

**P R E M I U M L I S T**

Sanctioned T16084 (Four Paw) & T16085 (AIM)

## Teacup Dogs Agility Association Agility Trial



**Saturday, May 28, 2016**  
**Sunday, May 29, 2016**  
**Monday, May 30, 2016**

**PRESENTED BY**



**AND**



**JUDGES:**

**Saturday – Alisa Sibley, Everett**  
**Sunday – Eric Sanford, Shoreline**  
**Monday – Kathy Swan, Tacoma**

**Location: Four Paw Sports Center,**  
**6426 212<sup>th</sup> St SW #100**  
**Lynnwood, WA 98036**  
[www.fourpawssports.com](http://www.fourpawssports.com)

**NOTE: ALL STANDARD RUNS WILL BE IN BETA FORMAT. SEE NEXT PAGE FOR DETAILS! (You'll love it...)**

**Four Paw hosts Saturday: 4 Standard Classes and 2 Games: *Colors, Full House***  
**& Sunday: 2 Standard Classes and 1 Games: *Black Hole***

**AIM hosts Sunday: 3 Games: *Boston Bowling, Pup Cannon, Junnel***  
**& Monday: 4 Standard Classes and 2 Games: *Cha Cha, Minuet in G***

This trial will be held indoors on rubber over padding. Unlimited Entries – FEO (For Exhibition Only) entries accepted

**Pre-entries by snail mail must be postmarked by Saturday, May 21, 2016**

**Pre-entries by email must be received by Wednesday May 25, 2016**

Day of trial move ups allowed; Pre-entry move up deadline May 26th by email.

**Four Paw Sports Center and AIM Trial Committee**

<i>Trial Chair</i>	<i>Trial Secretary</i>
Norman Carlstrom norman@fourpawssports.com (425) 835-0483	Robin Carlstrom robin@fourpawssports.com (206) 930-1959

**Tentative Order of Classes (Final order will be posted as soon as possible)**

Saturday, May 28, 2016 <i>Small to Tall</i>	Sunday, May 29, 2016 <i>Tall to Small</i>	Monday, May 30, 2016 <i>Small to Tall</i>
Full House Standard Round 1 Standard Round 2 Colors Standard Round 3 Standard Round 4	Black Hole Standard Round 5 Standard Round 6 Boston Bowling Puppy Cannon Junnel	Standard Round 7 Standard Round 8 Cha Cha Standard Round 9 Standard Round 10 Minuet in G

**Judging is scheduled to begin at 9:00 am both days. Site open at 8 am (no earlier.) Measuring starts 8:30 am**

**Day of Trial Entries will be accepted at an additional fee. See below.**

**PRE-ENTRY FEES: (ALL RUNS BY SAME HANDLER APPLY!)**

1-5 Individual Runs Entered (per run).....\$12.00  
 6-10 Individual Runs Entered (per run).....\$11.50  
 11-15 Individual Runs Entered (per run).....\$11.00  
 16 or more Individual Runs Entered (per run) .....\$10.50

**DAY OF TRIAL ENTRY FEES:**

Each Run Entered .....\$13  
 FEO runs .....\$8 ea/2 for \$12

**Certification** *Permission has been granted by the Teacup Dogs Agility Association for the holding of this event under Teacup Dog Agility Association Rules and Regulations.*

## **TRIAL INFORMATION**

This trial will be held indoors on rubber over padding. The following is a list of obstacles to be used. Contacts have rubber coating. 2" jumps will be obtained by crossing bars on the 4" jump cups.

*A-frame (6' 8" slatless)    Closed (Collapsed) Tunnel    Tire Jump (16")    Dog walk (8' slatless ramps)    Table (30" by 30")  
Open (Pipe) Tunnel (16")    Single & winged jumps    Teeter (8' slatless, 12" wide)    Weave poles (22" centers)*

Warm up on TDAA equipment provided for all exhibitors. Obstacle familiarization is available each morning prior to judging.

**Awards:** Ribbons awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> in each jump height of each class. Qualifying ribbons awarded to all dogs receiving a Qualifying score. Dogs may receive placement ribbons without qualifying. Fast track dogs will only get Qualifying ribbons at the Beginners/Games I and Intermediate/Games II levels.

### **PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE SHOW SITE AND HOTELS**

**All dogs must be kept on leash except in designated areas**

**Eligibility:** This trial is open to all dogs under 20" and over the age of 12 months, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance.

**Your dog must be registered with TDAA to participate in TDAA Trials.** There is a registration form included in this premium, or you can register the first day of the trial. TDAA rules can be obtained online at [www.k9tdaa.com](http://www.k9tdaa.com)

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## **STANDARD COURSE BETA FORMAT – ALSO KNOWN AS DOUBLE RUN**

Beta format is for pairs of Standard runs (1 & 2, 3 & 4, and so on) and allows you to run the same course twice in the same course order (no renumbering of obstacles, no changing the course). And yes, you can qualify twice too!

