

**ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED**

**ENTRIES FOR ALL DOGS WILL OPEN ON WEDNESDAY June 12, 2024 at 9:00 AM**

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.

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2024 at 5:00 pm**

Entries received after this time cannot be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the AKC Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

**PREMIUM LIST**

**Tenth Annual AKC All-Breed Agility Trial Weekend**

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

**BURLINGTON OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB, INC.**

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



**Thursday July 25, 2024** Event # 2024175705  
**Friday July 26, 2024** Event # 2024175706  
**Saturday July 27, 2024** Event # 2024175707  
**Sunday July 28, 2024** Event # 2024175708

**LOCATION:** **The Field House**  
166 Athletic Drive, Shelburne, VT 05495  
Indoors on Artificial Turf  
Ring Size: 90' x 100'

**ENTRY LIMITS:** **Thursday** – 275 runs  
**Friday, Saturday & Sunday** – 350 runs per day

**TRIAL HOURS:** **Thursday** – 10:00 am to 7:00 pm  
**Friday, Saturday & Sunday** – 8:00 am to 7:00 pm

**JUDGES:** Craig Josling, AKC Agility Judge #82890

**CERTIFICATION**

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

Gina M. DiNardo, Secretary



**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB**

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**JUDGE & ASSIGNMENTS**

**Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday**

Craig Josling, Eudora, Kansas  
AKC Agility Judge #82890

**Thursday** Craig Josling Excellent & Master Standard, Excellent & Master JWW Premier Standard, Premier JWW, Time 2 Beat

**Friday** Craig Josling Excellent & Master Standard, Excellent & Master JWW Open Standard, Novice A & B Standard, Open JWW, Novice A & B JWW, Premier Standard, Premier JWW, Time 2 Beat

**Saturday** Craig Josling Excellent & Master Standard, Excellent & Master JWW Open Standard, Novice A & B Standard, Open JWW, Novice A & B JWW, FAST (all levels)

**Sunday** Craig Josling Excellent & Master Standard, Excellent & Master JWW, Open Standard, Novice A & B Standard, Open JWW, Novice A & B JWW, Time 2 Beat (All Levels)

PRELIMINARY RUNNING ORDER (Subject to change)

THURSDAY. (Tall-to-Small) Premier JWW, Exc/Mas JWW, Premier STD, Exc / Mas Standard Time 2 Beat

FRIDAY (Small to Tall) Premier Std, Exc/Mas Std, Open STD, Novice STD, Time 2 Beat, Premier JWW, Exc/Mas JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW

SATURDAY (Tall to Small). Exc/Mas Std, Open STD, Novice STD, FAST, Exc/Mas JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW

SUNDAY (Small to Tall). Exc/Mas Std, Open STD, Novice STD, Time 2 Beat, Exc/Mas JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW

Please consult the AKC 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(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated. All exhibitors can obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials. They may be downloaded for free from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

## BOTC EVENT COMMITTEE

Tom O'Brien, Val Spadaccini, Maxine Homes, Dave Horner, Doris O'Brien, the Officers and Directors of the Club and the members of the Burlington Obedience Training Club.

## ENTRIES

**Illegible or incomplete entries will be returned. All entries must be on official AKC entry forms** or photocopies and must include the agreement and rules. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. Owners are responsible for all errors on entry forms and no entry fee will be refunded in the event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date. Type or print carefully to prevent error.

This club does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the official AKC entry form for this event.

## ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee).....	\$ 23
Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee).....	\$ 23
Third entry of same dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee) .....	\$ 23

**Mail entry forms and fees to: Doris O'Brien, 79 Stone Drive, Colchester, VT 05446.** Please make checks payable to **BOTC**. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the Trial Secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Doris O'Brien at [Agility@BOTCvt.org](mailto:Agility@BOTCvt.org). No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance. **Payment must be made in U.S. Funds.**

**A maximum of ten (10) entries are allowed in each envelope submitted to the Trial Secretary.** Each dog is considered one (1) entry regardless of the number of classes entered. Envelopes with more than ten (10) entries will be returned to the sender.

**Illegible entries** will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add up to a \$20 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ENTRY

Acknowledgment of entry acceptance will be emailed upon processing to those listing a legible e-mail address on their entry form. If you would like written confirmation of the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope along with your entry.

