MEDINA SWARM DOG AGILITY

AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST
Sanctioned By:
AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB of AMERICA®

All Breed Agility Trial

December 11-12, 2021

Pinnacle Dog Sports
1006 Crocker Rd, Westlake, Ohio 44145
(GPS Address: 950 Crocker Rd, Westlake, OH)
Building is Air Conditioned

TOYS WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE RING
Will run at the end of their jump height

Ring Size: 80' x 105'
Indoors on padded artificial soccer turf

Judge: Jan Wesen

Classes Offered Each Day
2 Regular, 2 Jumpers, 2 Gamblers

Programs/Divisions Offered
Championship: Standard, Veteran Dog, Junior
Handler ACE: Standard, Sr. Dog
FEO

Entries are limited to 350 Runs Per Day
Early Bird Special $1 off each class, Before date Nov 29, 2021
Pre-Entry Closing – December 1, 2021
Late Entry Closing: December 3, 2021
8:30 AM Saturday, 7:30 AM Sunday or when entry limit is reached.

Additional fees apply for late entry.
(See Premium for more details)

IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION!!!

- **More Classes and More Pre-Entry Package Pricing Options!**
  Saturday: 2 rounds Jumpers, 2 rounds Regular, 2 rounds Gamblers for ALL levels
  Sunday: 2 rounds Jumpers, 2 rounds Regular, 2 rounds Gamblers for ALL levels.
- **Acceptance of "Day ofTrial"/Late Entries**
  We will now accept entries after the "pre-entry" closing date.
  We will accept "Day of Show" entries until 8:30 AM on Saturday, 7:30 AM on Sunday, up to 350 runs per day.
  You may also email or mail the entry after the pre-entry closing date if you don't want to get to the trial so early. But I must receive it by 11:00 AM on the Thursday preceding the trial and, should you choose not to attend, you are still responsible for the entry fee.
- **Implementation of "Day ofTrial" Change Fee**
  Preliminary and final confirmation letters are sent to all exhibitors who pre-enter. Exhibitors should check their entry information and notify the trial secretary of any changes that need to be made. Changes requested at the trial will be assessed a $15 secretarial processing fee per dog – regardless of who made the error. **PLEASE** check your confirmations. This does not include move-ups for Sunday which are received within 30 minutes of the end of the trial on Saturday.

ENTRY INFORMATION

Late Entries

We will accept entries after the pre-entry closing date, up to published limits. Day of trial entries will be accepted until 8:30 AM on Saturday, 7:30 AM on Sunday.

Refunds

Full refunds will be granted prior to the pre-entry closing date. After that time, refunds will have a $20 administration fee, will be granted to injured dogs or bitches in season, if the request is presented to the trial secretary no later than noon on Saturday. No refunds will be issued for amounts under $10.

Eligibility

ASCA agility trials are open to ALL breeds, including mixes. Your dog does NOT have to be registered with ASCA to enter ASCA agility trials. However, to earn titles, you must have a QTracking number or an ASCA Australian Shepherd registration. A QTracking number application is included in this premium.

Championship Program (Division & Levels)

The Championship Program is the original ASCA Agility program.

The Junior Handler Division is open to any dog handled by an exhibitor who is 17 years of age or younger. Dogs entered in the Junior Handlers Division classes MAY jump 4" lower than their regular jump height.

The Veterans Dog Division will be as described in the ASCA Agility rulebook. Dogs entered in the Veterans Dog Division classes MUST jump 4" lower than their regular jump height.

Exhibitors may, at their discretion, enter at a level higher than they have titled. If they are registered to receive titles, higher level scores will be applied to unearned lower level titles. Note: Once dogs Qualify at the higher level, they cannot return to compete at the lower level.

ACE Program (Divisions & Levels)

The Standard Division is open to any dog 18 months or older. They can jump one height lower than their Championship Standard Division height. Course times for dogs in the ACE program will be 10% greater than the Standard Division dogs in the Championship program.

The Senior Dog Division is open to any dog age seven (7) or older. Dogs entered in the Senior Dog Division will jump 4" lower than their standard jump height the ACE program. Course times for dogs entered in the Senior Dog Division of the Regular Agility and Jumpers classes shall be 10% greater than the SCT for the Standard Division in the ACE program.