Everyone walks the course, then everyone runs the course. There is no 2<sup>nd</sup> walk-thru before round 2. If you only enter 1 round, you will still walk the course with everyone else (no separate walk-through for exhibitors only running round 2.)

Why are we offering this? Many other clubs in the area are trying this format, and exhibitors have loved it. It offers a chance to try different handling techniques on each round (did something not work, would something different work better?) – and it means less course building! We can move more quickly through the day. We think you'll love it!

## **GAMES DESCRIPTIONS**

*Call or email if you have any questions about these games!*

**Cha-Cha** is a game that requires the dog to earn points to the beat of the Cha-cha: two slow beats (non-jump obstacles) followed by three quick beats (jumps). This is a game of strategy and precision.

**Minuet in G** is a simple sequence run over and over again as a continuous loop until the expiration of time. The dog earns one point for each sequence completed. The handler must reset any dropped bar and restart the sequence on any wrong course fault.

**Black Hole** –is like a standard numbered course, earning points for each obstacle. The dog can continue to earn points unless the dog goes into a pipe tunnel (the black hole). Scoring stops once the dog goes off course into a tunnel.

**Boston Bowling** –consists of two short courses, each starting with a specific entry to one of two tunnels. The handler "bowls" his dog by sending the dog ahead into a tunnel entrance. Each dog-and-handler team has two bowls. The handler may not step over the penalty line (the start line) as she bowls her dog into one of the tunnel entrances.

**Puppy Cannon** –features the pipe tunnel as a test of the handler's skill when redirecting the dog. It is typically played with three (or more) small numbered sequences that can be taken in the order of the handler's choosing.

**Jackpot** – is a jumping sequence and a tunnel course. Tunnel is scored time only, as the time required to fix faults and complete the course correctly is penalty enough. The dog with the lowest time wins.

**Colors** -- is made up of two relatively equal numbered sequences. The handler must select one sequence to be completed by the dog. You must tell the judge prior to taking the first obstacle which "color" you intend to complete.

Additional information on the games can be found in: **The Clean Run Book of Agility Games, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition by Bud Houston.**

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## **CLASS INFORMATION**

### ***Standard Agility Class***

**Beginner** All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.  
**Intermediate** Only dogs that have earned the Teacup Beginner Agile Dog (TBAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class.  
**Superior** Only dogs that have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agile Dog (TIAD) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

### **Games Classes**

**Games I** All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.

**Games II** Only dogs that have earned the Games I (TG1) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

**Games III** Only dogs that have earned the Games II (TG2) or Games III (TG3) shall be eligible for participation in this class.

### **FEO (FOR EXHIBITION ONLY) – Games & Standard Classes**

TDAA offers FEO runs (at the option of the host club), open to any TDAA registered dog in any class. FEO dogs will run last at their jump heights. They may run on lead. FEO runs do not count toward TDAA titles. No treats or food allowed. Maximum time of 1.5 of the SCT, cannot repeat any obstacles, and no training in the ring.

**Fast Track Move-Ups:** Titles may be grandfathered from other organizations on a “Fast Track” basis. A dog with a higher title from another organization may move up on the same day to the next level of TDAA competition with a qualifying score. It is possible to move from Beginner to Superior on the same day if the dog qualifies first in Beginner and again in Intermediate. Likewise, a dog may move from Games I to Games III by qualifying at each of the lower two levels. A qualifying score in the lower class is required to move up to the next higher class. The dog’s owner must submit a copy of title certificates for the dog. Please mark each that apply and submit \$8.00 with your entry with the FAST TRACK portion completed. Payment of the \$8.00 is not a guarantee that your dog will qualify at the lower level and is non-refundable. This fee must be paid for this trial even if a Fast Track fee has been paid in the past.

### **HEIGHT DIVISIONS - See [www.k9tdaa.com](http://www.k9tdaa.com) for updates to Rules and height divisions!**

**Owners are responsible for entering the proper height division.** Judges reserve the right to measure dogs entered in any trial. At the handler’s option, dogs may be entered in a higher height division (and scored in that higher height division.) A judge must measure provisional dogs.

