

A **USDAA®** Licensed Event
Titling Event w/Tournament Classes

hosted by



Travis Agility Group
Belton, TX

October 1 - 3, 2010

Closing Date: Wednesday, September 15, 2010

Secondary Closing Date: Wednesday, September 22, 2010

(For move up in level only)

Judges

Peggy Hammond
Austin, TX

Courtney Moore
Spring Branch, TX

Classes Offered

Standard & Non-Standard Classes
Championship & Performance - All Levels
2011 Tournament Qualifiers for Grand Prix/Performance Grand Prix
Steeplechase / Performance Speed Jumping

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Organizing Committee

Chairperson	Robert Stewart Email: mistyandq@aol.com Phone: (512) 431-0794
Secretary	Meghan Daniel Email: meghanm.daniel@gmail.com Phone: (512) 659-2113
Trophy & Awards	Jill Rossi
Chief Course Builder	Jack West
Chief Course Builder	Robin Rosenstock
Chief Ring Steward	Kate Dieringer
Hospitality Coordinator	Brenda Kouri

Statement of Authority of the Organizing Committee

The Organizing Committee is the governing body for this event and shall be the sole authority on matters relative to conduct of the event.

Site Information

<p style="text-align: center;">Bell County Expo 301 West Loop 121 Belton, TX 76513 United States View on Google Maps Surface Type: Indoor Packed Dirt Arena Ring Configuration: Ring 1 90 x 98 Ring 2 90 X 98 Other Information: None.</p>
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Concessions

The concession stand will be open Saturday and Sunday. There will be no concessions Friday.

Parking

All show parking will be in the front of the arena. The back parking area can be used for loading/unloading only. Cars cannot be parked in this area for more than 30 minutes.

Please be courteous to other competitors by unloading and then parking your car in the front of the arena.

Smoking

There shall be **NO SMOKING** in the boundary of the show site, which shall include the building and the entries to the building.

Entries & Acceptance

General Rule on Eligibility

This event is sanctioned by the United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. ("USDAA").

This test is open to all persons with dogs being at least 18 months of age, regardless of pedigree or absence thereof, who have a current registration with USDAA and whose owners and the dog's handler are currently in good standing with USDAA.

This event will be held under USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations, a copy of which may be viewed and printed online at www.usdaa.com.

No Entry For Exhibition Only

Entries For Exhibition Only will not be accepted. Should a dog be required to jump a higher height by virtue of the judge's measure-in, it will be placed first in the running order at the higher height for all classes entered.

Policy on Refusal of Entry

The Organizing Committee of an event may refuse the entry of any competitor or dog for just cause should the Committee view that participation by the competitor or dog could be prejudicial to the sport. However, in such case, the Committee must notify the competitor in writing upon receipt of entry, but in no case, more than three days following the event closing date for acceptance of entries. The burden of responsibility for the appropriateness of such action rests solely with the host group and its Organizing Committee.

Charges for NSF Check/Credit Card

Any check or credit card that is charged back by the bank or other financial institution shall be assessed a \$40 service charge.

Returned checks or credit card returns do not constitute a valid entry. Amounts shall be paid within 30 day of postmarked notice of the returned payment if such date follows the event date. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice will result in cancellation of event results for all classes related to the entry for which payment was made. No reinstatement of results is possible, and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution.

Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event, or entry is canceled without recourse.

Refund Policy

There shall be NO REFUNDS for entries withdrawn after the closing date for acceptance of entries, for absentee, dismissal from the event as a result of disciplinary action, dismissal from a class, or for any other reason. Also, no entry fees will be refunded if the event cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, acts of terrorism, fire, "act of God", public emergency, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the host organization.

General Entry Conditions

Statement of Responsibility

Competitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs, children or guests. A competitor whose dogs, children or guests create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Organizing Committee, be asked to leave the test site.