FEO

We will accept "For Exhibition Only" (FEO) entries. The minimum age for dogs entered "For Exhibition Only" is 15 months of age. Any dog younger than 18 months of age must jump at a lower height than their regular jump height. Dogs older than 18 months may enter FEO at any jump height and level. Please note that FEO scores will not apply to any ASCA agility titles.

Championship Program					
	Small		Medium	Large	
Dog's Height at Withers	11" & Under	14" & Under	18" & Under	20" & Under	20" & Over
Standard	Jump 8"	Jump 12"	Jump 16"	Jump 20" (20" Class)	Jump 20" or 24" (20"+ Class)
Jr. Handler	Jump 4" or 8"	Jump 8" or 12"	Jump 12" or 16"	Jump 16" or 20" (16" or 20" Class)	Jump 16", 20" or 24" (16+" or 20+" Class)
Veterans	Jump 4"	Jump 8"	Jump 12"	Jump 16" (16" Class)	Jump 16" (16"+ Class)
ACE Program					
Standard	Jump 4"	Jump 8"	Jump 12"	Jump 16" (16" Class)	Jump 16" (16"+ Class)
Sr. Dog	Jump 4"	Jump 4"	Jump 8"	Jump 12" (12" Class)	Jump 12" (12+" Class)

Move-Ups

Day-to-day move-ups will be accepted. Pre-trial move-ups must be received by 6:00 pm on the Monday preceding the trial.

Miscellaneous

Titles can be earned under one judge. Twenty points are required for jumpers & gamblers; thirty points for regular. Leashes may be kept with the handler either in their pocket or wearing it as long as the dog does not interact with it.

Height Cards and Measurements

Dogs entering the jump height classes 20" or less (wither height less than or equal to 20"), that do not have a permanent ASCA, AKC or NADAC height card must be measured. Dogs entering 20+" or 24" jump heights are exempt.

Equipment

Rubberized Slatted Aframe & Dogwalk and slatless teeter will be used. Jumps, including double, (may be used at the judge's discretion) tunnels, 24-inch weaves, The A-frame shall be set 5'6".

Electronic timing will be used, including start notice and gamble horns.

Prizes & Awards

Qualifying and 1st through 4th place ribbons will be awarded in each class. A rosette will be awarded to dogs finishing their ATCH. Please note on your entry form if you are close to finishing an ATCH. A title rosette for finishing of each reg level will be given

DIRECTIONS to the trial site:

From East/West:

- via I-90/Route 2: Exit 156 (Crocker Rd). Go North approx. 1/2 mile. Pinnacle Dog Sports is on your left.

- via I-480: Exit 3 Stearns Rd. Go North on Stearns which becomes Crocker Rd for approx. 6.5 miles. Pinnacle Dog Sports will be on your left.

- via I-80 (OH Turnpike): Exit 152. Follow sign to I-480/Route 10 North Olmsted which will merge onto Lorain Rd. East. Take Lorain Rd. to Stearns Rd. Turn Left on Stearns which becomes Crocker Rd. and Pinnacle Dog Sports will be approx.5.5 miles on your left.

From the South via I-71: Take I-71 North to the I-480 Toledo Exit. Take I-480 West to Exit 3 Stearns Rd. Go North(right) on Stearns Rd. which becomes Crocker Rd. Pinnacle Dog Sports is approx. 6.5 miles on your left

HOTELS

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.

Red Roof Inn Westlake	**29595 Clemens Rd Westlake OH 44145** **Nice hotel and places to walk with dogs.** **VP#625022 – hotel within walking distance**	**440- 892-7920**
Super 8	**32801 Lorain Rd N Ridgeville OH 44039**	**440-822-3619**
Candlewood Suites	**24741 Country Club Blvd North Olmsted, OH 44070 Pet fee**	**440-716-0584**
Radisson	**25070 Country Blvd, North Olmsted OH 44070** **(I-480 & Great Northern Blvd)** **Rooms are wonderfully big with sleep number beds. Pet friendly. ($50 non-refundable fee)**	**440-734-5060**
Super 8 Westlake	**25200 Sperry Dr. Westlake, OH**	**440- 772-1382**
Sonesta ES Suites	**30100 Clemens Rd. Westlake, OH 44145** **- - $75 Pet fee is WAIVED** **- - Mention Pinnacle Dog Sports for rate.**	**440- 892-2254**

