



AAC
 Sanctioned Agility Trial
April 6-7th 2019



Judges: Debra Patterson (Masters Ring), Brenda Juskow (Masters and Start/Adv), Adina MacRae (Start/Adv Ring)

Saturday, April 6	Sunday, April 7
<p>Ring 1 MASTERS: Jumpers 1&2, Steeplechase, Standard 1&2, Gamblers 1, 2&3</p> <p>Ring 2 STARTERS/ADVANCED : Snooker 1, Gamblers 1&2, Standard 1&2, Jumpers 1, 2 & Starters Jumpers 3</p>	<p>Ring 1 MASTERS: Jumpers 3&4, Standard 3&4, Gamblers 4&5 Snooker 1&2</p> <p>Ring 2 ADVANCED/STARTERS: Snooker 2&3, Gamblers 3, Standard 3&4,</p>

All classes are available in Regular, Special and Veteran and Double Drop Veteran

Location: William M. Sobey Indoor Sports Complex
 120 Old FoxBrook Rd
 Stellarton, Nova Scotia

LIMITED ENTRY TRIAL

Entry Opening: March 13th Closing: March 27th, 2019 or when trial fills

Trial Secretary: Maureen Butler
fetchtrial@gmail.com

Entries will be accepted ONLINE ONLY at <http://www.agilityrocks.com>

Fax, Email and Phone Entries will **NOT** be accepted.

Enjoy two rings of agility in this beautiful heated facility with plenty of indoor crating space and an awesome viewing area to take in all the action!

Tentative Order of Classes:

Saturday, March 6th	Sunday, March 7th
<p>Ring 1 MASTERS: Jumpers 1 & 2 (Debra) Steeplechase (Debra) Standard 1 (Debra) Standard 2 (Debra) Gamblers 1 and 2 (Brenda) Gamblers 3 (Debra)</p> <p>Ring 2 STARTERS AND ADVANCED : Snooker 1 (Adina) Gamblers 1 (Adina) Gamblers 2 (Brenda) Standard 1 (Brenda) Standard 2 (Adina) Jumpers 1 & 2 (Adina) Starters Jumpers 3 (Brenda)</p>	<p>Ring 1 MASTERS: Jumpers 3 & 4 (Debra) Standard 3 & 4 (Debra) Gamblers 4 (Brenda) Gamblers 5 (Debra) Snooker 3 1&2 (Debra)</p> <p>Ring 2 ADVANCED/STARTERS: Snooker 2(Adina) Adv Snooker 3 (Brenda) Start Snooker 3 (Adina) Adv Gamblers 3 (Brenda) Start Gamblers 3 (Adina) Standard 3 (Brenda) Standard 4 (Adina) Adv Jumpers 3 (Adina) Start Jumpers 4 (Adina) Adv Jumpers 4 (Brenda)</p>

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Entries will be accepted ONLINE ONLY at <http://www.agilityrocks.com>. When the allotted number of runs per day has been reached on the Agility Rocks program, the program shuts that day down. Please email our Trial Secretary, Maureen Butler, at fetchtrial@gmail.com to request that your name be added to the wait list for that day (do not send an entry, just a request). Confirmations will be emailed after the entry deadline. Contact Maureen Butler at fetchtrial@gmail.com if you have not received your confirmation by Monday, April 1, 2019. Trial closes March 27th or when full.

A copy of your online entry confirmation is required along with payment of entries by the closing date to be officially entered in the Trial. If using EMT to pay for entries than a copy of the online entry confirmation can be sent by email to fetchtrial@gmail.com. If mailing a cheque then please include a copy of your online entry confirmation with the cheque. If you would like to pay by e-invoice please send an email to fetchtrial@gmail.com to request an invoice and include a copy of your online entry confirmation so that we know the amount to invoice you.

Maureen will only respond to e-mails sent to the fetchtrial address!

<p>ENTRY FEES</p> <p>\$16/run</p> <p>JH \$16/run</p>	<p>TOTAL FOR ALL DOGS: \$ Please send your cheque payable to Fetch, Inc. before the closing date to: Maureen Butler 7 Elwin Crescent Dartmouth, NS, B2W 3J5</p> <p>OR send an EMT to fetchtrial@gmail.com OR send a request for an e-invoice to pay by credit card.</p>
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ENTRIES ARE NOT VALID UNTIL PAYMENT OF ENTRY FEES HAS BEEN RECEIVED (OR CONFIRMED).