## REFUNDS

**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 the Club. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

**Bitches in season** are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. As such, the club will refund entry fees paid less a \$5 processing fee per day for bitches unable to compete for this reason provided the Club is able to fill the slots reserved for that dog from the Waiting List and upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate. This certificate must be presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial.

## DOGS 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 are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under six months of age are prohibited from the trial grounds.

Please consult the AKC's 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(es) and height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated. All exhibitors can obtain a copy of the AKC's Regulations for Agility Trials. The Regulations may be downloaded for free from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.AKC.ORG/rules/> (then look under the "Sports" heading)..

## WAIT LIST

Per Chapter 1, Section 16 Item 1 of the "Regulations for Agility Trials", entries received prior to the Closing Date but in excess of the trial entry limits shall be placed on a Wait List. The Wait List shall be used to fill openings created by entries withdrawing up to **Tuesday, July 16, 2024 at 5 PM**. The Wait List shall be limited to 50 entries each day. A full refund will be reimbursed to any entrant whose withdrawn entry can be replaced by a wait-listed entry.

## MOVE UPS

Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner as a result of qualifying for an agility title. The request should be made in writing by mail or e-mail to the Trial Secretary, no later than 5 p.m., Monday, July 2, 2023. MOVEUPS during the weekend of the show (for Friday, Saturday or Sunday Trials) will be allowed provided a written Move-Up request is submitted to the Trial Secretary by 6:00 PM **the previous day**.

## COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. The time and length of the walk-through will be the Judge's discretion.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training of the dog.

**HEIGHT DIVISIONS**

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers <u>must</u> run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
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
24" Choice	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion <u>if</u> their measurement is 22" or under at the withers.

**MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION**

Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" or 26" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog measured by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog **before** its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

Note: At least one Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO) will be present onsite each day. Check with the Trial Chair for the identity of the VMO(s) present each day.

**Simplified Jump Height Card Process**

When filling out the Entry Form, there is a section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog needs to be officially measured. Please check the box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured List*. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

**OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place indoors on a artificial grass surface. Ring size will be 100' x 90'. Electronic timing will be used. The equipment for this event is being provided by **MAX 200** and will be available for sale at the end of the event. If you are interested in a specific item, it is requested that you reserve it ahead of time. For more information, you may call MAX 200 at 800-446-2920 or e-mail them at [sales@max200.com](mailto:sales@max200.com).

**RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES**

Rosettes will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

- First Place*.....*Blue*
- Second Place*.....*Red*
- Third Place*.....*Yellow*
- Fourth Place*.....*White*
- Qualifying Score*.....*Dark Green*

A "New Title" rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH rosette and decorated MACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH. A PACH rosette and decorated PACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their PACH.

**NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

**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 trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. BOTC 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 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 BOTC or any official thereof.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. The State of Vermont requires a rabies vaccination every three years.

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.

**CATALOGS**

Advance catalog sales may be ordered and prepaid with your entry form for a \$5 charge. A limited number of catalogs will be available for sale at the trial site.

**RINGSIDE**

Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class by the judge of record or a VMO or AKC Field Rep if one is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner 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. at the trial site

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Indoor Crating space** will be available. All dogs crated within the building must be located with designated crating area. Please respect the lines denoting the crating area and keep exits open. The trial site requires a tarp to be placed on the floor underneath your crates. Crates may be left overnight; however, BOTC and The Field House will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

**All Dogs Must Be on Leash** both inside and outside the building except when crated, using the warm-up jump or competing in the ring.

### VENDORS

- There will be vendors at the trial.
- If you would like a vendor space, please contact Tom O'Brien, BOTC Trial Chair ([CiaMariaPia@gmail.com](mailto:CiaMariaPia@gmail.com)) for more information.

### PARKING

- **The Site Has Parking** in reasonable proximity to the building.
- **Some parking spaces will be reserved for other tenants of the building.** Please respect the signage and marked spaces.

### OUTDOOR WALKING AREAS FOR DOGS

- There is ample outdoor space for walking dogs both on the Trial Site and on the Public Sidewalks leading away from the Trial Site.
- Please do not walk dogs on the actual playing field surfaces of the soccer fields on the Trial Site. Dogs may be walked around the outside of these fields.