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- This trial will be held according to ASCA Agility regulations. Exhibitors, through submission of their entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of ASCA rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial. The ASCA Agility Rulebook is available at: www.asca.org
- ASCA, Medina SWARM Agility Club and Pinnacle Dog Sports will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor.
- All dogs must be on a leash when not competing in the ring or at the practice jump.
- Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create a disturbance may be asked to leave the show site. In such a case, no refunds will be made.
- Entries from individuals who are not in good standing with ASCA will not be accepted.
- Indoor crating space will be available. You are required to place a tarp, plastic or mat underneath your crates or X-pens. Please consolidate crating as much as possible. A committee member will have the right to consolidate crating as needed.
- Dogs are not allowed to relieve themselves on the building or shrubbery around the building.
- 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 Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement (including hotel site). Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.
- Do not let your dogs on the neighbor's property. No dogs are allowed in front of the building, by the pond area by docking area. Dogs must remain in areas on NORTH side of the building. Signs will be posted accordingly.
- No smoking in the building.
- No grooming in the building.

Camping

Overnight parking/camping at the building is NOT permitted. For overnight camping, there is a Walmart Super Center located approximately 5 miles away down two exits (Exit 151) on I-90 West which will allow motorhomes to park overnight.

Trial Chairman: Judy Boone, daydreamaussies@msn.com
Trial Secretary Jan Niblock medina.swarm.asc@gmail.com
36234 Falcon Crest Ave. Avon, OH 44011
440-522-0001, DO NOT CALL AFTER 8:00 PM.

SCHEDULE & TENTATIVE CLASS ORDER

Saturday: First walk-thru at 8:45 am. First run at 9:00 am. Gamblers Rd 1 (Elite, Open, Novice), Gamblers 2 (Elite, Open, Novice), Regular 1 & 2 (Elite, Open, Novice), Jumpers 1 & 2 (Elite, Open, Novice)

Sunday: First walk-thru at 7:45 am. First run at 8:00 am. Jumpers 1 & 2 (Elite, Open, Novice), Regular 1 & 2 (Elite, Open, Novice), Gamblers 1 (Elite, Open, Novice), Gamblers 2 (Elite, Open, Novice)

PLEASE NOTE

Entry acknowledgements will be sent to those who provide an email address or a self- addressed, stamped envelope. CONFIRMATIONS WILL NOT BE MAILED TO THOSE WHO HAVE PROVIDED AN EMAIL ADDRESS. If you need to have your confirmation mailed, please check the appropriate box on the entry form.

ENTRY FEES

Pre-Entry (Per Round)
Regular $15, Jumpers/Gamblers $14, FEO $10

Early Bird Package 12 classes = $160;
6 classes = $80. Special: all single classes,
take $1off each class before Nov. 29, 2021

Day-Of Show (Per Round)
Regular $16, Jumpers/Gamblers $15, FEO $11

Medina SWARM Agility Club
December 11-12, 2021
Australian Shepherd Club of America ®
AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Please use one entry for per dog. Express mail deliveries must waive recipient signature requirement.

ASCA Registration/QTracking:_____

Breed:_____ Sex:_____

Registered Name: _____

Call Name:_____ Birthdate:_____

Handler/Owner Name:_____

Address: _____

City: _____State: _____Zip: _____

Email:_____

Confirmations will ONLY be emailed.