### **New rules effective January 1, 2015:**

- **Handler/Owner selects jump height** – Each handler may select the jump height they wish their dog to jump. All jump height exemptions are now removed. Dogs will continue to be scored with dogs at their measured height.
- **Removal of four-paw safety rule** – a Beginner dog will no longer be required to move on after committing four paws to an obstacle and leaving. Beginner dogs will have three chances to perform a contact obstacle, and will not be faulted until a third on-and-off refusal.
- **Additional time for Veteran Dogs and Disabled Handlers will still apply.**
  - Veteran Dogs (7 yrs and older) receive an extension of standard course time
    - Measured height of 2” & 4” dogs receive an additional 4 seconds
    - Measured heights of 8”, 12” & 16” dogs receive an additional 2 seconds
  - Disabled Handlers receive an extension of 4 seconds to standard course times and qualifying course times for games.

**Please consult your jump height card/email to confirm the correct measured height to enter.**

**If you do not have a TDAA height card/email your dog must be measured at this trial.**

**Disabled Handlers** – A time exemption will be granted as above. The proof of the disability shall be the handler’s disability parking tag or other documentation. There will be no special system of titling for disabled handlers.

## **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

- \* The safety of the dogs 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.
- \* All dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when in the ring or when in designated areas, being the warm-up area and the designated off leash area. It is expressly understood the exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees will be made.
- \* Food and toys are not permitted in the course area and handlers are not allowed to use whistles or other instruments or devices.
- \* Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run.
- \* Exhibitors may wear shirts or insignia of their training group if they wish.
- \* At the handler’s option, the dog may wear a flat (buckle or quick release) collar with or without tags or wear adornments, clothing, ties or other attachments. Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited.
- \* Unsportsmanlike conduct, including rough handling or misconduct of any kind, will result in an excusal from the ring. Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at [www.k9tdaa.com](http://www.k9tdaa.com)
- \* Entries will not be accepted without fees. No entries will be accepted which require a signature for delivery. All entries must be submitted on official TDAA Agility Entry Forms, one dog per entry form.

\* **Photocopied entries without the TDAA agreement are NOT acceptable.** Unsigned, incomplete or illegible entries are NOT acceptable and cannot be entered in the trial. Faxed entries and/or credit cards cannot be accepted. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.

\* The Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 service charge for any returned checks. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a CASH ONLY basis.

\* Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee.

\* No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot be opened or closed and it's actually fun and you learn a lot getting a different view of the trial and different handlers!

## **ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Please inquire as to the individual pet policy at these establishments**

La Quinta Inn	4300 Alderwood Mall Blvd	(2.4 mi)	Lynnwood, WA 98036	(425) 775-7447
Maple Grove RV Resort	12417 Hwy 99 S.	(6.5 mi)	Everett, WA	(866)-793-2200

***Please inquire as to pet policy, and be courteous and clean up after your dogs so we may use these establishments again!***

## **Nearby Veterinary Clinics**

Brier Veterinary, 4311 212th Street Southwest, Mountlake Terrace, WA 98043, (425) 361-1930 (1.4 mi)

VCA Veterinary Specialty Center of Seattle (24 hours), 20115 44<sup>th</sup> Ave W, Lynnwood, WA 98036, (425) 697-6106 (2 miles)

## **Hospital**

Steven's Hospital, 21601 76<sup>th</sup> Ave W, Edmonds WA 98026, (425) 640-4000 (.8 mi.)

**Potluck Lunch** - Lunch basics will be provided by Four Paw Sports for both days of the trial. We'd appreciate it if you would bring a small side/something to share if you can.

**Raffle** - To thank our volunteers we will have a small raffle which will include discounts for entries to other trials, a half-hour private lesson, and practice time at Four Paw Sports! Earn tickets for working!!

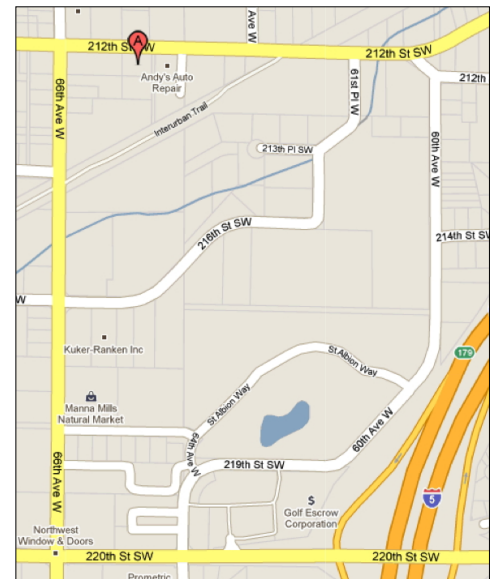
**Trial Site:** Four Paw Sports Center  
6426 212<sup>th</sup> St SW #100, Lynnwood, WA 98036

## **DIRECTIONS TO THE FACILITY:**

*From I-5:* Take Exit #179 (Mountlake Terrace/220<sup>th</sup> St. ) Head West. Go ~ 1/2 mile to light at 66<sup>th</sup> Ave W, turn right (north.) At second stop sign, turn right at 212<sup>th</sup> St SW. Four Paw Sports is in the second building on the right in the lower level. (Olympic Brake Supply is on the upper level.)