**Overnight Parking Space for RVs and Campers is Available Onsite.** Space is limited however and advance reservations are required. No electrical, water or sewer hook-ups for motor homes or campers are available. There will be a charge of \$10 per night. See Reservation Form at the end of this Premium.

**The Trial Will Be Held Indoors** in a soccer facility. There are a few rules that The Field House insists we respect (so that we can continue to use the facility):

- No hard cleats will be allowed. Indoor soccer shoes and other footwear intended for artificial turf will be allowed.
- No food/eating on the artificial turf. There is a mezzanine with tables and chairs overlooking the trial ring and there is an indoor area on the ground level with tables and chairs.
- No alcohol may be brought into the building.
- The building also houses a health club and rehab facility. Please respect parking spaces that are designated for the patrons of these facilities/businesses.

**Exhibitors who volunteer to work** will receive cash payment for each class worked.

**Please Clean Up After Your Dog** at the Field House site so that we can be allowed to continue to use this facility. **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 Trial 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.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information about the Agility Trial, the Burlington Obedience Training Club and our other activities can be found at our websites: [www.BOTCvt.org](http://www.BOTCvt.org) or by emailing [Agility@BOTCvt.org](mailto:Agility@BOTCvt.org).

## COVID PROTOCOLS

Covid continues to be with us and it's prevalence and patterns continue to vary. At the current time, neither BOTC, the Town of Shelburne, VT nor the State of Vermont BOTC have any Covid-related restrictions in place. BOTC reserves the right to impose such restrictions should the Town of Shelburne and/or the State of Vermont institute or re-impose any such restrictions or guidelines.

## CHANGES TO AKC AGILITY AS OF JULY 1, 2024

The AKC has will institute several changes to its Agility trials on July 1, 2024, The most noticeable of these changes will be:

- The Table will be eliminated from the Excellent Standard and Master Standard Classes. It will continue to be a required obstacle in the Open Standard and Novice Standard classes. The SCT calculation for Excellent and Master Standard courses will be adjusted to reduce the SCT by 5 seconds to reflect the elimination of the Table.
- The wall jump may be used in place of the panel or spread jump at the Ex/M or Premier levels.
- The tire may only be used one time on a course
- A two "bar" jump is no longer required in any class. It is still allowed to be used but not required.
- Maximum course yardage is increased for the 8" and 12" dogs. Courses are allowed to be longer and in most cases, the allowable course time will increase accordingly.
- At the host club's option, **FEO (For Exhibition Only) will now be available for all classes** (either offered for all classes or none.. The **FEO time will remain at 45 seconds for all classes (including T2B), except FAST** where there MCT for FAST will be used.

## TEAM COMPETITION

BOTC will be sponsoring a team competition on Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>. Teams will be composed of 3 dogs (any level, any breed) and will compete using their runs for Saturday's Jumpers with Weaves.class.

Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> places as well as a special "SAP" award for the lowest score.

Entry forms as well as the rules of the event will be available at the Trial.

No costs - No special skills required - Your team can Novice, Open, Excellent/Master dogs on the same team. It's all for fun!

## AGILITY "B" MATCH ON THURSDAY

BOTC will be holding an Agility "B" Match after the end of Thursday's trial. A great event for your new/young dog. Low stress, fun and in the same ring as the the weekend's trial. Day-of-event entry. See the FLYer at the end of this Premium.

## HOTEL INFORMATION

**Best Western Windjammer Inn**, 1076 Williston Rd. (Exit 14E, I-89), South Burlington, VT 05403  
5718, 802-863-1125 / 800-780-7234

**Doubletree Hotel Burlington**, 870 Williston Rd. (Exit 14W, I-89), South Burlington, VT 05403-5717  
802-865-6600; 855-610-8733 (toll free). [doubletree@doubletreevt.com](mailto:doubletree@doubletreevt.com)

**Hampton Inn**, Colchester 42 Lower Mountain Drive (Exit 16, I-89), Colchester, VT. 05446  
802-655-6177.

**La Quinta Inn & Suites Burlington**, 1285 Williston Rd., South Burlington, VT 05403  
(Exit 14E, I-89)  
802-865-3400.

**Motel 6**, 74 South Park Dr. (Exit 16, I-89), Colchester, VT 05446  
802-654-6860

**Quality Inn**, 84 South Park Drive (Exit 16, I-89), Colchester, VT 05446. 802-448-8946.  
2572 Shelburne Road, Shelburne, VT 05482 (Exit 13, I-89) 802-281-4105

