



Agility Spring Up

Non-sanctioned Agility Trial

April 29th– April 30th 2017

Twister Agility Field in Edmond, OK (outdoor on grass)

OPENING DATE: March 27, 2017

CLOSING DATE: April 25, 2017

TRIAL SECRETARY: Heather Rabalais, 1316 Antler Ridge, Tuttle, OK 73089, 405-202-7243, heathermrabalais@yahoo.com

JUDGE

Nancy Dudeck, Guthrie, OK

CLASSES OFFERED

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| Tunnelers | Jumpers |
| Puppy Tunnelers | Standard |
| Tunneler Take All | Gamblers |

AGILITY SPRING UP

Twister's Agility Winter Fest is a non-sanctioned agility event designed to offer a fun outlet for all ages and competition levels. Puppies, who are 6 to 14 months, may enter Puppy Tunnelers class only. Dogs 15 months or older may enter in all classes. There will be 2 skill level divisions: Beginner and Advanced. The Beginner division is for dogs which are just starting to compete or compete within the beginner level of competition in whichever venue you primarily compete in at the time of the closing date. You can use your status in the Standard class as your guide. For example, if you are in Open Jumpers, but Novice Standard, you may enter the beginner division. Advanced division is for dogs competing at the intermediate or master level of competition in their primary venue. Dogs may also enter classes as FEO (For Exhibition Only). If you enter FEO, then you are allowed standard course time, a toy in the ring (no food or clickers please) and runs will not be counted towards placement or prizes.

JUMP HEIGHTS

There will be no official height measurement for this trial. Jump heights will be on the honor system and should be based on whatever height your dog normally jumps at its current venue. If your dog is not currently competing and you are not sure which height to enter, please contact Nancy Dudeck (twisterdogsports@gmail.com). There are no separate class placements for veteran dogs (i.e., if your dog is a 20" inch dog jumping Vet 16", she will be placed with the other 16" dogs). Dogs entering as FEO may enter whatever class height you choose. **Jump Heights offered are 8, 12, 16, 20, 24. A-Frame heights offered 5'6 and 5'0.**

ENTRY FEES

Entry per dog per run is \$10 for tunnelers, puppy tunnelers, jumpers, standard and gamblers if entered by the closing date. Entries will be accepted the day of show, but entry fees will be \$15 per dog per run. **Tunneler Take All runs will be \$15 if entered by closing date and \$20 day of show.** The Flower Power package is all 10 runs for one dog for \$100 if entered by the closing date. Please make checks payable to **Twister Agility** and mail to: Twister Agility Spring Up, c/o Heather Rabalais, 1316 Antler Ridge, Tuttle, OK 73089.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

- Each individual class of the Agility Spring Up will be placed and ribbons awarded 1st through 4th place.
- The Overall Champion from the 2 skill level divisions will receive two agility jumps (Scores count from Tunnelers, Standard, Jumpers, and Gamblers classes. Each dog/handler must enter all 8 classes to be eligible for Overall Awards).
- The Tunneler Take All will not be divided by Beginner and Advanced divisions. Payout will be based on a 3D payout system similar to what is used in barrel horse racing.
- See attached official rules for Tunneler Take All

SCORING

All classes will be judged according to the rules below:

- Classes will be scored as Time Plus Faults (except Gamblers- Points then time)
- Contact up-sides will not be judged.
- Refusals/Run-outs will not be faulted.
- Weave poles will have 24" spacing and contacts will have rubber skins. Contact zones will be set at 36" for the dog walk and teeter and 42" on the A-frame.
- The table will not be used in standard.
- 10 points will be assessed for the following faults per occurrence:
 - knocked bar
 - missed down-side contact
- NQ will be assessed for off courses
- Failure to perform will be assessed 30 penalty points for the first occurrence, elimination for the second.
- Any eliminated runs will be excused from the ring after the expiration of Standard Course Time.
- Overall winners will be determined by adding up each dog's final score in the 8 classes. The dog with the lowest cumulative score wins. **SPECIFIC RULES FOR OVERALL SCORING:** Eliminations and scratches will be assessed a score of 300. For Gamblers, we will subtract the number of points the dog earned from 100 and add the resulting number to their cumulative score.

