INFORMATION BOOKLET

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AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

Inaugural

JUNIORS AGILITY COMPETITION

Friday, December 16, 2011





ORANGE COUNTY CONVENTION CENTER

9800 International Drive, West Building Orlando, FL 32819

Judges:

Ms. Terri Campbell – Huntsville, Alabama Mike Lappin, DVM – Buzzards Bay, Massachusetts Mr. Blair Kelly – Odenton, Maryland



CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

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DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

The Companion Events Department is excited to announce our **first** Juniors Agility Competition in conjunction with the AKC Agility Invitational to be held at the Orange County Convention Center in Orlando, Florida. Competition will be held **Friday**, **December 16**, **2011**. We are looking forward to this inaugural event!

- Entry Limitations Limited to 50 entries
 - Entries will open Monday, July 25, 2011 @ 8:30 am EST
 - Entries will close Friday, September 30, 2011 @ 4:30 pm EST
- Entry Fee \$25.00
- Junior Eligibility Requirements
 - Competitor must have an AKC Junior Handler number prior to entering. Junior Handler numbers can be requested at http://www.akc.org/kids_juniors/jrnoform.cfm.
 - For dogs without an agility title from AKC or any recognized agility organization they will need to have a **Competition Ready form** signed by their trainer that confirms the dog is able to perform all obstacles safely and off leash. 4-H Members who do not have an AKC title or a title from any recognized agility organization on their dogs must have a **Competition Ready form** signed by their project or club leader who works with the member and their dog to confirm they are ready for competition.
 - O The dog must be owned or co-owned by the Junior Handler or by the Junior Handler's father, mother, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, grandfather or grandmother, including the corresponding step and half relations, or by a permanent member of the Junior Handler's household. According to the Junior Showmanship Regulations, Section 7. Eligibility of Dog.
 - O Handlers must be <u>under 18 years of age</u> on the day of the competition.
- Eligibility of Dogs
 - All dogs must:
 - Be a minimum of 15 months old on the day of competition
 - Have an AKC Number or
 - Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privilege (PAL/ILP) http://www.akc.org/req/ilpex.cfm or
 - Foreign registration number and country for an unregistered imported dog
 - Identification number issued by AKC
 - AKC Canine Partnerssm Program Listing Number. The AKC Canine Partnerssm Program is for all dogs, including mixed-breed dogs. Any dogs enrolling with the AKC Canine Partnerssm Program to compete at this event will have their \$35 registration fee waived. To enroll a dog please contact Penny Leigh, Program Manager AKC Canine Partnerssm Program at pxl@akc.org or 919-816-3749
 - Have an AKC jump height card or they will be measured on Friday morning prior to the competition and will be moved to the correct height class if necessary.

If you have any questions please contact Carrie De Young, Director of Agility at (818) 886-8212 (in CA) or by email at cxd2@akc.org

EXHIBITOR AND DOG HISTORY FORM

Exhibitors should submit their **Exhibitor and Dog History** information online at the link below as soon as possible. This information will be read during each dog's run at the event by the announcer. Please include any fun facts that you would like to share, but limit this to 100 words or less. If an exhibitor does not have access to a computer, a paper form is available at the back of this information booklet.

To assist our announcer at the event, if you or your dog's name is spelled unusually, please spell it out phonetically in the fun facts section to assist us with pronunciation.

All Exhibitor & Dog History information must be received no later than Friday, October 28, 2011.

Submit information online at the following link: http://www.akc.org/events/agility/invitational/

Due to limited space, no un-entered dogs will be allowed in the building. No X-Pens will be allowed. A crating area will be marked off for entered dogs. Each dog shall be allocated one 3 foot by 5 foot space.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

The American Kennel Club and the Orange County Convention Center will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site. A **full service food concession** is available on the site.

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. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

Dogs may <u>not</u> be on retractable leads or long-lines while inside the buildings at the Orange County Convention Center. No dogs are permitted to be crated or groomed on any carpeted area.