**Holiday Inn Express**, 1720 Shelburne Rd, South Burlington, VT 05403  
802-860-6000

**Travel Lodge by Wyndham**, - 1016 Shelburne Road, South Burlington, VT 05403 (Exit 13, I-89)  
802-448-2530.

**Townplace Suites By Marriott**, 66 Zephyr Rd. (Exit 12, I-89), Williston, VT 05495  
802-872-5900.

**Homewood Suites by Hilton-Burlington**, 5 Dorset Street, South Burlington, VT 05403,  
802-652-4400

**Residence Inn-Burlington-Colchester**, 71 Rathe Road, Colchester, VT 05446. 802-655-3100.  
[www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/btvco-residence-inn-burlington-colchester/](http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/btvco-residence-inn-burlington-colchester/)

**Days Inn by Wyndham – Colchester-Burlington**, 124 College Parkway, Colchester, Vermont  
05446, 800-225-3297, [www.wyndhamhotels.com/days-inn/colchester-vermont](http://www.wyndhamhotels.com/days-inn/colchester-vermont)

**Smart-Suites Burlington**, 1700 Shelburne Rd, South Burlington, VT 05403, 802-860-9900,  
<http://www.smartsuitesburlington.com/>

**South Side Inn**, 1860 Shelburne Rd, South Burlington, VT 05403, 802-735-2323,  
<http://southsideinnvt.com/>

## DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE

### Directions to The Field House:

From Canada, NH, MA, CT, ME and RI: Take Interstate I-89 to Interstate I-189 (exit 13). Follow I-189 approximately 2 miles to its termination. Turn left onto US Route 7 south (Shelburne Road) and follow south approximately 5 miles to the Village of Shelburne. At the traffic light in the center of the Village, turn right onto Harbor Road. After crossing the railroad tracks, turn right at the second street onto Athletic Drive.

**The Field House** is approximately 6.5 miles from Exit 13, I-89.

From New York State: Travel north on US Route 7 to Shelburne. Turn left on Harbor Road. After crossing the railroad tracks, turn right at the second street onto Athletic Drive.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE EMERGENCY VETERINARIAN

### Directions to Burlington Emergency & Veterinary Specialists (BEVS):

Go out entry drive (Athletic Drive) from The Field House:

Turn left onto Harbor Road.

At the traffic light turn left (north) onto US Route 7 (Shelburne Road).

Turn right onto I-189 North and merge onto I-89 South to Williston/Montpelier.

Take I-89 Exit 12 (next exit) and turn left onto Vermont Route 2A..

Proceed north 0.4 miles to the traffic light (Longhorn Steakhouse on right)

Turn left onto Marshall Avenue.

Go 1.4 miles on Marshall Avenue..

BEVS is on the left.

**Estimated driving time: 15-20 minutes.**

## VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Open 24 hours/day, 7 days/week

**Burlington Emergency & Veterinary Specialists**

1417 Marshall Avenue, Williston, VT

[www.BEVSvt.com](http://www.BEVSvt.com)

**802-863-2387**

## EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police

Shelburne, Vermont

**911**

## AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM

Burlington Obedience Training Club  
 Send this form to the Trial Secretary by 5:00 PM Monday July 22, 2024  
 Move-ups for the Friday, Saturday and Sunday Trials of the weekend  
 must be submitted by 6:00 PM the night before each trial.

Exhibitors should refer to a Event premium list to verify the AKC and BOTC's policy for moving a dog up.

The request for moving up must be made to the Trial Secretary according to the club's published policy. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

**Dog's Call Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breed** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dog's AKC Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **AKC #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Move Entry to:**

Event Class: (Circle One)	Jump Height Division: (Circle One)								
Regular: Standard	Open	Excellent	Masters	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24c
Preferred Standard	Open	Excellent	Masters	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
Regular JWW	Open	Excellent	Masters	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24c
Preferred JWW	Open	Excellent	Masters	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	
FAST Regular	Open	Excellent	Masters	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24c
FAST Preferred	Open	Excellent	Masters	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"	

**Owners Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Handlers Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of owner or agent  
 duly authorized to make this entry:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Trial Secretary  
 If Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Time Received:** \_\_\_\_\_

## VOLUNTEER WORKERS ON-LINE SIGN-UP

Volunteers are the heart and soul of an agility trial. We all know that we wouldn't get our runs if there were no ring crew, gate stewards, timers, scribes, course builders and others to step forward and build a course or work a class while you run. Can you help so others get their runs too?