SETUP, CHECK-IN AND START TIMES

There is limited crating on dirt in the barn, but no air-condition or heat. There is plenty of grass to crate, some shade, and tents allowed. There is a 50 acre fenced field to exercise your dogs. Setup opens up Saturday and Sunday mornings at 7:45am. Check-in begins at 8:00 am with walk-throughs beginning at 8:45 am and first dog on the line at 9:00 am Saturday and Sunday. Day of Show entries will be accepted from 8:00 am until 8:45 am both days.

TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER

SATURDAY

| Ring 1 | Ring 2 |
|-------------------|----------|
| Puppy Tunnelers | |
| Tunnelers | Standard |
| Tunneler Take All | Gamblers |
| Jumpers | |

SUNDAY

| Ring 1 | Ring 2 |
|-------------------|----------|
| Jumpers | |
| Puppy Tunnelers | Gamblers |
| Tunnelers | Standard |
| Tunneler Take All | |

Saturday will run small to tall. Sunday will run tall to small. Advanced dogs will go first on Saturday and Beginner dogs will go first on Sunday.

DIRECTIONS, PARKING, HOTELS, & MISC

Twister Agility Field is located at 5451 W. Waterloo Road, Edmond OK 73025.

Directions

From the North: I-35 South Exit #146 Waterloo Road. Drive west on Waterloo 7.7 miles. Twister is on the north side of Waterloo

From the South: I-35 North Exit #146 Waterloo Road. Drive west on Waterloo 7.7 miles. Twister is on the north side of Waterloo

From the East: I-40 West to I-35 North. Drive north on I-35 18.5 miles and Exit #146. Drive west on Waterloo 7.7 miles. Twister is on the north side of Waterloo

From the West: I-40 East to Kilpatrick Turnpike East. Drive 14 miles on Turnpike. Exit Hefner Parkway (OK-74)/Portland Ave. Drive under the overpass, turn left onto Portland. Continue north through light and exit left onto the access ramp to OK Highway 74. Continue north on Hwy 74 for 7.9 miles. Turn right (east) on Waterloo Road. Drive 1.7 miles to Twister Agility on the left.

Please park in the designated areas. Lunch will consist of chicken quesadillas on Saturday and pulled pork sandwiches on Sunday. Lunch will be free to workers or a \$5 donation. There are also a couple of fast food restaurants in a 10 minute driving range.

Hotel Info

Hotels below are pet-friendly. Please pick up after your dog so we can keep it that way. Please call for rates and pet deposits.

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| Country Inn & Suites | 13501 Memorial Park Drive, Oklahoma City, OK | (405) 286-3555 |
| Sleep Inn | 3608 South Broadway Extension, Edmond, OK | (405) 844-3000 |
| LaQuinta Inn | 3003 W. Memorial Road, Oklahoma City, OK | (405) 755-7000 |
| LaQuinta Inn | 4829 N.W. Expressway, Oklahoma City, OK | (405) 773-5575 |

Other Important Info

Please remember this is a non-sanctioned event so scores do not contribute towards titles in any organization. We're just having some fun.

- This trial is open to all dogs, pure-bred or otherwise. Puppies must be at least 6 months old for the puppy tunneler class and 15 months for all other classes. No registration from any club is required.
- Bitches in season may compete as long as they wear panties on the field.
- Dogs may wear a flat buckle collar or run naked while running at the trial. No tags on the collar.

- Please be aware of your dog at all times. Safety is our #1 concern. Any dog that demonstrates aggression towards any person or other dog, will be excused from the trial. Also, any dog which the judge feels does not have the ability to perform obstacles safely will be excused.
- Any owner, handler, or spectator exhibiting poor sportsmanship or abuse towards a dog or person will be required to leave the grounds.
- No adverse training collars are allowed at Twister trials.
- Please pick up after your dog on trial grounds.
- Entries must be signed to be valid.
- All dogs must be vaccinated appropriately for their age.



Agility Spring Fest

Use one entry per dog. Please PRINT ALL information and make sure to sign the back.