MEASURING & HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

All agility dogs are required to have an Official Jump Height Card and exhibitors must be able to present it prior to running their dog(s) in any class or at any time during the trial upon request. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card may still compete; but they must be measured by an **Agility Field Rep** during exhibitor check-in.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles and jumps shall be used pursuant to the latest edition of the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials, however, obstacles required by class level may be altered for the event. All classes will take place indoors on a grass surface. There will be two 90' x 100' rings. Electronic timing and 24" weave poles will be used.

Anyone running more than one venue at this event, that has a ring conflict, MUST run during your dog's jump height.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!!

If you, your family, and/or friends would like to volunteer to work in the rings at this year's AKC Agility Invitational / Juniors Agility Competition, please complete the form found online at the link below.

AKC JUNIORS AGILITY COMPETITION - DESCRIPTION & SCORING

- Dogs with an AKC agility title or any titles from a recognized agility organization will compete in the Junior Excellent classes (Standard and Jumpers with Weaves).
 - O Equipment will include:
 - AKC Height A-Frame, Dog Walk & Seesaw
 - 9-12 Weave Poles
 - 8'-9' Closed Tunnel (Chute)
 - Open Tunnel
 - Panel Jump
 - Tire Jump
 - Bar Jump
 - Double Bar Jump
 - Triple Bar Jump
 - Jump Heights will follow AKC Regulations
 - Dogs may enter their appropriate Preferred jump heights. They will be scored within the Regular height. For example, a dog that measures into the 12" class, but enters 8" Preferred will be scored with the 12" class for awards.
- Dogs without any agility titles will compete in the Junior Superior classes (Standard and Jumpers with Weaves).
 - Equipment will include:
 - 5' high A-Frame,
 - 3' high Dog Walk
 - AKC regulation Seesaw
 - 6 Weave Poles
 - 8'-9' Closed Tunnel (Chute)
 - Open Tunnel
 - Panel Jump
 - Tire Jump
 - Bar Jump
 - Double Bar Jump
 - O Jump Heights for this class will be as follows:
 - 4" Dogs measuring 8" and under at the withers
 - 8" Dogs measuring 11" and under at the withers
 - 12" Dogs measuring 14" and under at the withers
 - 16"- Dogs measuring 18" and under at the withers
 - 20"- Dogs measuring 22" and under at the withers
 - 24"- Dogs Measuring over 22" at the withers
- Course faults will be scored as follows: Refusal or Run-out = 5 points; Wrong Course = 5 points; Failure (e.g. missed contact or dropped bar) = 5 points; Elimination (obstacle not completed or skipped) = Whistle (score of zero); Course time deductions = 3-point deduction for every second over the course time truncating down to whole numbers.
- The 4-paw safety rule WILL be in effect. Any dog incurring a 4-paw rule violation shall be faulted 5 points and the handler must move on to the next obstacle.
- Obstacles required by class level may be altered for this event.
- All dogs entered will be required to jump at the AKC jump height based on the shoulder height of the dog. Any dogs without an official AKC jump height card will be required to be measured during exhibitor check-in. Dogs may not jump lower or higher than their official AKC jump height.

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4/8"	2.50	4/8"	3.05
12"	2.70	12"	3.25
16"	2.85	16"	3.50
20"	3.10	20"	3.75
24"	2.90	24"	3.55

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the <u>Regulations for Agility Trials</u> by contacting the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390, by phone (919) 233-9767, by email at <u>info@akc.org</u>, or on the website at <u>www.akc.org</u>.

RIBBONS, AWARDS AND PRIZES

- Each dog will receive a special ribbon for each of their clear rounds
- First through Fourth place, in each class, in each round, will be awarded a Placement Rosette.
 All monetary awards will be mailed approximately 30 days after the competition. Winners of these awards must provide their Social Security Number to the AKC to receive the awards
- Cumulative Awards after Round 2 (based on score then time).

