

ASCA



PERFORMANCE DOG
TRAINING

All Breed Agility Trial

March 17-18, 2012

La Jolla, CA

Sanctioned by ASCSDC and the
Australian Shepherd Club of America



Judge: Susan Zimmerman, Ohio		
Classes	Divisions: Standard, Veteran, Junior Handler Levels: Elite, Open, Novice	
	Saturday	Sunday
	Jumpers Jumpers Regular Regular Gamblers	Gamblers Regular Regular Jumpers Jumpers
	5 runs per day - Running order is tentative and subject to change.	
Location	Doyle Elementary School, 3950 Berino Ct, San Diego, CA 92122 Outdoors on grass with limited shade	
Limits	Entries limited to 350 runs a day. No Day-Of-Show Entries. Trial entries will close whenever the limit is reached. In the event entries fill, priority will be given to the first 30 volunteers. See our Volunteer sign up on page 4.	
Dates	Opening: Entries open Friday, January 6, 2012 Acceptance will be based on the postmark date. If the trial fills, entries postmarked that day will be drawn from at random. Closing: Entries close Friday, March 9, 2012 or when entry limits are reached.	

Show Officers	Show Secretary	Dan Roy secretary@performancedogtraining.com (858) 455-8355
	Trial Chair	Dianna Lamorandier lamoran2@hughes.net (619) 468-9050
	Volunteer Coordinator	Karen Taylor luvali@sbcglobal.net
	Chief Score Keeper	Dayle Moden
	Chief Course Builder	Dayle Shimamura
	Awards	Nichole Hartman
	Hospitality	Cynthia Roy and Aussie Rescue
Premium	Dan Roy	

CONFIRMATIONS: Information regarding classes you have entered will be emailed to all entrants who have provided a valid email address. **PLEASE READ YOUR CONFIRMATIONS!!** Contact the trial secretary ASAP with any corrections and or move-ups. A general letter will be emailed to all exhibitors during the week of the trial. The general letter will confirm directions, times for setup, check-in, measuring, first dog on the line, class running orders, etc.

CLASS CHANGES: Move-ups must be submitted in writing (email ok) to the Trial Secretary, secretary@performancedogtraining.com at any time before the trial. Move-ups will also be allowed at the trial from Saturday to Sunday. Please submit move-up information ASAP.

AWARDS: PDT offers ribbons for First through Fourth place in each class for each jump height division. 20+" and 24" dogs will be scored together. ASCA Qualifying Ribbons will be offered to every dog obtaining a qualifying score. Dogs that complete an ATCH receive a decorated pole for signing. If you might get an ATCH at our trial, please let us know.

HIGH IN TRIAL: In an effort to recognize you and your dogs' outstanding performance, we offer five High In Trial awards: Standard Elite, Open, Novice, Veteran, and Junior Handler. High In Trial awards are calculated per ASCA Agility Rules and Regulations section 2.7.2, paragraphs c and d.

HOSPITALITY: Compliments of PDT and Aussie Rescue. Donations to Aussie Rescue are accepted.

*****OTHER EVENTS:** ASCSDC may also be offering Conformation, Obedience and Rally O at this event. Please check with them for more details. Their website address is: www.ascsandiego.com

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What dogs may enter?

ASCA Agility trials are open to purebred and mixed breed dogs. All healthy, trained dogs over eighteen (18) months of age are eligible to compete in ASCA Agility Trials.

Are there any restrictions?

Bitches in Heat

Bitches in heat, lame, or blind dogs are ineligible for entry.

Artificial Devices on Dogs

Dogs may have nothing artificial on throughout their course run, including, but not limited to, bandannas, bandages, dog sweaters, etc., except when a handler uses a small rubber band or non-decorative clip to keep the hair out of a dog's eyes.

Other Restrictions

In all classes the handler shall direct their dog through the course without a collar or lead. No food, toys, balls or other devices may be used within ten (10) feet (3.1 meters) of the entrance to the ring. The handlers may not carry anything with them into the ring which might be construed to be an aid to the performance of their dogs (such as fanny packs or leashes around their waists).

Do I need an ASCA Registration Number?

You do not need a registration / tracking number in order to compete in ASCA Agility; however any qualifying scores will not be recorded and applied to titles. Your dog does not have to be a purebred to receive a tracking number from ASCA®.

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

If you would like to have your dog's points and titles recorded by ASCA®, and if you'd like to receive title certificates in the mail for your accomplishments, you might want to obtain a tracking number. A membership and tracking number application can be found on page 3 of this flyer.

May we train in the ring?

Training in the ring will result in elimination. However, the dog and handler will not be excused from the ring, provided that no harsh words or measures are employed by the handler. Gentle training in the ring is encouraged, in the interest of safety and motivation, if done within the Standard Course Time (SCT) for that class. The exhibitor will be asked to leave the ring once Standard Course Time has been reached.

Jump Height - Exemptions?

The following dogs 'may' jump 4" lower than indicated for their wither height if their breed is listed below: Am. Staffordshire Terrier, Australian Terrier, Basset Hound, Bulldog, Bull Terrier, Cairn Terrier, Cardigan & Pembroke Welsh Corgi, Cavalier King Charles Spaniel, Clumber Spaniel, Dachshund, Dogue de Bordeaux "DDB", French Bulldog, Glen of Imaal Terrier, Miniature Bull Terrier, Petite Basset Griffon Vendéen, Pug, Scottish Terrier, Shar-Pei, Skye Terriers, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, Swedish Vallhund, West Highland White Terrier.

