court and are reviewed annually on October 1.

HOTEL INFORMATION

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.

NEW!!!!

La Quinta Inn & Suites of Andrews

1021 NE 1st Place, Andrews, TX 79714.....432-223-3140
Check www.lq.com for information

La Quinta Inn & Suites Midland North

2606 North Loop 250 West, Midland, TX 79707..... 432-694-1200

La Quinta Inn & Suites Odessa North

4120 Faudree Road, Odessa, TX 79765..... 432-288-9041

Oakwood Suites

701 S. Main, Andrews, TX 79714.....(432) 355-4313

La Quinta Inn & Suites of Big Spring

1102 IH 20 West, Big Spring, TX 79720..... 432-264-0222

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

MOVE UPS

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, provided that the request is received in writing by the Trial Secretary, no later than 6 pm on the Monday preceding the event. (See the move-up deadline date on the cover of this premium). Day-to-day move ups are allowed provided the Trial Secretary is notified at the show site, in writing within 30 minutes of the last dog completing the course. Forms will be available at the show site.

Please email pre-trial move-up requests to opac_ts@suddenlink.net (Beth Johnson, the trial secretary) on or before the deadline noted on the cover of this Premium.

No form is necessary, but please include the following information:

Your first and last name, Your dog's call name, The class and jump height to which you would like your dog moved.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE : ACE ARENA, 1441 Texas 176, Andrews, TX 79714

From the South: Travel north on US-385N, turn right onto TX-115 S/TX-176 W/W Broadway St/Ranch Rd. 87, destination will be on left.

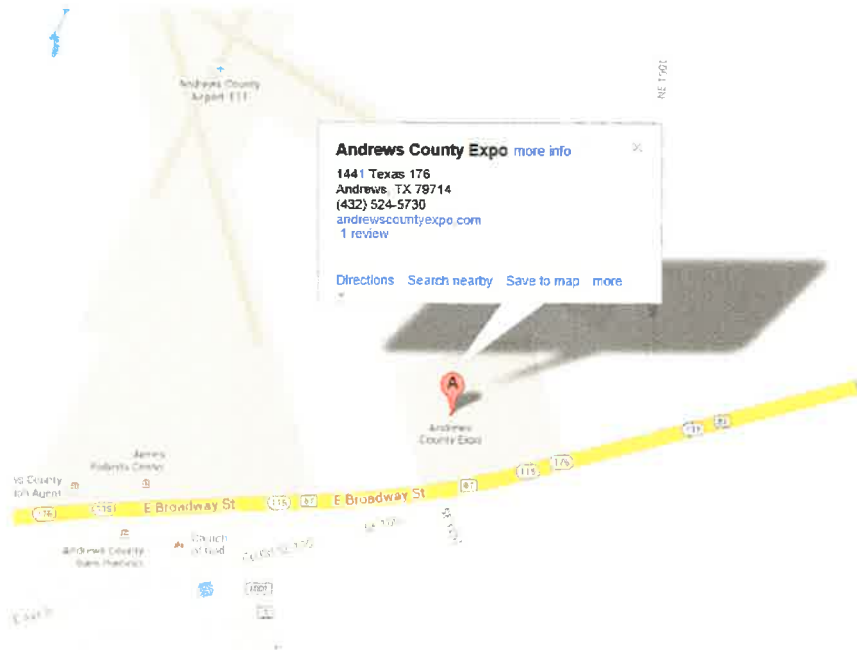
From Lamesa, TX: Travel on TX-349S, slight rt onto TX-115 S/Ranch Rd 703, cont to TX-115 S, destination will be on right.

From Seminole, TX: Travel on US-385 S, turn left onto TX-115 S/TX-176 W/W Broadway St/Ranch Rd 87, destination will be on left.

From Eunice, NM: Travel on NM-176 E/, cont to TX-176 E/Ranch Rd 87, turn left onto TX-115

N/TX-176 E, destination will be left.

From Big Spring, TX: Travel on TX-176 W, destination will be on right once you reach Andrews.



For fillable entry forms, please visit AKC's website:

[http://cdn.akc.org/Agility/AEAGL2_\(0715\)_v8_6_Edit_Extended.pdf](http://cdn.akc.org/Agility/AEAGL2_(0715)_v8_6_Edit_Extended.pdf)

or

www.oaklines.com

MAINTAIN ENTRY INFORMATION ON FILE, PRINT & MAIL

Legible, safe, & no strings attached – highly recommended – check it out!



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Oil Patch Agility Club of West Texas (OPAC)

Opens: 12/15/17 @ 8 am • Closes: 2/2/18 @ 11 pm

Table with columns for dates (Fri. 2/16/18, Sat. 2/17/18, Sun. 2/18/18) and checkboxes for classes (STD, JWW, FAST, PremSTD, PremJWW).

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$23; \$12 each additional run

Make checks payable to: OPAC; Mail to: Beth Johnson, 3500 Edgemont Dr., Midland, TX 79707

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

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

Table with columns for Regular Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and Preferred Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20") and rows for STD, JWW, FAST, T2B.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes [] STD [] JWW

This Dog Needs To Be Measured [] Yes [] No. Fields for SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME.

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

AKC® NO [] Enter Complete Registration # below. DATE OF BIRTH. ILP NO. [] PAL NO. [] PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY). FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY [] BREEDER.

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS [] NEW ADDRESS

CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

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

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.

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.

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 titling classes, but not in a division 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.

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 #: _____