Dog's Height: _____Jump Height Exempt: YES/NO

Standard Jump Height: 4" 8" 12" 16" 20" 24"

Class Jump Height: 4" 8" 12" 12"+ 16" 16"+ 20" 20"+24" (24" is judged with 20"+)

Total Entry Fee Enclosed: _____

	CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION			ACE DIVISION			LEVELS			
SATURDAY	STD	JH	VET	STD	SR DOG	FEO	ELITE	OPEN	NOVICE	
Regular 1									A	B
Regular 2									A	B
Jumpers 1										
Jumpers 2										
Gamblers 1										
Gamblers 2										
SUNDAY	STD	JH	VET	STD	SR DOG	FEO	ELITE	OPEN	NOVICE	
Regular 1									A	B
Regular 2									A	B
Jumpers 1										
Jumpers 2										

Note: Pre-entries must be received by 6PM on Wed, Dec. 1, 2021

Make checks payable to Medina Swarm

AGREEMENT

IMPORTANT LEGAL AGREEMENT—Please read the following carefully as it, among other things, may prevent you from suing ASCA® and persons/entities affiliated with it. This agreement could even require you to defend them from demands and suits by third parties that include an assertion of wrongdoing by you. (1) The person signing this Agreement represents being authorized to enter into it on behalf of him/herself, as well as (if different) the owner(s)/exhibitor(s)/handler(s) of the dog(s) for which an entry form is being submitted (all these parties collectively referred to herein as "Applicant"). (2) "Releasees" here collectively refers to the Australian Shepherd Club of America® (ASCA®); its affiliate clubs; and the officers and board of directors, staff, contractors, insurers, attorneys, and agents of ASCA® and of those clubs. (3) This Agreement voluntarily is entered into by Applicant in exchange for the acceptance of the associated entry form and permission to participate in related activities. (4) Applicant agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA® and any other rules and regulations applicable to this event. (5) Applicant certifies that the entered dog will not pose a hazard to people, property, stock animals, or other dogs, and further that the dog is current with rabies shots along with any other vaccinations required by its state of residence. (6) Applicant acknowledges and assumes the risks to Applicant and Applicant's dog associated with participation in the event, among which could be ones associated with poor condition of the facilities and surrounding areas; security measures or lack of them; electrical appliances; fittings; show rings; the presence of unfamiliar persons; and the presence/involvement of other animals—whether stock, dogs, or otherwise. (7) Applicant further agrees to comply with all recommended and required health and safety precautions, among which may be those related to social distancing; quarantining; wearing of face coverings; and non-participation of persons exhibiting symptoms or for whom there otherwise has been a likelihood of recent exposure to COVID-19 or other contagious diseases. (8) Applicant additionally acknowledges and agrees to assume the risks associated with taking part in the event though others might neglect compliance with health and safety precautions/requirements or pose an undue risk of spreading disease. For example, as is true as to any public event, there is some risk that Applicant and/or those affiliated with Applicant may catch COVID-19 or another contagious disease at the event. (9) To the maximum extent permissible, this release is to be interpreted under Texas law, without application of its choice of law rules. (10) To the extent that Applicant—or another party suing on behalf of Applicant, or suing to recover based on injuries/death/damage to Applicant/Applicant's dog/Applicant's property—sues ASCA® (or a board member or staff member or agent of ASCA®) as a defendant, the sole appropriate forum (to the maximum extent permitted by law) for the suit shall be the state or federal courts serving Brazos County, Texas (where ASCA® has its headquarters). (11) Applicant hereby releases and waives any claims Applicant otherwise might assert against the Releasees as to any injury or damage claim connected in any way to any alleged act or omission arising out of, or occurring concurrent with, the event and related activities, interactions, communications, and even adjacent premises. (12) This release is made not only as to Applicant but also for anyone who might assert a claim on behalf of Applicant or based on purported injury or damage to Applicant/Applicant's dog/Applicant's property, as well as any heir, beneficiary, assignee, executor, trustee, agent, or survivor of Applicant. (13) Applicant further agrees to assume sole responsibility for and indemnify and hold Releasees harmless from related claims, demands, judgments, and settlement payments. (14) These waiver, release, and indemnification provisions extend even to claims or demands asserting that the acts or omissions resulted in bodily injury or death or from intentional wrongdoing, as well as to attorney fees and other costs of defense. (15) The duties of indemnification further extend to any claims or demands asserted against Releasees that are alleged to have arisen out of the acts or omissions of Applicant, Applicant's dog, or others affiliated with Applicant. Among other things, this means that Applicant would pay the legal defense of Releasees if someone sued them based on a claim Applicant carelessly exposed the claimant to COVID-19. (16) Applicant's promises in this agreement apply without regard to the type of claim or cause of action asserted against Releasees. (17) To the extent any provision of this agreement is unenforceable, the remainder of it nonetheless is to be enforced. (18) This agreement is to be interpreted to provide Releasees with the maximum permissible legal protection from—among other things—claims and suits pursued by Applicant (and/or those acting on behalf of Applicant or over injury/damage to Applicant), as well as from ones based on the purported wrongful acts or omissions of Applicant. (19) Nothing in this Agreement requires you to indemnify Releasees from claims by third parties that involve no allegations of improper acts or omissions by you, those affiliated with you, nor your dog(s). (20) Applicant acknowledges having read, understood, and had the opportunity for independent legal review of this document prior to signing it.

