

# GRCCO AKC AGILITY TRIAL NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 30-31, 2011

Welcome to the Golden Retriever Club of Columbus, OH agility trial... we hope you enjoy yourselves (check [www.furrydogs.com](http://www.furrydogs.com) for updates to this and future trials)! You'll find confirmations for your entries included in this mailing; please review them carefully and report any errors or missing information to the Secretary ASAP. Note that move-ups are due by **6pm on Monday, December 26<sup>th</sup>**.

Below you'll find ring assignments and the running schedule for the weekend. Please plan your arrival accordingly (allow 5-10 minutes to get to the show site from I-70); also those of you who generously volunteered to work will receive a worker assignment schedule so that you can plan your weekend.

**Check-in:** Those exhibitors who indicated no need for measurements and have no other special check-in requirements will find their armbands at the check-in table. If you do not find your armbands at the table, please see the Trial Secretary.

**Measuring:** If you did not check "my dog does not need to be measured", then please come to the check-in table or be prepared to have your dog measured **prior to running** - please plan to allow some extra time to do this prior to the start of judging. We will have a VMO present both days - all dogs w/o a height card **MUST** be measured.

## Schedule

*\*\*Lunch breaks to be taken at the judges' discretion\*\**

### Ring 1 (Std)

Friday

7:30 Ex/ExP STD walkthrough  
7:45 Ex/ExP STD briefing  
8:00 Ex/ExP STD judging begins  
followed by Open/OpP STD walkthrough & judging  
followed by Novice B/A/P STD walkthrough & judging  
followed by FAST Excellent walk & judging  
followed by FAST Novice walk & judging

### Ring 2 (JWW)

8:00 Novice/NovP JWW walkthrough  
8:15 Novice/NovP JWW briefing  
8:30 Novice/NovP JWW judging begins  
followed by Open/OpP JWW walkthrough & judging  
followed by Ex/ExP JWW walk & judging  
followed by FAST Open walk & judging

### Ring 1 (Std)

Saturday

7:30 Ex/ExP STD walkthrough  
7:45 Ex/ExP STD briefing  
8:00 Ex/ExP STD judging begins  
followed by Open/OpP STD walkthrough & judging  
followed by Novice B/A/P STD walkthrough & judging  
followed by T2B 16" and 20" walk & judging

### Ring 2 (JWW)

8:00 Novice/NovP JWW walkthrough  
8:15 Novice/NovP JWW briefing  
8:30 Novice/NovP JWW judging begins  
followed by Open/OpP JWW walkthrough & judging  
followed by Ex/ExP JWW walk & judging  
followed by T2B 4", 8", 12", 24" & 26" walk & judging

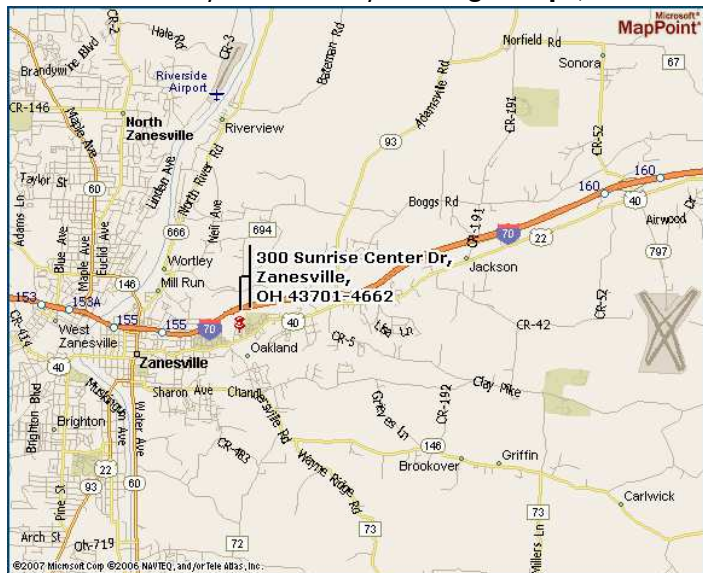
- STD & JWW & FAST: Novice B, A, and Preferred will run together by height, as will Open & Open Pref; and ExB, ExBP, ExA & ExAP.
- Running order: 26 to 4" both days
- Ex STD/JWW will be split into 5 walkthroughs (4-8, 12, 16, 20, & 24-26) minimum & may be further split. Nov/Open STD/JWW will not be split by height.

**Running Order for Ex Std only both days will be 26", 24" Ex A, 24" Ex B, 20", 16", 12", 8", 4" for load balancing**

**on Friday, the 26" ExB dogs and 24" ExA STD dogs will run BEFORE the 24" ExB STD dogs and be judged by Ron McClelland in order to balance the judging load. on Saturday, the 26" ExB dogs and 24" ExA STD dogs will run BEFORE the 24" ExB STD dogs and be judged by Sally Gichner in order to balance the judging load.**

Owners of the affected dogs may request a refund for this class only by submitting a written request to the Trial Secretary no later than 7:30am Sunday.

