



SchaSam Agility Group

16-17 March 2024

The Wearing of the Green!

Fun Fur Paws Arena, 22352 Stargate
Place, Mt Vernon WA 98274

Judge:

Pam Kaye, Sequim WA

Double run format

**Indoors on dirt , one 80x140 ring
Rubber Contact Surface – no slats**

**Crating will be in your vehicle. You
may arrive at the arena after 7:30am
Saturday and Sunday**

**General briefing will be emailed with
final confirmation. Please READ it!!!**

**First dog on the line at 9 am Saturday
& 0830 on Sunday (time may be
adjusted if needed – competitors will
be notified by email)**

Preliminary Class Order:

May change depending on weather, judge's preference, time
or number of entries

Saturday

Class:	Double Run	Single Run
Touch & Go	2	
Chances	2	
Gamblers	2	
Regular	2	

Sunday

Class:	Double Run	Single Run
Regular	2	
Weavers	2	
Grounders	2	
Jumpers	2	

Health & Safety Considerations: We will adhere to all state and local rules. Anyone who does not follow the requirements spelled out in the final confirmation will be asked to leave the trial with no refund. We gladly refund for runs not taken if you feel sick or your dog is coughing while at the trial. If you were exposed to someone who tested positive for COVID or have a reason you cannot be around people, please let us know before the closing date so we can refund your entry. Anything after the closing date, please coordinate with the Trial Chair.

This Trial's Ribbon Buy Back/Charity donations will be made to the Kidney Foundation in honor of SAG team member Josh who received a kidney transplant in 2023.

Entries Open 1 February 2024
Entries Close on 8 March 2024
Final confirmation and additional information sent by 13 March 2024

Entry Limits: 325 runs per day
Saturday & Sunday

Move ups can be made day to day but not same day and Day of Show Entries may be made if trial is not full.

Refunds: Full refunds will be issued for COVID concerns (feel sick at the trial, have symptoms, exposed to someone within 14 days of the trial, tested positive for COVID within 14 days of the trial or have a recently diagnosed reason that you cannot be around people), BIS or injury to handler or dog which precludes trialing – email to SchaSamFarm@yahoo.com for determination of refund.

Containerized Trial: This is a containerized trial. All treats and toys must be containerized (zip lock bag or other sealed container) with the following exception: NADAC allows a handler to carry a toy (non-noise making) in the ring. The handler must “declare” the toy to the judge before starting the run (wave it in the air, getting the judge’s attention). Any treats left laying around will be tossed!

Leash Running: You may elect to carry your leash with you during your run. However, the leash must be in your pocket or otherwise secured BEFORE your dog starts his/her run.

Equipment Info: All equipment meets NADAC standards. The A frame & Dog Walk have a rubber belting surface; no slats. Weave poles have 24” spacing.

Show Committee

Trial Chair Sam Lietz
(SchaSamFarm@yahoo.com)
Trial Secretary Beth Gideon
(dogfish6@comcast.net)

Chief Course Builders Nancy & Courtney
Roller
Awards/Recognitions Kathy Swan
Worker Wrangler Judy Jones

Food info: Bottled water, Keurig coffee and packaged snacks will be available for all competitors. There are numerous food opportunities at the freeway exit minutes from the arena. Please bring food and drink for you and your dog(s). SAG team members will be provided lunch both days **Potluck will take place Saturday at the arena about an hour after the trial ends. Come Join us if you want to learn more about SAG!**

Volunteer info: You must volunteer to be eligible for HIT awards. SAG provides for a random draw of worker coupons in the amount of \$1, \$2, \$5, \$10 or \$20 off the next SAG event. Please draw a coupon (from the orange backpack at the worker board) each time you work and THANK YOU for volunteering!

Awards and Ribbons:

- 1-4th place ribbons for each jump height for all classes and levels except Chances
- New Title, 1st Qualifying Run in NADAC, and the multitude of agility team championship ribbons for your awesome accomplishments will be available.
- High in Trial awards (points/speed based) will be presented before the last class on Sunday in Intro, Novice, Open, Elite, and Senior (over 70) and Junior (17 & under) Handlers. **Must be present for award.**
- Successful “Pirate Runs” earn you a colorful pirate dog tag or pin and (ho ho ho) a bottle of rum – ARGUHHH!!!!

Jump Height Info:

MEASURING: Measurement forms may be obtained at: <https://www.nadac.com/WPsite/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Permanent-Height-Card-form-6.4.21.pdf>

Dogs which require measuring:

Dogs in the Proficient Category, Novice, Open or Elite jumping 4", 8", 12" or 16"

Dogs which do not need to be measured:

Dogs jumping 16" in the Veteran or Junior Handler Division

Dogs jumping 20"

Dogs in the Skilled Category

Dogs with a permanent height card

Dogs listed on the Height Exemption List

JUMP HEIGHTS

There are four Standard Division-Proficient jump heights: 8", 12", 16", and 20".