Policy on Fault Limits

In the event of a larger entry, fault limits may be set at the discretion of the Organizing Committee and/or Judge without pre-event notice.

Prohibitions on Aids & Devices

No leads, collars, food, toys or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course at any time.

Spam Blocker

Confirmations will be sent via email using the secretary's address. If you have a spam blocker on your email account, please configure it to allow email from the secretary's address since confirmations will be sent from this account.

Check-in & Measuring

Dog Measurements & Certification

All dogs not jumping 26" in the Championship Program or 22" in the Performance Program must be measured unless they have a permanent USDAA or World Cynosport Dog Registration card or a temporary card with 3 signatures making the dog eligible for their jump height (awaiting a CMJ). When not enrolling electronically, please send a copy of one the following items to facilitate the check-in process:

- photocopy of permanent dog registration card,
- printout of the dog-information page from your USDAA® competitor account, or
- copy of your check-in letter from USDAA indicating your temporary card has been accepted by the USDAA office and your permanent registration card is in process.

Class Descriptions

Titling Class Rules & Descriptions

One or more titling classes shall be held at this Event from those described in Chapters 3 - 8 of USDAA Official Rules & Regulations, which are downloadable from www.usdaa.com/rulesReg_eBook.cfm, and any amendments there to, which are downloadable from www.usdaa.com/rulesReg.cfm, each of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

Tournament Class Rules & Descriptions

One or more tournament classes are being held at this event, the rules and description of which may be downloaded on the Internet at www.usdaa.com/gen_formDoc.cfm, and are hereby incorporated by reference. A written copy may be obtained from the Event secretary.

Class Running Order

Two rings running simultaneously, low to high jump heights on Friday and Sunday, high to low on Saturday except randomized Masters and PIII Snooker

	Ring 1 Peggy Hammond	Ring 2 Courtney Moore
Friday	Masters/P3 Standard Masters/P3 Pairs Grand Prix/Perf. GP	Starters/P1 Standard Advanced/P2 Standard Starters/P1 Pairs Advanced/P2 Pairs
Saturday	Masters/P3 Gamblers Masters/P3 Standard Masters/P3 Pairs Advanced/P2 Pairs Steeplechase / Speed Jumping Rd. 1 Masters/P3 Snooker Masters/P3 Jumpers	Starters/P1 Standard Advanced/P2 Standard Advanced/P2 Gamblers Starters/P1 Gamblers Starters/P1 Pairs Starters/P1 Snooker Advanced/P2 Snooker Starters/P1 Jumpers Advanced/P2 Jumpers
Sunday	Masters/P3 Jumpers Advanced/P2 Jumpers Masters/P3 Standard Advanced/P2 Standard Masters/P3 Gamblers Masters/P3 Snooker Advanced/P2 Snooker	Advanced/P2 Gamblers Starters/P1 Gamblers Starters/P1 Standard Steeplechase / Speed Jumping Rd 2 Starters/P1 Snooker Starters/P1 Jumpers

Prizes & Awards

Titling Class & Tournament Awards

Rosettes for 1st through 4th place will be awarded in each jump height (and for mini and open in pairs) for non-tournament classes. A maroon Qualifying rosette will be awarded to all dogs earning a qualifying score in any non-tournament classes.

For Grand Prix and Performance Grand Prix, overlay strip ribbons will be awarded for all dogs earning a qualifying score. Dogs earning a 1st through 4th place in each jump height will be awarded rosettes.

For Steeplechase, no awards will be given for Round 1. For dogs placing in Round 2, cash prizes will be awarded. Award amounts will be calculated using the payout chart in the 2011 Dog Agility Steeplechase & Performance Speed Jumping Rules, which can be found at the USDAA website.

Hotel Information

<p>LaQuinta - Belton 229 West Loop 121 Belton, TX (800) 753-3757 (254) 939-2772 View on Google Maps Right next to the Expo Center</p>	<p>La Quinta - Temple 1604 W. Barton Ave. Temple, TX (800) 753-3757 (254) 771-2980 View on Google Maps 15-20 minutes</p>
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Media Release & Rights of Privacy Waiver

Media Rights Release

I HEREBY GRANT TO USDAA and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.

Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality

FURTHER, I HEREBY RELEASE United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

Other Information

RV Information

RV Parking

The Civic Center has a very limited number of Electric Only spaces available on a first-come, first-served basis. Call 254-933-5353 to make arrangements with them directly.

There is an RV park directly across the parking lot from the Civic Center at 2905 S. IH 35. Contact them directly for pricing/availability at: 254-939-1961.

Volunteer Information

Volunteers Needed & Greatly Appreciated

Name: _____

Email: _____

I am willing to work classes at this trial:

- ⇒ One class per day
- ⇒ More than one class per day

I would like to:

- ⇒ Scribe
- ⇒ Timer
- ⇒ Gate Steward
- ⇒ Ring Crew
- ⇒ Scoretable
- ⇒ Runner
- ⇒ Course Building

Is there a job you don't want to do? Please let us know.

**USDAA® Official Entry Form - Travis Agility Group - Belton, TX
October 1 - 3, 2010 - Closing Date: Wednesday, September 15, 2010**

Return to: Meghan Daniel, 12805 John Adams street Manor, TX 78653 - Make check payable to: Travis Agility Group

Dog Information

Dog's Call Name: _____ USDAA# _____ Height at Withers: _____ Birthdate: _____
Breed: _____

Handler Information

Name: _____ Email: _____
Address: _____ City, St/Pr/Region: _____
Postal Code: _____ Day Phone # _____ Night Phone: _____

Class Entry Information

Select Jump Height:	Championship: 12" 16" 22" 26"	Performance: 8" 12" 16" 22"
If entering classes at DIFFERENT HEIGHTS in the SAME PROGRAM, submit a SEPARATE ENTRY FORM for each height class in that program.		

Friday, Oct 1, 2010			Championship			Performance		
	\$14.00	Standard	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Pairs Relay	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
if registration # is blank or incorrect for partner, entry will be for draw team			Partner: _____ Dog: _____ USDAA# _____ Height: _____					
	\$20.00	Tournaments	<input type="checkbox"/> Grand Prix of Dog Agility®			<input type="checkbox"/> Performance Grand Prix		
Saturday, Oct 2, 2010			Championship			Performance		
	\$14.00	Standard	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Gamblers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Snooker	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Pairs Relay	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
if registration # is blank or incorrect for partner, entry will be for draw team			Partner: _____ Dog: _____ USDAA# _____ Height: _____					
	\$20.00	Tournaments	<input type="checkbox"/> Dog Agility Steeplechase®			<input type="checkbox"/> Performance Speed Jumping		
Sunday, Oct 3, 2010			Championship			Performance		
	\$14.00	Standard	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Gamblers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$14.00	Snooker	<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Starters	<input type="checkbox"/> PIII	<input type="checkbox"/> PII	<input type="checkbox"/> PI
	\$20.00	Dog Registration (if not previously registered) - ATTACH SEPARATE FORM or Register Online						
	SUB-TOTAL							
	Discount (see footnote below for terms, if any discount is offered)							
	TOTAL FEES							

Weekend Package Discount

\$15 DISCOUNT

Enter your dog in all 11 TITLING classes for the weekend and take \$15 off the total entry fee for that dog. This weekend package does NOT include tournament classes.

Early Bird Discount

All entries RECEIVED on or before Wednesday, September 1st by 10pm, will be entered in a drawing for a Free Weekend Package. The drawing will take place on Saturday, October 2nd.