1st Place - \$100 Cash Award

Medallion & Placement Rosette

4' long monogrammed Martingale leash – donated by

M.A.D. Agility

2nd Place - \$75 Cash Award

Placement Rosette

3rd Place - \$50 Cash Award Placement Rosette

\$25 Cash Award

Placement Rosette

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4th Place -



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Sponsors of the Inaugural AKC Juniors Agility Competition

All junior exhibitors will receive a tee-shirt sponsored by M.A.D. Agility to commemorate the event.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

From the Orlando International Airport (EAST) 25 minutes

- 1. Go west on SR 528 to exit 1 (International Drive)
- 2. Go north (right) approximately one mile to Convention Center
- 3. The West Building parking lot can be accessed by turning left at Convention Way (south entrance), Exhibit Drive (north entrance) or following Westwood Boulevard/West Entrance Drive (west entrance).
- 4. The North/South Building parking lot can be accessed by turning right at the South Concourse sign or continuing north on International Drive and turning right onto Convention Way and following to Universal Boulevard, turn right onto Universal Boulevard.

From Daytona Beach or Downtown Orlando (NORTHEAST)

- 1. Take Interstate 4 west to the SR 528 exit (Exit 72)
- 2. Travel east on SR 528 to exit 1 (International Drive)
- 3. North (right) approximately one mile to Convention Center
- 4. From International Drive, the West Building parking lot can be accessed by turning left at either Convention Way (south entrance) or Exhibit Drive (north entrance). From Westwood Boulevard, the west entrance is accessible via West Entrance Drive.
- 5. The North/South Building parking lot can be accessed by turning right at the South Concourse sign or continuing north on International Drive and turning right onto Convention Way and following to Universal Boulevard, turn right onto Universal Boulevard.

From Gainesville, Florida (NORTHWEST) 2 hours

- 1. Take Interstate 75 south to Florida's Turnpike
- 2. Go south on Florida's Turnpike to Interstate 4 west
- 3. Go west on Interstate 4 to the SR 528 exit (Exit 72)
- 4. Go east on SR 528 to exit 1 (International Drive)
- 5. Go north (right) approximately one mile to Convention Center
- 6. From International Drive, the West Building parking lot can be accessed by turning left at either Convention Way (south entrance) or Exhibit Drive (north entrance). From Westwood Boulevard, the west entrance is accessible via West Entrance Drive.
- 7. The North/South Building parking lot can be accessed by turning right at the South Concourse sign or continuing north on International Drive and turning right onto Convention Way and following to Universal Boulevard, turn right onto Universal Boulevard.

From Tampa, Florida (SOUTHWEST) 1 Hour 15 Minutes

- 1. Take Interstate 4 east to the SR 528 exit (Exit 72)
- 2. East on SR 528 to exit 1 (International Drive)
- 3. North (right) approximately one mile to Convention Center
- 4. From International Drive, the West Building parking lot can be accessed by turning left at either Convention Way (south entrance) or Exhibit Drive (north entrance). From Westwood Boulevard, the west entrance is accessible via West Entrance Drive
- 5. The North/South Building parking lot can be accessed by turning right at the South Concourse sign or continuing north on International Drive and turning right onto Convention Way and following to Universal Boulevard, turn right onto Universal Boulevard.

From Miami, Florida (SOUTHEAST) 3 - 4 hours

Via Interstate 95

- 1. Take Interstate 95 north to SR 528
- 2. Go west on SR 528 to exit 1 (International Drive)
- 3. Go north (right) approximately one mile to Convention Center
- 4. From International Drive, the West Building parking lot can be accessed by turning left at either Convention Way (south entrance) or Exhibit Drive (north entrance). From Westwood Boulevard, the west entrance is accessible via West Entrance Drive.
- 5. The North/South Building parking lot can be accessed by turning right at the South Concourse sign or continuing north on International Drive and turning right onto Convention Way and following to Universal Boulevard, turn right onto Universal Boulevard

For further assistance, please call (407) 685-1061. http://www.occc.net/global/directions.asp#DrivingDirections