## Show Site Info / Directions / Crating Setup (Fieldhouse Family Sports & Wellness Center, 300 Sunrise Ctr, Zanesville OH 43701):



**Food and indoor restrooms will be available** at the show site.

**Overnight RV parking & camping at the show site is permitted;** please contact Trial Chairperson if questions. No dogs may be left unsupervised overnight at the show site, but crates/ex-pens/shelters may be left at the owner's risk. **There will NOT be general crating set up on Friday evening. However, if you are willing to help with set-up of equipment on Friday evening, please contact Glenn Rawsky ([smawsky@furrydogs.com](mailto:smawsky@furrydogs.com)).** We are looking for a limited number of workers to help, and you will be allowed to set up crates after trial set up is complete. There is plenty of crating space; however everyone is **REQUIRED** to place a waterproof tarp/mat underneath crates and chairs to protect the turf & track surfaces. This will be strictly enforced!!

**Please clean up after your dogs.** This show is being held at a private sports facility. **No dogs are allowed in the restrooms!**

### Directions:

**From the East,** take I-70 to Exit 157; turn left (South) on SR-93 for 0.2mi; then turn right (West) onto US-22/US-40. Travel West for 1.1mi; Sunrise Center will be on your right (North).

**From the West,** take I-70 to Exit 155 for OH-60S/OH-146E. Bear left onto Elberon Ave; go 0.1mi, and turn right (South) onto OH-60S/146E. Travel 0.2mi and turn left (East) onto US-22/US-40. Travel East for 1.2mi; Sunrise Center will be on your left (North).

**Hotel Info:** Many area hotels accept well-mannered dogs and handlers; some may charge additional fees for pets, so please call ahead to verify acceptance. Please clean up after your pets at the hotels! They are considered extensions of the show site, and we have requested these properties to notify us of any problems so that appropriate actions may be taken. The Exit 155 hotels are closest to the show site; Exit 160 hotels are a couple miles further (although only ~5 minutes farther). There are additional hotels ~20 minutes East and West of Zanesville (including a Red Roof). A list with currently arranged "show rates" is available in the premium and on [www.furrydogs.com](http://www.furrydogs.com).

*This is a preliminary judging schedule which is contingent upon moveup entries not yet received, or when adding waitlisted entries after closing.*

Ring 1 (STD + Exc FAST – Gichner)

Ring Total: 330

Class	26"	24"	20"	16"	12"	8"	4"	Tot
ExB	3*	28	46	46	24	30		177
ExBP			4	5	3	4	1	17
ExA	-	4*	15	5	5	2		31
ExAP			1	3	2	1	1	8
Open	-	3	5	9	3	3		23
OpenP			1	-	-	-	-	1
NovB	-	8	6	3	1	1		19
NovA	-	-	2	3	-	1		6
NovP			-	4	2	-	-	6
FAST-ExB	1	4	12	13	5	1		36
FAST-ExA	1	1	5	3	1	2		12
FAST-ExBP			-	-	-	1	-	1
FAST-ExAP			-	-	-	-	-	-

FRIDAY

Ring 2 (JWW+Open/Nov FAST – McClelland)

Ring Total: 330

Class	26"	24"	20"	16"	12"	8"	4"	Tot
NovB	-	5	4	3	2	2		16
NovA	-	-	2	3	-	1		6
NovP			-	4	1	-	-	5
Open	-	7	7	8	3	2		27
OpenP			1	-	-	-	-	1
ExB	3	27	47	47	26	31		181
ExBP			4	7	2	4	1	18
ExA	-	4	11	4	5	-		24
ExAP			1	1	2	1	1	6
FAST-Op	-	2	9	2	1	-		14
FAST-OpP			-	-	-	-	-	-
FAST-NovB	-	3	4	5	5	1		18
FAST-NovA	-	-	1	2	-	-		3
FAST-NovP			-	1	1	1	1	4

Ring 1 (STD + 16" & 20" T2B – McClelland)

Total: 330

Class	26"	24"	20"	16"	12"	8"	4"	Tot
ExB	3*	28	44	48	26	27		176
ExBP			4	6	3	3	-	16
ExA	-	5*	16	5	4	2		32
ExAP			1	-	2	-	1	4
Open	-	4	4	12	2	3		25
OpenP			1	2	-	-	-	3
NovB	-	8	6	3	3	2		22
NovA	-	-	2	2	-	1		5
NovP			-	3	1	-	-	4
T2B 16/20			29	20				49
T2BP 16/20			1	1				2

SATURDAY

Ring 2 (JWW + 4, 8, 12, 24, 26" T2B—Gichner)

Total: 330

Class	26"	24"	20"	16"	12"	8"	4"	Tot
NovB	-	6	4	3	3	2		18
NovA	-	-	2	2	-	1		5
NovP			-	3	1	-	-	4
Open	-	6	8	11	2	3		30
OpenP			1	1	-	-	-	2
ExB	3	28	46	50	27	28		182
ExBP			4	6	2	3	0	15
ExA	-	5	10	4	5	-		24
ExAP			1	-	2	-	1	4
T2B 8/12/24/26	1	14			14	9		36
T2BP 4							-	-

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If you get lost on Saturday or Sunday... give us a call!.

Run fast, run clean!

-The GRCCO Agility Event Committee

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