

**ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Friday, December 23rd, 2023 8:00am** at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed. Fees must accompany entries. Checks must be made out to Q4 U agility. Failure to do so will not constitute a valid entry.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON January 27, 2023 6:00pm** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the *Rules Applying to Dog Shows*. Withdrawn entries are subject to a refund as allowed in Chapter 1, Section 9 and/or Chapter 1, Section 16 of the *Regulations for Agility Trials*. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

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**PREMIUM LIST**

**AKC Licensed All-Breed Agility Trial**

This Event is Accepting Entries for Dogs  
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program <sup>SM</sup>



**Friday, February 10, 2023**

Event # 2023685302

**Saturday, February 11, 2023**

Event # 2023685303

**Sunday, February 12, 2023**

Event # 2023685306

1 ring 118' X 98'  
Outdoors on field grass

**Q4U Agility**  
7756 N Pueblo Circle  
Casa Grande, AZ  
85194

**ENTRY LIMITS:** 350 runs each day\*\*\*

Entries will be accepted on a "First Received" basis.

**Trial Hours:** Friday, Saturday, and Sunday – 7:30 am until 7:00 pm

**Setup starts at 7 am Friday, Saturday, & Sunday**

**Judge:** **Jenny Burrows, Boise, ID. 106098**



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**CERTIFICATION**

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

Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary

**2022- OFFICERS OF BORDER COLLIE CLUB OF ARIZONA**

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**EVENT COMMITTEE**

Kim O'Connor, Chris O'Connor, Mary Chessik, Tami Rasmussen, Denise Titzer, Gail Chadwick

**JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS**

Jenny Burrows	All classes
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**VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

Arizona Veterinary Emergency & Critical Care Center  
86 W Juniper Ave Suite 1  
Gilbert, AZ 85233

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Fire/Ambulance 520-421-9957  
Police 911

Banner Casa Grande Medical Center  
1800 E. Florence Blvd  
Casa Grande, AZ. 85122

**JUDGING SCHEDULE**

Tentative Running order Friday:

Ring 1: Exc/Master JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW, Time 2 Beat, Exc/Master Standard, Open Standard, Nov Standard,

Tentative Running order Saturday:

Ring 1: , Exc/Master Standard, Premier Standard, Open Standard, Nov Standard, Exc/Master JWW, Premier JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW

Tentative Running order Sunday:

Ring 1: Exc/Master JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW, , Fast (Combined), Exc/Master Standard, Open Standard, Nov Standard,

**Note that the class order is tentative and given as a courtesy to handlers, the Trial Chairperson has the right to change the running order until Final Confirmations have been sent.**

Please consult the *Regulations for Agility Trials* for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class and height division. Dogs running in a height division other than what they are eligible for will be eliminated.

### MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

HEIGHT DIVISIONS		
REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a <i>higher</i> height division.	Handlers must run their dog in the following heights.	<i>Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.</i>
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers. <b>Regular dogs may not be entered in this height if they are 22 inches and under.</b>
<b>24C"</b>	<b>n/a</b>	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches and under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

All dogs competing in agility must possess an official AKC Jump Height Card or temporary jump height form per the Height Card Regulations. **If you do not have official proof of measurement, it is your responsibility to get measured at this trial.** Dogs must be entered in the jump height they are eligible for, or the handler-optional 26" jump height.

### DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds.

The AKC Canine Partners program is for mixed breed dogs and dogs ineligible for AKC registration. For more information see <http://www.akc.org/mixedbreeds/index.cfm>.

#### Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed. Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.

### **Entering For Exhibition Only**

(FEO For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out to the scribe and the judge.

### **Fix and Go On (FNG)**

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

## **OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the *Regulations for Agility Trials*. All contact equipment is rubberized.

All classes will take place outdoors on field grass.  
Ring size will be 118 x 98

## **FOOD CONCESSION**

There will not be a food vendor at this trial. Lunch, drinks, and snacks will be offered to people who volunteer to work.