HUMAN EMERGENCY SERVICES

FIRE / AMBULANCE / POLICE - DIAL 911

Dr. P. Phillips Hospital

9400 Turkey Lake Road Orlando, FL 32819-8001 (407) 351-8500 drphillipshospital.com

Directions from the Show Site:

Head southeast on International Dr toward Convention Way	0.8 mi
Turn right onto Westwood Blvd	1.2 mi
Turn right onto Central Florida Pkwy	0.4 mi
4. Take the 1st right onto Turkey Lake Rd	1.3 mi
5. Turn left toward Stonerock Cir	410 ft
Continue straight onto Stonerock Cir	0.1 mi
7. Turn right to stay on Stonerock Cir	115 ft

UPDATED INFORMATION POSTED ON AGILITY INVITATIONAL WEBPAGE

Please check the AKC Agility Invitational webpage for updated information as it becomes available regarding:

- Banquet Reservations
- RV Reservations
- Ticket Purchases
- Videographer and Photographer

http://www.akc.org/events/agility/invitational/

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of Internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

PUBLICATION RIGHTS - PHOTOGRAPHS & VIDEOS

By entering this show, all owners, handlers, breeders and kennels agree that all rights to televise, videotape, photograph, advertise, promote and publicize or otherwise exploit this show, or the persons or animals participating in it or the results of the competition before, during or after the event, shall belong solely to Eukanuba and The American Kennel Club and their respective assigns, including the use of the names, likenesses or biographical matter of all dogs, owners, handlers, breeders and kennels participating in the show and no such owner, handler, breeder or kennel shall allow any other party to make commercial use of any videotape or photograph of any person or animal participating in this competition. NOTE: By entering this show all owners, handlers, breeders and kennels agree to make themselves available for interview if requested. Exhibitors may video tape **individual runs only** for personal use.

SOUVENIR MERCHANDISE

Souvenir merchandise, including the Order Form, may be found online at: http://www.akc.org/pdfs/aqility_invitational/2011/souvenirs_juniors.pdf

The deadline for ordering merchandise is Friday, October 21, 2011.

For those unable to attend the 2011 AKC Juniors Agility Competition we are offering to ship any souvenirs ordered for a \$10 shipping fee per order (not per item). These orders will be shipped within 30 days AFTER the AKC Juniors Agility Competition.

All other pre-ordered souvenirs will be available during check-in at the event.

CATALOG ADVERTISING

Take the opportunity to advertise your club or company, or send special wishes to this year's competitors in a memorable and visual way by placing an ad in the catalog for the 2011 AKC Agility Invitational and AKC Juniors Agility Competition.

The Exhibitor's Catalog will be 5.5" x 8.5". Send camera-ready ads only, please, in finished size as stated below. Do not forget to include the correct orientation: Full page and 1/4 page ads must be portrait orientation, and half page ads must be landscape orientation. All ads must be in black and white or grayscale. You must submit your ad in .jpg format through email, on disk or CD, or you may mail the ad in printed form to the address below. If mailing, please send only high-quality prints for scanning purposes.

Pricing is as follows:	
1/4 Page up to 2.0" x 3.5"	\$40
1/2 Page up to 4.5" x 3.5"	\$55
Full Page up to 4.5" x 7.5"	\$90
Deadline for submission is Friday, October 14, 2011.	

Electronic Ad submissions and any Questions (no payments) should be sent directly to:

Diane Craig Executive Field Rep

Perfect10Ranch@msn.com Phone (218) 499-9870

All ad payments must be sent with a check made payable to AKC Juniors Agility Competition and mail it to:

AKC Companion Events
Juniors Agility Competition ~ Catalog Ad
8051 Arco Corporate Dr., Suite 100
Raleigh, NC 27617-3390

Or provide the credit card information and mail it to the address above, or you may fax the payment information to (919) 816-4204.

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Print Name as it appears on the credit card:	
Credit Card #:	
Exp Date:	_
Signature of Cardholder:	
Total Amount: \$	Email Address:

ALL PAYMENTS FOR CATALOG AD SUBMISSIONS WILL RECEIVE AN EMAIL CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT OF PAYMENT.