There are four Standard Division-Skilled jump heights: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

There are four jump heights for the Veterans and Junior Handler divisions: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

Please see the NADAC Rulebook for the full jump height table

Brief Summary of Rules:

Please refer to www.nadac.com for a full explanation of all NADAC rules and up to date information.

- Please note that NADAC trials should provide a safe and fun environment for both exhibitors and their dogs.
- Aggressive dogs will not be tolerated and will be excused from the trial.
- The show committee has the right to refuse any entry. Anyone not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed to enter this trial.
- Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$25.00 service charge for bank returned checks.
- Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted. [Register Your Dog | NADAC](#) . A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadac.com
- Bitches in heat, lame, or blind dogs are ineligible for entry, as is any dog with a deformity which may cause a judge to not be able to reasonably assess the dog's ability to function and perform agility obstacles safely, and in a manner that is in the best interest, health and welfare of the dog.
- Handlers may bring a non-audible toy into the ring for training purposes. They cannot earn a Qualifying score and must declare to the judge they are training before they commence their run. No clickers or other training tools or devices or unsecured food are permitted on the course or within 10 feet of the ring. Food or a small non-audible toy can be in a secure container (ziplock bag is acceptable) in your pocket during your run but it cannot be used during your run, nor can you indicate to the dog it is there. Please read the Exhibitor's Handbook for more information about toys and training in the ring.
- The sponsoring clubs will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result be accident or other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

SAG, March 2024. Mail (USPS) entries/payment, signed waivers (pgs 5-6) and payment (check or PayPal receipt) to: Beth Gideon, 2629 NE Sylvan Way, Bremerton, WA 98310. Checks Payable to: SchaSam Agility Group. Paypal address: SchaSamFarm@yahoo.com - include 4% PayPal Fee.

Owner					Dog		
Name					Call Name		
Address					NADAC Reg #		
City/State/Zip					Date of Birth		
Phone					Height at Withers		
Email					Breed		
Handler, If not owner					Emergency Contact Name/Phone		
PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR DOG'S HEIGHT CARD IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE ON FILE.							
CATEGORY: PROFICIENT <input type="checkbox"/> SKILLED <input type="checkbox"/>							
DIVISION: STANDARD <input type="checkbox"/> VET DOG <input type="checkbox"/> VET HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/>							
I WANT MY DOG TO JUMP: <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20							
Class	Level				Day		
	Intro	Novice	Open	Elite	Saturday		Sunday
Touch & Go	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Chances	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Gamblers		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Regular	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Weavers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Grounders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we certify that I/we have knowledge of, and are familiar with, and agree to abide by, the Rules and Regulations of NADAC in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by NADAC for this trial. I/we certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. I/we further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on page 5 of this premium							

SAG members pay \$1 less per run for all the hard work you do getting ready for and putting on these awesome trials!!!

Number of Total Runs Entered (all dogs per household): # _____

1-6 runs \$13 each 7-13 runs \$12 each 14+ runs \$11 each

Jr Handler (17 or less) & Sr Handler (70+) all runs \$8 each \$ _____

After closing (5 March) and DOS \$15 per run (if trial does not fill)

Make sure to deduct volunteer coupons (enclose them with your entry) - _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Mail entry form and payment (check payable to SchaSam Farm or PayPal receipt (SchaSamFarm@yahoo.com)) to Beth Gideon at address at top of page. Entry is not valid without payment.

Owner/Exhibitor: _____ Date _____

Parent or Legal Guardian for Junior Handle3 _____

NADAC AGREEMENT – Sign and return with Entry Form

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

- 1.1. As used here "NADAC" means the North American Dog Agility Council, LLC., its members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.
- 1.2. Exhibitor/owner agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
- 1.3. Exhibitor/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.
- 1.4. Exhibitor/owner acknowledge all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the surface, restrooms, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fittings, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.
- 1.5. Exhibitor/owner releases NADAC (including its respective officers, directors, employees, and members), SchaSam Agility Group (including its officers, directors, members, and event organizing committee), and Fun Fur Paws (including its officers, agents, and employees) and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assumes sole responsibility for and agrees 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 damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons

Printed Name of Competitor and Date _____ +

Competitor's Signature (or parent/guardian if competitor is minor child) _____

FUN and GIVING BACK:

MARCH SHARE THE GREEN - Since it is that time of year, if you have any extra veggie or flower starts you would like to share, bring them to the trial and we will have a table under a pop up tent to display for anyone to take. We will put out a donation bucket and add your donation to our trial charity fund.