## **COVID-19 PROTOCOLS**

The trial will be conducted in accordance with current state/local regulations. Should changes occur in requirements before the closing date competitors may withdraw at no penalty. After closing date for this trial, changes to COVID-19 policies will not be an acceptable reason to pull from the trial, unless there is a note from a doctor to support a medical exemption from regulations.

## RIBBONS, AWARDS AND PRIZES

First through Fourth place ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class for qualifying scores. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dog and handler teams receiving qualifying scores.

Titling Rosettes are offered to dogs finishing an Agility title at these trials.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the *Regulations for Agility Trials* by contacting the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Dr., Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390, by phone (919) 233-9767, by email at [info@akc.org](mailto:info@akc.org), or on their website at [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org).

## ABOUT THE FACILITY

**Port-a-potties will be onsite.**

Overnight RV parking must be coordinated with Kim O'Connor at [q4uagility@gmail.com](mailto:q4uagility@gmail.com). There is a \$15 per night RV fee for dry camping. Space is limited.

**There is a maximum SPEED Limit on Pueblo Circle of 10 MPH- Going over the speed limit will result in IMMEDIATE dismissal from the trial.**

## NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

**HANDICAPPED.** Please park in the designated areas.

**DOG MANNERS.** 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 trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Border Collie Club of Arizona 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.

**POTTY AREA.** Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s).

**WARM UP AREA.** A warmup area with a single practice jump will be provided outside the ring area.

**CANINE HEALTH.** 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. Arizona law requires rabies vaccine every 3 years.

**DOGS ON LEASH.** All dogs must be on leash or secured in a crate at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

**JUDGING.** The judging will start promptly. During the hours of judging owners are to be on call and have their dogs ready to bring into the judging ring promptly in order that the judging will not be delayed. Dogs need only be present for the judging of their class. Dogs not needed for further judging may be excused.

**DOG SAFETY.** The safety of the dog is our primary concern. Any exhibitor entering this trial acknowledges that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all of the obstacles safely.

**NO DOGS IN CLOSED VEHICLES!! Do not leave dogs in closed vehicles!!!**

**ENTRIES.** The Club and Trial Secretary assume no responsibility for wrong or incomplete information given on the entry form by the owner or agent of the owner. **Incomplete and/or illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor!** Be sure to write legibly, complete each required field, make, include a copy of the AKC Agreement, and sign the entry form. Entry must be received with full payment to be processed. **Checks must be written in black or blue ink. THEY MUST be made PAYABLE to Q4U AGILITY DAILY Entry fees are \$20.00 for first run and \$19.00 for all other runs** per day (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee for first run and \$3.00 AKC recording fee for each additional run). **Any use of vouchers or BCCAZ or Q4U Cash must be mailed to the trial secretary and payment in full must be received prior to the closing date.** Paypal or Zelle can be accepted as payment. Please contact the trial secretary for additional details.

5 runs/day	\$96/day
4 runs/day	\$77/day
3 runs/day	\$58/day
2 runs/day	\$39/day
1 run/day	\$20/day

### Examples:

STD and JWW all 3 days =  $(\$20+\$19) * 3 =$  **\$117**  
STD and JWW all 3 days + Premier =  $(\$117+\$19) =$  **\$136**  
All classes, all 3 days =  $(\$20+\$19+\$19) * 3 =$  **\$231**  
STD and JWW all 3 days + FAST Fri & Sun =  $\$117+\$38 =$  **\$155**  
STD, JWW and T2B Sat & Sun =  $(\$20+\$19+\$19) * 2 =$  **\$116**

**WHEN ARE ENTRY FEES REFUNDABLE?** Entry fees are non-refundable after the closing date. After closing refunds of 75% will be given to:

- Bitches in season
- Injured dogs with an excuse from a veterinarian
- Dogs with Kennel Cough. In addition to the obvious – dogs that are actively coughing, this includes those who have been exposed to kennel cough and are still in the incubation period and dogs that are still sloughing the virus (no vet excuse needed, no questions asked).