GENERAL AGREEMENT ACCEPTANCE: Through my signature, I declare that I have read USDAA Official Rules & Regulations and the General Agreement and Test Schedule provisions set forth for entry to this event, and I acknowledge that I understand and agree to abide by all such rules, regulations, policies and provisions stipulated therein, including any provisions incorporated by reference.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent or
Legal Guardian, if a Minor: _____ Date: _____

General Agreement

1.1 - Consideration & Waiver of Liability

IN CONSIDERATION OF the acceptance of this entry and the opportunity to participate and/or to be judged in the event on the dates to which this entry form applies (the "Event"), I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS each of the parties listed below (including each of their members, officers, directors, agents and employees), hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Event Organizers", from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of myself or the dog listed on the entry form while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto -

- The Event's Organizing Committee
- The Event Organizer, being the USDAA Affiliated Group (or Groups) hosting or otherwise responsible for conduct of the event
- United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. ("USDAA"), World Cynosport Limited and affiliated companies
- Event Sponsors
- Property Owners of the premises upon which the event is held

I FURTHER AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS the Event Organizers from any claim for loss or injury of the dog listed on my entry form for the Event as a result of disappearance, theft, death or other act, whether such loss or injury is caused or alleged to be caused for any reason, including negligence. I ASSUME ALL RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY FOR ANY CLAIMS REFERENCED IN THIS "GENERAL AGREEMENT", INCLUDING LEGAL FEES.

1.2 - Acknowledgment & Acceptance of Regulations

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND USDAA® Official Rules and Regulations and rules for competition (e.g., tournament rules) that relate to the Event, whether incorporated in this General Agreement by reference or as stipulated herein for the Event to which this entry form pertains.

I ACCEPT AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY any and all rulings of the Organizing Committee (and its members), the Event's Disciplinary Action Committee and/or USDAA relative to matters related to the Event.

1.3 - Acknowledgment & Representation of Accuracy

I ACKNOWLEDGE, REPRESENT AND WARRANT that the information supplied by me in the entry form is correct and complete. If any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my entry, such finding shall render my entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid or other recourse against the Event Organizers. Any acceptance of additional information or corrections to information after the closing date shall be at the sole discretion of the Event secretary.

1.4 - Representation of Ownership or Agency

I HEREBY REPRESENT AND WARRANT that I am the owner of the dog listed hereon, or that I have full authority from the dog's owner as their agent to enter the dog in competition and to assume their responsibilities for the care, custody and control of the dog for entry to the Event, and

I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS the Event Organizers listed in paragraph 1.1 from any liability or claims, including legal fees, related to such ownership or agency status.

1.5 - Media Release, Grants & Waivers of Rights to Broadcast & Promote

COMPETITOR HEREBY GRANTS TO USDAA and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future.

1.6 - Waiver of Rights to Privacy, Publicity & Personality

FURTHER, COMPETITOR HEREBY RELEASES United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right.

1.7 - Signature/Electronic Submission Execution

THROUGH MY PHYSICAL SIGNATURE ON THE PAPER ENTRY FORM, OR THROUGH MY SUBMISSION OF AN ELECTRONIC ENTRY TO THE EVENT, I ACKNOWLEDGE, ACCEPT AND AGREE TO ABIDE by the provisions of this General Agreement, and all policies, rules, regulations and conditions of entry to the Event

FURTHER, IF ENTRY IS FOR A MINOR, THROUGH MY PHYSICAL SIGNATURE ON THE PAPER ENTRY FORM, OR THROUGH MY SUBMISSION OF AN ELECTRONIC ENTRY TO THE EVENT, I REPRESENT AND WARRANT THAT I AM THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF THE COMPETITOR/HANDLER entered in the Event, and I ACKNOWLEDGE that I have reviewed all provisions of this General Agreement, policies, rules, regulations, and conditions of entry to the Event with the Minor and I SHALL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR ACTIONS AND COMPLIANCE WITH ALL RULES, REGULATIONS, POLICIES AND PROVISIONS FOR THE EVENT, AND ASSUME FULL LIABILITY FOR MINOR'S ACTIONS AND ACTIONS OF THEIR DOG.