CATALOGS BY PRE-ORDER

Catalogs will be available for sale at a cost of \$15.00 through pre-order. The deadline for ordering shall be October 28, 2011. Please be sure to include both the form and payment when submitting your entry form. A limited supply of catalogs will also be available for sale at a cost of \$20.00 during the Agility Invitational / Juniors Agility Competition weekend.

Note: A catalog will not be provided in the Exhibitor's Packet.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE BELOW FORM AND INCLUDE IT WITH YOUR CATALOG PAYMENT

Name:

Email (include only if you check it regular	ly):	
Number of Catalogs Ordered:	Total Amount Enclosed:	
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You may fax this order form to: (919) 816-4204 (available for credit card orders only.)

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If you have any questions, please contact AKC's Conference and Travel Department, (212) 696-8389.

ACCOMODATIONS

Exhibitors and attendees will receive a special rate when they ask for the AKC/Eukanuba National Championship Group at these hotels in Orlando, Florida.

If for some reason you are not able to keep any part of your hotel reservation, please keep in mind you <u>MUST</u> make all CANCELLATIONS by 6pm local time <u>Friday</u>, <u>November 25, 2011</u> to avoid a non-refundable charge of one night room and tax.

Host Hotels

1) Rosen Plaza (Headquarters Hotel – AKC National Obedience Invitational, National Obedience Juniors Competition, AKC Agility Invitational and AKC Juniors Agility Competition.)

(next door to West Building of Convention Center)

9700 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 996-9700

Central Reservations (800) 627-8258

Room rate is \$110 per night

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

2) Peabody Orlando (Officials Host Hotel)

(across the street from West Building of Convention Center)

9801 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 352-4000

(For reservations for this Hotel Only - please contact AKC's Conference and Travel Department 212-696-8389)

Room rate is \$159 per night

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

3) Rosen Centre (National Championship Host Hotel & Delegate Meeting Headquarters Hotel)

(next door to West Building of Convention Center)

9840 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 996-9840

Central Reservations (800) 204-7234

Room rate is \$120 per night

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

4) Hilton Orlando (0.8 mile from West Building of Convention Center)

6001 Destination Parkway, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 313-4300

Toll Free Reservations (888) 488-3509

Room rate is \$120 per night.

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

5) Embassy Suites Convention Center (0.6 miles from West Building of Convention Center)

8978 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 352-1400

Toll Free Reservations (800) 433-7275

Room rate is \$119 per night. Complimentary full breakfast.

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

6) Homewood Suites Orlando International Drive/Convention Center (0.7 miles from West Building of Convention Center)

8745 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 248-2232

Toll Free Reservations (888) 697-8745

One-Bedroom Suite is \$109 per night.

Two-Bedroom Suite is \$209 per night.

Complimentary full breakfast

No pet fee

7) Hampton Inn Orlando Convention Center (0.75 miles from West Building of Convention Center)

8900 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 354-4447

Toll Free Reservations (800) 327-9797

Room rate is \$99 per night. Complimentary full breakfast.

No pet fee

ACCOMODATIONS (CONTINUED)

8) SpringHill Suites by Marriott Convention Center (0.75 miles from West Building of Convention Center)

8840 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 345-9073

Toll Free Reservations (800) 550-8491

Room rate is \$129 per night. Complimentary hot and cold breakfast buffet.

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

9) Residence Inn by Marriott Convention Center (0.75 miles from West Building of Convention Center)

8800 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 226-0288

Toll Free Reservations (800) 521-9028

Room rate is \$139 per night. Complimentary hot and cold breakfast buffet.

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

10) Courtyard by Marriott International Drive/Convention Center (1 mile from West Building of Convention Center)

8600 Austrian Court, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 351-2244

Toll Free Reservations (800) 321-2211

Room rate is \$109 per night.

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs

11) Embassy Suites Orlando International Drive/Jamaican Court (1.5 miles from West Building of Convention

Center)

8250 Jamaican Court, Orlando, FL 32819

Hotel Direct (407) 345-8250

Toll Free Reservations (800) 327-9797

Room rate is \$119 per night. Complimentary full breakfast.