Handlers experiencing COVID-19 symptoms or who have been exposed and are currently quarantining.

The handler must notify the Trial Secretary up to 30 minutes prior to the start of the first class of the day of the trial. The sooner the better!

**Q4U Agility & Border Collie Club of Arizona** reserve the right to decline entries for cause or may remove any dog on account of disease, aggression or other causes. No one shall have any recourse or claim against Q4U Agility and Border Collie Club or Arizona or any official thereof.

**WAITLIST.** Border Collie Club of Arizona is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary on or before the listed closing date and time. Any entries withdrawn by Monday (6pm) before the trial will be replaced by a wait listed entry **if** any are available. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial will receive a full refund for unfilled runs.

**RETURNED CHECKS and incomplete checks** do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will assess a collection fee of \$30 in addition to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent entries from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a cash-only basis.

**Spam Blocker:** CONFIRMATIONS WILL BE SENT VIA EMAIL USING THE SECRETARY'S ADDRESS ([occonnorkim15@gmail.com](mailto:occonnorkim15@gmail.com)). If you have a spam blocker on your email account, please configure it to allow email from the secretary's address since confirmations will be sent from this account. Providing an email address ensures timely notification and allows for an initial confirmation to be sent. Please note, certain email providers are causing issues in receiving confirmations. ***If you have not received a confirmation within 7-10 days of sending in your entry, please contact the Trial Secretary.***

#### HOTEL INFORMATION

Owners are responsible for any damage and cleaning up after their dogs. ***Dogs must not be left unattended in motel rooms.*** Non-compliance may result in a bench show hearing. Please check for deposit and dog size restrictions.

Main Stay Suites Extended Stay Hotel 851 N Verbena Henness Rd Casa Grande, AZ 85122 (520) 426-1177	Holiday Inn Express & Suites 805 N, 805 Cacheris Ct Casa Grande, AZ 85122 (520) 509-6333
Super 8 by Wyndham 2066 E Florence Blvd Casa Grande, AZ 85122 (520) 836-8800	Quality Inn 665 N Via Del Cielo Rd Casa Grande, AZ 85122 (520) 836-1600

#### MOVE-UP INFORMATION

The Trial Secretary must receive move-up requests by **6:00 PM the Monday before the trial**. There will be day to day move-ups provided the request is made in writing to the Trial Secretary at the trial on the day before the move-up is to take place.

#### SET-UPS

There will be no early set up for this trial. There is no early arrival onsite before the time listed in your email confirmation. **Please check your confirmation email for setup times .**

Please **check information included in your final confirmation for crating guidelines.**

### **RV Parking**

Overnight RV parking must be coordinated with Kim O'Connor at [g4uagility@gmail.com](mailto:g4uagility@gmail.com). There is a \$15 per night RV fee for dry camping. Space is limited.

### **VOLUNTEERS**

We appreciate all our volunteers! Please sign up on the day of the trial with the Volunteer Coordinator, Mary Chessik.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

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

CLUB'S NAME Border Collie Club of Arizona

Table with columns for dates (2/10/23, 2/11/23, 2/12/23) and various class abbreviations (SID, JWW, FAST, T2B, ISC SID, ISC JWW, PremSID, PremJWW).

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

\$

Choose Either Regular or Preferred Classes

Check one jump height, and check class selections - Only one selection per class (both Master and Premier allowed)

Table comparing Regular Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and Preferred Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20") with sub-categories like Nov A, Nov B, Open, Exc, Master, Premier.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes STD JWW

Table for dog information: This dog needs to be measured (Yes/No), BREED, VARIETY, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, CALL NAME.

AKC® NAME (include AKC titles only)

Registration information fields: AKC NO., ILP NO., PAL NO., FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH (List Country).

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS NEW ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

AGREEMENT

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. 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...

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...

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division 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 a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners ProgramSM may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

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) 233-9767.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_