MARCH's CHARITY: Our March SAG trial ribbon buyback program and donations will go to the Northwest Kidney Center in honor of Josh Allen. The ribbon buyback is where instead of taking a ribbon (Q or placement), you forego that ribbon and SAG provides that cost to the designated charity. There will be little forms to fill out at the trial on the ribbon table. Daily or at the end of the trial you can fill out the form telling SAG how many ribbons (flats) you didn't take and SAG will send a check to Taylor & Josh to present to the Center to thank them for helping Josh!

Overpaid? And as we do every trial - if you overpaid on your entry or you had to scratch some runs, you will be asked if you want to be reimbursed or donate that \$\$ to the 4H club.

THINKING AHEAD TO MAY

We would like to encourage you to support our May annual yard sale. At that SchaSam Farm trial you can bring any gently used doggy products to donate to our "for sale" tables. The proceeds from that sale are also earmarked for the Humane Society of Jefferson County (HSJC). The sale area will be either in the ribbon barn (bad weather) or outside in the common area (good weather).

Got any extra agility or rally equipment taking up space? Want to do a good deed for a local charity or local 4H club? Bring it with you to the **May trial** and or drop it off anytime at SchaSam Farm. You can earmark it for the yard sale (proceeds to the Humane Society of Jefferson County) or for a local dog 4H club. 4H generally uses AKC equipment so donate your serviceable tire jump, wait table, dog walk, standard, triple or broad jumps, tunnels and tunnel bags. Anything would be appreciated!

WE ARE COORDINATING FOR A NAIL TRIMMER (Sheena Nickerson of Precision K9) AND A DOG MASSEUSSE (Kelly Gann or Jackie Loeser) TO BE ON SITE FOR THE MAY TRIAL.

SAVE the Dates - SAG trials in 2023:

At SchaSam Farm in Stanwood:

May 17-19 Judge Patti Cavin from Puyallup WA

May 31-2 June Judge Jim Nally from Minnesota

Jul 5-7 Judge Keri Daun from Calgary AB Canada

Aug 23-25 Judge Chelle Schumann from Drummond MT

Sep 13-15 TOYS FOR TOTS FUNDRAISER - Volunteer Judges to include Traci Bruchock from Redmond OR, Patti Cavin from Puyallup, Pam Kaye from Sequim WA and Arlene Courtney from Monmouth OR

At Fun Fur Paws Arena in Mount Vernon – 7-8 December, Judge Kari Hammargren from WA

DIRECTIONS: Your GPS will aptly guide you to the address of 22352 Stargate Place, Mt Vernon off exit 218 of Interstate 5. Head east off exit. At 4 way stop sign, turn left onto Bulson, follow around to steep corner to the left. The entrance to Fun Fur Paws will be ¼ mile down on your right.

ACCOMODATIONS:

Motels (call to confirm availability and pet policy) We are not endorsing any hotels – just providing you with a listing.

Mt Vernon Quality Inn, 1910 Freeway Drive, Mt Vernon 360-428-4287

Best Western College Way Inn, 300 W. College Way, Mt Vernon 360-424-4287 (*One recent competitor's review of this hotel would make us check out the facility before booking).

Windham Garden Hotel, 16710 Smokey Point Blvd, Arlington WA 98223 360-657-0500 Additional source for hotels/motels [https://www.booking.com/pet friendly/hotel](https://www.booking.com/pet-friendly/hotel)

- Or if you want to RV at the site, use the form on the following page – send to the Facility Owner, Melissa Burton at the address on the form – do NOT include it with your entry.



ON SITE RV PARKING FORM ~

(UPDATED 11-2022)

PLEASE NOTE: Restroom facilities (no showers) are available: heated in the winter months & have running water! No dump station on site. Spots may or may not be preassigned; there are 19 total spots with power only.

NO WATER hook ups

(Only 1, 30amp, the rest are 50amp)

Quiet hours.....GENERATORS: cannot be ran from 9pm -7am

Respect your neighbors & please do not place exercise pens, beyond your rented space.

**** NO PARKING ON THE GRASS!****

Name: _____ Email _____

Phone # _____ Cell phone: _____

Vehicle description: _____ Length _____

Number of slide outs: ____ License plate _____

Nights you will be staying: Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

Hook ups (no sewer/water) @ \$ 30.00 per night

Tent/ dry camping \$ 15.00 per night

Electric vehicles \$10.00/day

Total amount enclosed: _____ if applicable, Check # _____

Please mail this form & RV payment to:

Fun Fur Paws, PO BOX 2176, Mount Vernon WA 98273

Make checks payable to **Fun Fur Paws, LLC**.

This fee is separate from your entry fees!!

Camping fees are refundable if you do not attend the trial or you make plans for other accommodations. But you must let us know prior to the trial date, once the trial starts your fees are non-refundable. ~ thank you

IF you wish to stay additional nights, please contact Melissa directly & pay any additional fees directly to her!

Office Use: This vehicle is assigned to space # _____ Check received _____ Amount\$ _____

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