12) Floridays Orlando Resort (Apartment-style Accommodations) (4.3 miles from West Building of Convention

12562 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32821

Hotel Direct (407) 238-7700

Toll Free Reservations (866) 797-0022

Two-Bedroom Suite is \$125 per night

Three-Bedroom Suite is \$145 per night

\$50 non-refundable deep cleaning fee for rooms housing dogs.

NOTE: The above room blocks will be held until November 25, 2011. or whenever the block is sold out, whichever comes first.

If you need assistance with reservations, contact Paula Spector, AKC Conference and Travel Director, at (212) 696-8389, or e-mail: pspector@akc.org

For general Orlando information, please contact Orlando Convention and Visitors Bureau

BANQUET INFORMATION

We will celebrate this year's Agility Invitational, our 1st Juniors Agility Competition, and the 2010 Top Dogs will be honored with a banquet on Friday, December 16, 2011.

The banquet will be held at:

Embassy Suites Orlando - International Drive/Convention Center, 8978 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819 5 min walk from Rosen Plaza (Agility's host hotel)

Hors d'Oeuvres will be served in the fover of the banquet room at 6:00 p.m.; dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. Cocktail reception is a no host (cash) bar. Eukanuba has generously agreed to pay half the banquet price for all exhibitors. Please be sure to stop by the Eukanuba booth and thank them for their wonderful support!

BANQUET RESERVATION FORM

Please mark your dinner choice for exhibitor, please mark guest choices at bottom of form:		
Exhibitor Selection:		
Cost for Exhibitor <u>\$28.0</u> Grilled Grouper with a Ro Cost for Exhibitor <u>\$26.0</u>	with a Horseradish Cream Sauce O Cost for Guests \$55.00 asted Bell Pepper Sauce and Caramelized Onions O Cost for Guests \$52.00	
Breast of Chicken topped Cost for Exhibitor \$25.0	with a Marsala Sauce <u>O</u> Cost for Guests <u>\$50.00</u>	
(Kabobs will be made with man onions and bell peppers) Cost for Exhibitor \$23.0	served over Yellow Rice Pilaf rinated tofu, eggplant, mushrooms, zucchini, yellow squash, O Cost for Guests \$47.00	
crabmeat stuffed mushroom) Stacked mozzarella and tomato wi Chef's choice of complementary s Starbucks café Verona coffee (reg	tarch & seasonal vegetable with assorted warm rolls and butter	
# Exhibitor (limit 1 per exhibitor) plea # Guest(s) Please note dinner choic	ase mark your choice next to the menu item listed above. es for Guests below:	
# of Prime Rib Dinners # of Grouper # of Vegetable Dinners	Dinners# of Chicken Dinners	
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Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 Fax: (919) 816-4204

OTHER EVENT ACTIVITIES

The AKC/Eukanuba National Championship has something for everyone:

Demonstration rings throughout the show that will host a variety of exciting and educational presentations including, herding, retrieving and scent work.

160+ AKC recognized breeds may be represented at the <u>AKC Meet the Breeds</u> display to help you choose the breed that's right for you.

Vendor booths packed with everything for dogs and their owners.

Vendor Attendance: Vendor invitations for the AKC/Eukanuba National Championship show were e-mailed in early July. If you would like to participate as a vendor and have not received an invitation, please e-mail akcvendor@akc.org.

Two days of action packed competition as the AKC/Eukanuba National Championship, AKC National Obedience Invitational, AKC National Juniors Obedience Competition, AKC Juniors Agility Competition are held in conjunction with the AKC Agility Invitational to find the nations top dogs in the world.

AKC Canine Good Citizen training information and displays.

AKC Booth for information on how to register your dog and to encourage dog owners who want to become involved in the world of AKC events.

And much, much more!!