VOLUNTEERS: All entrants must help with the trial. A grid will be posted to the Maritime Agility Trials Facebook group the week before the trial. If you are not on Facebook, please email Adina MacRae at dogsonthego@eastlink.ca to request your jobs. It is recommended that you work in the ring you are participating in the most. Please sign up for jobs in at least three classes per day. If you do not sign up, you will be assigned three or more jobs. If the grid is not full, jobs will be assigned.

Thank you in advance. Without volunteers we would be not able to hold trials!

2019 AAC Jump Heights

Dog's Height	Regular	Special	Vet	DD Vet
< or =12"	8" or 12"	4"	4"	4"
>12" < or =15"	12" or 16"	8"	8"	4"
>15" < or =18"	16" or 20"	12"	12"	8"
>18" < or = 22"	20" or 24"	16"	16"	12"
> 22"	24"	20"	20"	16"

Tentative Schedule of Events (Please check Maritime Agility Trials group on Facebook for updates):

Saturday and Sunday: 8:15am check-in and measuring. Measuring also offered throughout the day at judge's convenience. Your dog must be measured prior to your first run if ID Card has not been completed.

8:30am General Briefing

8:45am Judge's Briefing followed by first walk through

9am First dog on the line both rings

Familiarization and Warm-up:

Familiarization will not be available. Two jumps will be available for each ring for warm-up throughout the trial.

Obstacles:

All obstacles conform to AAC specifications. Metal spreads will be used.

Notice to Participants:

All dogs and handlers must be in good standing with the AAC. We reserve the right to refuse any entry. There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date. Refunds will be issued for dogs that come into heat or are injured, if a veterinarian's certificate is received by the Trial Secretary within 48 hours of the start of the trial. Other requests for refund will be considered case by case. Any dog suspected of attending with a communicable disease will be asked to leave the trial and no refund will be issued.

Competitors, through the submission of an entry, acknowledge that they know the AAC rules and regulations. All dogs must have an AAC ID number. AAC regulations require the handler to obtain an ID card directly from the AAC.

Dog conduct: All dogs must be kept under control. Any dog engaging in aggressive behaviour at any time will be required to leave. No refund of fees will be given.

Limited Entry: This is a limited entry trial based on number of runs. A waiting list of entries received after the limit is reached will be kept. In case of cancellations, spaces will be filled from the waiting list in the order entries are received.

Volunteers: All participants will be required to volunteer. A volunteer job grid will be posted. If you are unable to fulfill your volunteer duties, please arrange for a replacement and notify the volunteer coordinator.

Move-ups: Move-up sheets will be available at the trial for day-of move-ups.

Awards: Qualifying ribbons will be given for all event qualifiers, and flat ribbons will be given for 1st through 4th placement for all classes.

Facility: The trial is in a heated venue on artificial turf with indoor crating and viewing area. Tarp barriers will be used to section off the two rings.

AAC Class Descriptions

Starters: Open to all dogs that have **not** earned an ADC title

Advanced: Open to all dogs that have earned an ADC title

Masters: Open to all dogs that have earned an AADC title

Regular: Dogs will jump standard heights and course times as set by AAC Rules

Special: Open to all dogs. Course times and jump heights as set by AAC Rules

Veterans: For dogs 7 years of age or older for dogs competing in the regular class. For dogs 5 years of age or older who have been competing in the Specials division for a minimum of 1 year. Once a dog has entered an official trial in the Veterans division, they may no longer compete in Regular or Specials divisions. Course times and jump heights as set by AAC Rules

FEO: For Exhibition Only. FEO entries are not eligible to "Q" nor are they eligible for placements. Participants must have an AAC number in order to enter. **Toys are permitted in the ring, may not be thrown.** Handlers must attempt the course as numbered or as per Gamblers or Snookers rules.

Junior Handler: Junior Handlers must have their own AAC Junior Handler ID. A Junior Handler entered in the junior class may not compete in regular classes at the same AAC Trial.

Directions to William M. Sobey Indoor Sports Complex (120 Old FoxBrook Rd., Stellarton):

From Halifax International Airport

- HWY-102 to HWY 104E
- Take Exit 24
- On rotary head towards Stellarton onto North Foord St.
- Turn right onto Acadia Ave
- Turn left onto Old FoxBrook Rd.

From New Brunswick

- Trans Canada HWY NB-2E from NB 106-E
- Take Exit 24
- On rotary head towards Stellarton onto North Foord St.
- Turn right onto Acadia Ave
- Turn left onto Old FoxBrook Rd.

See website for map and further directions <http://www.sobeysportscomplex.ca/contact-us.html>