CALL NAME: _____ BIRTH DATE: _____

BREED: _____ SEX: _____

HANDLER NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: (____) _____ ALT PHONE: (____) _____

EMAIL: _____

DOG'S HEIGHT AT WITHERS: _____

JUMP HEIGHT (circle one): 8 12 16 20 24 A-FRAME HEIGHT (circle one): 5'6" 5'0"

DIVISION (circle one): *BEGINNER* *ADVANCED* *PUPPY*

SATURDAY

| Class | [X] Enter for Competition | [X] Enter FEO |
|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| Puppy Tunnelers | | |
| Tunnelers | | |
| Tunneler Take All | | |
| Jumpers | | |
| Standard | | |
| Gamblers | | |

SUNDAY

| Class | [X] Enter for Competition | [X] Enter FEO |
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| Gamblers | | |
| Standard | | |

TOTAL ENTRY FEES: \$ _____

Volunteers

Always needed and really appreciated. Volunteers will be fed. Are you interested?

YES: _____

NO: _____

Can you work?

Saturday: _____

Sunday: _____

Please sign the back



RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I understand and assume the possible risks inherent to all dog-related activities, including, but not limited to, bodily injury to myself, my dog, or to anyone accompanying me to the dog agility training classes/trials offered by Nancy Haddock(Dudeck) and/or Haddock Enterprises and/or Twister Agility & Dog Sports, at any location such training classes/trials are offered, including, but not limited to, the premises located at 5451 W. Waterloo, Edmond, Oklahoma I further understand that this Release and Hold Harmless Agreement has no time limitation and will remain in full force and effect as long as I train/compete with Twister Agility & Dog Sports, regardless of the location of such training classes/competitions and regardless of what dog I am training/competing.

Therefore, in consideration of the privilege of training/competing my dog with Twister Agility & Dog Sports, I do hereby agree to hold harmless and indemnify Nancy Haddock (Dudeck), individually and as principal of Twister Agility & Dog Sports and Haddock Enterprises, any and all persons who might assist her with her classes/trials, and also the property owners of any location where such training classes/trials are offered, of and from any claim for damages and/or injuries I might sustain while participating in such training classes/trials, and further release her from any liability or responsibility for any accident, damage, injury, or illness to me, or to any dog owned by me, or to any family member or spectator accompanying me on the training premises, wherever such training premises may be. I understand that the training premises as used in this Release and Hold Harmless Agreement shall include any location where such training classes/trials are held, including, but not limited to, the premises located at 5451 W. Waterloo Road, Edmond, Oklahoma.

Signature of Participant _____ Date:_____

Printed Name: _____

IN THE EVENT THAT THE PARTICIPANT IS A MINOR, IT WILL BE NECESSARY FOR A PARENT OR GUARDIAN TO SIGN THIS RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT:

I have read the above and foregoing Release and Hold Harmless Agreement provisions and agree to abide by them.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date:_____

Printed Name: _____



Tunneler Take All Official Rules

- The Tunneler Take All will not be divided by Beginner and Advanced divisions. Payout will be based on a 3D payout system similar to what is used in barrel horse racing.
- Payout will occur in three levels in accordance to the fastest time in jump height. The three payout levels are 1D, 2D, and 3D. The fastest time earns first place at the 1D level. The next three fastest times, without breaking the "2D" determined time, will earn 2nd, 3rd and 4th places at the 1D level.
- The starting point for the 2D level will 20% slower than the fastest time. The first dog to come closest to that determined time, without going over, will earn 1st place for the 2D level. Second, third and fourth place dogs will be the next three fastest dogs.
- The starting point for the 3D level will 20% slower than the 2D fastest time. The first dog to come closest to that determined time, without going over, will earn 1st place for the 3D level. Second, third and fourth place dogs will be the next three fastest dogs.
- Payout will be comprised of 75% of entry fees. 1D level receives 50% of that amount, 2D receives 30% of the prize money, and 3D receives 20% of the prize money. Respectively 1st -4th places in each of the levels will be divided in the following percentages:

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| 1 st | 50% |
| 2 nd | 25% |
| 3 rd | 15% |
| 4 th | 10% |