VETERIARIAN INFORMATION

Williamsburg Veterinary Clinic

5518 Central Florida Parkway Orlando, FL 32821-8604 (407) 239-7606

Directions from the Show Site:

1	. Head southeast on International Dr toward Convention Way	1.8 mi
2	. Turn left onto Central Florida Pkwy Destination will be on the right	0.3 mi

Veterinary Emergency Clinic of Central Florida

2080 Principal Row Orlando, FL 32837 (407) 438-0079

Directions from the Show Site:

1. Head southeast on International Dr toward Convention Way	0.9 mi
2. Turn left to merge onto FL-528 E	3.2 mi
3. Take exit 4 toward US-17/US-92/US-441/Florida's Turnpike	0.3 mi
4. Merge onto Consulate Dr	0.4 mi
5. Turn right onto FL-600 W/US-17 S/US-441 S/US-92 W/S Orange Blossom Trail	0.1 mi
6. Take the 1st right onto Principal Row Destination will be on the left	0.1 mi

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- **DOGS PARTICIPATING.** Dogs and Handlers must meet the minimum entry requirements in order to participate at this event. This event is limited to 50 runs. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.
- DUE TO LIMITED SPACE, no un-entered dogs will be allowed in the facility. Additionally, no ex-pens will be allowed in the facility. Each entered dog will receive one assigned crating space.
- **ENTRY FEES** shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of Event Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or to complete the trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.
- **ENTRY FEES FOR BITCHES IN SEASON** will be refunded if the Trial Secretary is notified in writing at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the event on **Friday**, **December 16**, **2011**. Vet statements should be provided to the Trial Secretary in writing to receive a refund. After December 16, 2011, entry fees will not be refunded for bitches in season.
- REFUNDS for cancellation of entries must be received by September 30, 2011 @ 4:00 p.m. EST and refunds will be issued within 30 days. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Event Committee.
- RINGSIDE. All dogs without a jump height card must be measured at check-in. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused. Dogs will not be permitted to roam and must be on leash at all times on event grounds except when in the ring or when in the designated agility warm-up area. Please pick up after dogs at show site and hotels. Dogs must use the designated exercise areas. JUDGES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR DOGS. The owner/handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

RUNNING ORDERS. Will be provided in the exhibitor check-in packets.

- SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY. The safety of the dog 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. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The American Kennel Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The American Kennel Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the American Kennel Club or any official thereof. All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.
- LEADS. Dogs may not be on retractable leads or long-lines while inside the buildings at the Orange County Convention Center

This club does agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for this event.

No waitlist will be maintained for this event.

EXHIBITOR CHECK-IN TIMES			
Date	Check-In Time	Location	
Friday, December 16, 2011	7:00 am – 8:00 am	Exhibitor Check-In Area at the Trial Site	

DOG JUMP HEIGHT MEASURING TIMES		
All dogs without height cards will be measured on the following schedule ONLY . It is the exhibitor's responsibility to be present for measuring at these times.		
Friday, December 16, 2011	7:00am – 8:00 am	At the Trial Site

OUR ESTIMATED FINISHING TIME IS 12:00 PM PICTURES OF THE WINNERS & AWARDS WILL FOLLOW COMPLETION OF THE EVENT ALL WINNERS ARE REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR PHOTOGRAPHS

DUE TO SPACE LIMITATIONS, ONLY DOGS ENTERED IN THESE EVENTS WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE BUILDING. NO EX-PENS WILL BE ALLOWED.

IMPORTANT DEADLINE DATES TO REMEMBER!

Friday, September 30, 2011

- AKC Agility Juniors Competition Entry Form Deadline including Competition Ready form
- Refund requests for cancelled entries deadline

Friday, October 21, 2011

Souvenir Merchandise Orders are due

Friday, October 28, 2011

- Exhibitor & Dog History forms are due (submit electronically, if possible)
- Volunteer forms are due (submit electronically)

Friday, November 25, 2011

Room Blocks are released

Friday, December 16, 2011

Refund requests for bitches in season deadline



Entries CLOSE at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 30, 2011

Mail Entry form with fees payable to AKC Juniors Agility Competition to:

AKC - Juniors Agility Competition, 8051 Arco Corporate Dr, Ste 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390

ALL Entry Forms Must Be Accompanied by a Competition Ready form!