_____Date:_____

Signature or Owner/Handler or parent/legal guardian (If Jr. is under 18). Person signing this form is responsible for all errors and rule violations as used here, "ASCA" means the owner and the operator of the event premises, the Australian Shepherd Club of America, its affiliate clubs and each of their members, officers, directors, employees, show chairmen, show committees and agents. OCTOBER 8, 2020

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Telephone Number Email Address

Mail Entries to: Jan Niblock, 36234 Falcon Crest Ave. Avon, OH 44011

ASCA Service Membership and QT Number Application

In order to have ASCA trial points tracked and to receive titling certificates, each non-ASCA registered dog will be required to have an ASCA QT Number. This is a one-time fee of $10/dog. At the time of applying for the QT number, the individual owner must also be an ASCA member (minimum membership type, Service, is required) . ASCA membership does not have to be maintained in subsequent years.

It will be the responsibility of the owner to identify previous ASCA points earned when applying for a QT Number.

Please type or print clearly. Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned.

Membership Application

Service Membership Fee: $10.00 per person if not a current member

Owner's Name (1): _____

Owner's Name (2): _____

Owner's Address: _____

City: _____ Stat e: _ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I (We) agree to abide by the ASCA Articles of Incorporation , Bylaws, and all ASCA Rules and Regulations governing the ASCA Registry and all other ASCA programs.

Owner's Signature (1): _____

Owner's Signature (2): _____

If Owner/Co-Owner is under 18, please provide date of birth: _____

Dog Information

Fee for QT number is $10.00 per dog for ASCA Members

Dog's Full Name: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____

Sex: **OM OF** Birth date: _____ Breed: _____

Previous ASCA points earned (If more space is needed , please attach another sheet):

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Mail completed form with check, money order, or credit card information to:
ASCA Business Office
6091 E State Hwy 21, Bryan, TX 77808
You may scan/email the form to agility@asca.org or fax to: (979)778-1898

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Do I have to have a QTnumber to compete?

- You do not need a QT number in order to compete in Agility or Stock, unless you want to earn ASCA titles.
- You will need a QT number to enter an Obedience Trial, Rally Trial, or Tracking Test.
- Your dog does not have to be a purebred to receive a QT number from ASCA.

Why would I need or want a QT number for my dog?

If you would like your dog's points recorded by ASCA, and receive title certificates in the mail for your accomplishments, you will need to obtain a QT number.

What is the total cost for a QT number?

In order to obtain a QT number for your dog, you must be a member. The cost for a basic Service Membership is **$10 per owner** if not already a current member.

- Your membership is good for one year and does not need to be renewed unless you want to obtain another QT number for another dog after your membership has expired.

This membership fee is in addition to the QT number fee of **$10** per dog.

A QT number is good for the lifetime of the dog. If you only have one dog, the total cost would be **$20.** For two dogs, the cost would be **$30,** etc.

PLEASE USE THIS SPACE TO PAY WITH A CREDIT CARD

_____ EXP: I

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SEC CDE: _ Signature _____

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Medina SWARM Agility

Save the Dates!!!

Agility

March 19-20, 2022
June 25-26, 2022
August 13-14, 2022
December 10-11, 2021

Rally and Obedience

April 9-10, 2022
June 11-12, 2022
September 17-18, 2022
November 12-13, 2022

To learn more about our other events please visit www.medinaswarm.com

Or our

Facebook Page: ASCA in Ohio