**Parking:** Parking is tight. There are 5 spaces marked for Four Paw. On Saturday, you may not park in Olympic spaces. On Sunday those spaces are available. Our generous neighbors to the east, Andy's Auto, allows parking on their lot - please do not block their bay doors or access to their rear gate. There is on-street parking as well as parking in a right of way.

**Robin Carlstrom - cell phone (206) 930-1959**



## **Checklist**

- Completed and **SIGNED Entry Form(s)** for **EACH** dog entered. Please write clearly!
- Completed **Fast Track section of Entry Form** if using Fast Track
- Completed **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** if registering your dog(s), with **check for \$12 each made out to TDAA**
- Review information before submitting, incomplete forms will be returned.
- Be sure to sign the **Entry Form(s)/Agreement Form(s)** and **TDAA Dog Registration Form(s)** (if needed).
- Make entry check payable to:** Four Paw Sports Center
- Mail entries to:** Four Paw Sports Center, 6426 212<sup>th</sup> St SW #100, Lynnwood, WA 98036
- NOTE:** If you are close to a TACH award, please let us know!!

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association Entry Form

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Mail Entries to: Four Paw Sports Center
6426 212th St SW #100, Lynnwood WA 98036

Payable to: Four Paw Sports Center
Pre-entries must be postmarked by February 13, 2015

TDAA# \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

If dog's registration was recently submitted or included with this entry, enter pending as the TDAA#

TDAA Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Actual Owner(s) (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Handler (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ Disabled?\*

Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please include a copy of a disabled parking permit or other official documentation with entry.

Dog's Measured Jump Height: 2"  4"  8"  12"  16"  Add Time: Disabled Handler  Vet

Need Measuring? Yes  Jump height your dog will jump at this trial: 2"  4"  8"  12"  16"

IT IS THE OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENTER THE CORRECT JUMP HEIGHT. All dogs without a card must be measured before first run. Please consult your jump height card/email to confirm the correct height. Incorrect entries could result in runs not being credited.

Dog's Level: Standard: Beginner  Intermediate  Superior  Games: I  II  III

Can Fast Track to: Standard: Intermediate  Superior  Games: Games II  Games III

Table with columns for trial types: Four Paw Saturday, Four Paw Sunday, AIM, AIM Monday, AIM. Sub-columns include Full House, BETA, Colors, Black Hole, Boston Bowling, Puppy Cannon, Junnel, Cha Cha, and Minuet in G.

FEES: Now per run pricing - pay per run, not per dog! For multi-dog entries fill out pricing on one form only, send together.

Junior Handlers receive a 15% discount on entries!

Table for fee calculation with columns: 1-5 runs, 6-10 runs, 11-15 runs, 16 or more runs, O R Day of Trial, FAST TRACK, Total.

AGREEMENT: I (We) acknowledge the "Teacup Dog Agility Association Rules & Regulations" have been made available to me (us), and that I am (we) are familiar with their contents.

I (We) agree to hold the TDAA and any TDAA approved judge harmless from any legal claim resulting from said judge's action under the TDAA Rules, Regulation and Guidelines.

I (we) agree to hold harmless the director, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lesser of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the show/trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto.

I (We) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (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 arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this Agility Trial.

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 above in consideration of the acceptance of this entry.

Signature of Owner, Parent or Guardian if under 18, Handler, Date

A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for a show closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner, it must be entered in the name of the new owner in any which entries closed after the date of acquirement, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his name.



Official Teacup Dogs Agility Association

**DOG REGISTRATION  
FORM**

Return with \$12.00 payment to:

Teacup Dogs Agility Association  
14543 State Route 676  
Waterford, OH. 45786

**Dog's Name:** (The name used on titling certificates)

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**Dog's Call Name:**

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**Dog's Breed:**

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**Dog's Date of Birth:**

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**Gender:**

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Have you registered a dog with TDAA previously?

Yes:

No:

**Owner:** (The name used on titling certificates)

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**Mailing Street Address:**

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**City, State and Zip:**

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**Primary Phone #:**

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**Secondary Phone #:**

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**Email Address:**

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Your dog's TDAA number will be emailed to you at this address. Provide updated email when applicable.

Only dogs measuring 20" or less at the withers are eligible for TDAA registration. There is no refund of this dog registration fee for any reason.

**Office Use**

**Date**

CK #

**Amt**

\_\_\_ Dog #

\_\_\_ Person #

\_\_\_ Create PDF \_\_\_ Height Cert \_\_\_ TEMP Hgt

\_\_\_ Email .PDF to customer

\_\_\_ Enter AUD

Effective January 1, 2014