ALL Entry Forms Must Include a Signed Agreement Page!

(IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE FILLING OUT) BREED		VARIETY				
SEX [] MY DOG NEEDS TO BE MEASURED	HEIGHT	AT WITHERS				
□ JUNIOR EXCELLENT CLASSES (STANDARD AND JUMPERS WITH WEAVES) ENTRY FEE \$25.00 (check one) □ JUNIOR SUPERIOR CLASSES (STANDARD AND JUMPERS WITH WEAVES) ENTRY FEE \$25.00						
JUNIOR EXCELLENT JUMP HEIGHT: REGULAR PREFERRED	JUMP F 4 8	HEIGHT (circle one) 12 16 20 24				
AKC NAME (Include AKC titles only)		CALL NAME OF DOG				
□ AKC® NO. (Enter number here) □ PAL/ILP NO. □ FOREIGN REG. NO. □ PLACE OF BI		AKC JUNIOR HANDLER # OUNTRY)				
BREEDER						
SIRE						
DAM						
ACTUAL OWNERS						
RS ADDRESS						
CITY, STATE, ZIP + 4						
HANDLER (Junior Handler see back)	FEE	ENCLOSED				

EXHIBITOR / OWNER MUST READ AND <u>SIGN</u> THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (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 resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

INSTRUCTIONS

All dogs entered, <u>must</u> compete at the required jump height and <u>may not</u> compete in a jump height division higher or lower than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by an Agility Field Representative during exhibitor check-in. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured.

ALL RIGHTS TO APPEARANCES

All rights to videotape, televise, advertise, photograph, promote and otherwise exploit this event are vested in the American Kennel Club. All persons and animals in attendance who appear in any resultant effort grant the use of their likeness and voice without further consent. Exhibitors may video tape individual runs only for personal use.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 816-3776. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

Junior Handler's Birthdate:

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, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed above on this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

	WNER OR HIS AGENT DULY O MAKE THIS ENTRY		
TELEPHONE :			
E-MAIL ADDRESS:			

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COMPETITION READY FORM

This form must accompany the AKC Juniors Agility Competition Entry Form

Handler's Name:	
Dog's AKC Name:	
Dog's AKC #:	
Complete the appropriate section below t	that pertains to your dog's status:
The above-listed dog has earned an agility title fro recognized agility organization.	m the American Kennel Club and/or another
Title(s) earned	Agility Organization
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date
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The above-listed dog has not earned an agility title recognized agility organization. By signing below, confirms both dog and handler are ready for compall agility obstacles safely and off-leash.	the handler's trainer or 4-H project / club leader
Signature of Trainer / 4-H leader	Date
Please print your name	
Affiliation to Handler (i.e. trainer 4-H leader)	

2011 AKC JUNIORS AGILITY COMPETITION EXHIBITOR & DOG HISTORY FORM

** Please only submit this on paper if you do not have access to do it online. ** Submit information online at the following link:

http://www.akc.org/events/agility/invitational/

All Exhibitor & Dog History information must be received no later than October 28, 2011.

Dog's Call Name	_ AKC #
Owner's Name	Handler
Exhibitor's Tee-Shirt Size: (circle one – unisex sizes)	S M L XL 2XL 3XL
Where do you train?	
How many years in agility? Dog:Are you a Junior Handler? YES	Handler:
Fun Facts about you and your dog (Limited to 100 wor	
To assist our announcer at the event, if you or your dog's nan the fun facts section to assist us with pronunciation.	ne is spelled unusually, please spell it out phonetically in

Return this form to:
Steve Herwig, Trial Secretary
AKC Juniors Agility Competition - EDH
3717 Mountcrest Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89121
DO NOT SEND YOUR ENTRY FORM OR COMPETITION READY FORM TO THIS ADDRESS!