A handler may enter a dog in Standard Division classes at a jump height higher than the minimum height the dog is required to jump. A dog jumping at a higher jump height will be scored and have the course time of the jump height class in which the dog participates.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Exhibitors, through submission of 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. A copy of ASCA's Agility Rulebook may be downloaded free from the ASCA web site: ww.asca.org.

All dogs must be on a leash when not competing in the ring. No set ups within 15 feet of any ring.

Safety shall always be the foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times. In all cases, regardless of the situation, the judge's decisions are final.

Anyone not in good standing with ASCA will not be allowed entry. The organizing committee may refuse any entry on the basis expressly provided through ASCA rules and regulations or guidelines established by the ASCA Board of Directors.

Equipment list: Non-Winged Jumps, Winged Jumps, Double Jump, Open Tunnels, Closed Tunnel, 24" Weave Poles, Safety Tire, Teeter, Slatted Dog Walk and A-frame.

Note: Junior Handlers are under 18 years. Novice A is for dogs, owners and handlers who have never earned an agility title in **any** venue.

Refunds: **No refunds are given for entries withdrawn after the closing date.** No refund is given if a dog or handler is dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason. No refund is given if the trial cannot open or be completed due to riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of god, public emergency, acts of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the Show Committee's control. The show will not be cancelled in the event of rain. Credit vouchers may be issued for injured dogs or bitches in season if submitted to the trial secretary before the trial. Credit vouchers are assessed on a case by case basis. A letter from your vet indicating the dog's condition may be requested.

Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$20.00 service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark of notice of returned check. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice could result in cancellation of event results for all classes for the registration number(s) of delinquent entry/entries. Reinstatement of results may not be possible and all awards must be returned within 10 days of notification, or the dog's registration may be suspended pending restitution. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is canceled without recourse by owner/handler. Please clean up after yourself and your dog.

Please also keep hotel rooms and grounds clean so that hotels will continue to allow dogs to stay.

The Show Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result was by accident or any other cause.

It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Please take responsibility for your dogs and children. Any exhibitor whose dogs or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Show Committee, Performance Dog Training, or **ASCSDC** be asked to leave the show site. There will be no refunds for entries if a dog or handler is dismissed from competition for any reason.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS – CONTINUED

PERMANENT MEASUREMENT CARDS – Dogs with a standard jump height of 20" or greater do not need to be measured. All other heights must be measured or present a NADAC or AKC permanent height card.

Beginning 1/1/2003 for non-ASCA registered dogs – In order to have ASCA qualifying legs tracked and to receive ASCA titling certificates, each non-ASCA registered dog will be required to have an ASCA Tracking Number. **This is a one-time fee of \$10/dog.**

At the time of applying for the tracking number, **the individual owner must also be an ASCA member** (minimum membership type of 'Service' is required). ASCA membership does not need to be maintained in subsequent years. It will be the responsibility of the owner to identify to ASCA the shows and legs earned when applying for a Tracking Number for those ASCA qualifying legs earned from 1/1/2003 until submission of application.

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

Membership Application:

Owner's Name (1) _____
Owner's Name (2) _____
Owner's Address: _____
City, State, Postal Code: _____
Phone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Type of Membership: Service (\$10) this form for Service Membership only.
If you would like to become a full member use the official ASCA Membership Application.
Application Type: New Renewal Existing Member Mem.# _____

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): _____

Dog Information: Lifetime fee for tracking number is \$10.00 per dog for ASCA Members
Dog's Full Name: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____

Any/All Previous Registration Numbers Used: _____

Sex: _____ Birth date: _____
Breed: _____

Mail completed form with check or money order to:
ASCA Business Office
6091 E. State Hwy 21, Bryan, TX 77805-3790

DIRECTIONS

Doyle Elementary School, 3950 Berino Ct, San Diego, CA 92122
From I-5 North and South – Exit La Jolla Village Drive heading east, turn right on Regents Road, turn left on Berino Ct, Doyle Elementary School is straight ahead. The agility field is to the right when you first enter the school grounds.

ACCOMODATIONS

Please verify that the following still accept dogs, some ask for pet deposits and or fees:

Residence Inn La Jolla	(858) 587-1770	(2.0 miles to site)
Hilton Torrey Pines	(858) 558-1500	(4.5 miles to site)
Motel 6 S. D. North	(858) 268-9758	(4.6 miles to site)
Best Western	(619) 275-5700	(7.4 miles to site)
La Quinta Inn (Old Town)	(619) 291-9100	(10 miles to site)
La Quinta Inn (Mission Valley)	(619) 295-6886	(11.2 miles to site)
La Quinta Inn (Poway)	(858) 484-8800	(14.8 miles to site)

RV & CAMPING

Campland on the Bay	(800) 422-9386	(7.2 miles to site)
Santa Fe Park	(858) 272 4051	(7.3 miles to site)

On-site RV may be available
Please contact: dan@performancedogtraining.com

VETERINARIANS

Colony Veterinary 7748 Regents Rd	(858) 450-5047 <i>Walking-distance from show site</i>	Hours: Sat 9AM -1PM
Governor Animal 3240 Governor Drive	(858) 453-6312 <i>2.4 miles from show site</i>	Hours: Sat 8AM -12:30
Veterinary Specialty 10435 Sorrento Valley	(858) 875-7500 <i>4.1 miles from show site</i>	Hours: 24 hour