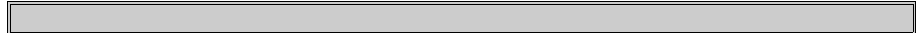
Volunteers will receive cash payments for each class worked.

Approximately three weeks before the trial starts, an interactive worker signup sheet will be posted on BOTC's website ([www.BOTCvt.org](http://www.BOTCvt.org)). You will be able to see the daily class schedule and be able to sign up to work those classes that best accommodate you and your dog.

The jobs that will be needed for each class include:

- Scribe
- Ring Crew
- Gate Steward
- Timer
- Score Runner
- Leash Runner
- Assistant Scribe
- Course Builders

While previous experience always makes the job more enjoyable, don't let a lack of previous experience dissuade you from volunteering. Most jobs last for short durations and BOTC members will gladly provide orientation and training. Working classes is an excellent way to learn more about agility and meet other competitors.



## **RV PARKING SPACE REQUEST FORM**

*A limited number of RV's may be parked at the trial site.  
 No hookups. \$10 per night.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Check the nights you plan to park:

Wednesday     Thursday     Friday     Saturday     Sunday

Type:             Trailer             RV    Length: \_\_\_\_\_

License plate #: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Please include this form and a separate check  
 payable to "BOTC" with your Entry





**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM  
BURLINGTON OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB**

**AGREEMENT**

**Opening Date: Wednesday, June 12, 2024- 9:00 AM Closing Date: Friday, July 12, 2024-5:00 PM**

Check box to enter class	STD	JWW	T2B	FAST	Prem STD	Prem JWW
<b>Day 1: Thurs Jul 25</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Day 2: Fri Jul 26</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Day 3: Sat Jul 27</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>Day 4: Sun Jul 28</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

**Entry Fees: \$23 / Class (US Funds).** Make checks payable to "BOTC". Mail completed Entry Form and Fee to:

**ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED:**

Doris O'Brien, 79 Stone Drive, Colchester, VT 05446.

**IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!**

REGULAR Classes						PREFERRED Classes						
Height	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C"	Height	4"	8"	12"	16"	20"
Class: (Circle dog's level for each class entered)							Class: (Circle dog's level for each class entered)					
<b>STD</b>	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master		<b>STD</b>	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	
<b>JWW</b>	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master		<b>JWW</b>	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	
<b>FAST</b>	NovA	NovB	Open	Exc	Master		<b>FAST</b>	NovP	OpenP	ExcP	MasterP	
<b>T2B</b>	T2B						<b>T2B</b>	T2BP				
<b>Premier</b>	Premier Standard						<b>Premier</b>	Premier Standard Preferred				
	Premier Jumpers w/ Weaves							Premier Jumpers w/ Weaves Preferred				

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, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 person. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us).

**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 THIS 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**

Check the box for each class you wish your dog to enter.

Circle the REGULAR height or PREFERRED height appropriate to your dog and circle the LEVEL of each CLASS you are entering. Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes must compete at the required jump height and may not 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 a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial *or back-to-back trials* only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the **AKC Canine Partners<sup>SM</sup>** program 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. 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? \_\_\_\_\_

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

**SIGN HERE** X \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

In Case of Emergency – Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

This Dog Needs To Be Measured <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		SEX	Call Name
BREED		VARIETY	Height
AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)			
AKC® NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Enter Complete Registration Number below		DATE OF BIRTH
ILP NO. <input type="checkbox"/>	PAL NO. <input type="checkbox"/>		PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY)
FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY <input type="checkbox"/>			
BREEDER			
SIRE			
DAM			
ACTUAL OWNERS			
OWNER'S ADDRESS <input type="checkbox"/> NEW ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4			
HANDLER JUNIOR HANDLER # if applicable			

**Exhibitor or Owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.**

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org).



# AGILITY "B" MATCH

Sanctioned by The American Kennel Club

## BURLINGTON OBEDIENCE TRAINING CLUB

July 25, 2024 from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. (approx.)

Shelburne Field House

166 Athletic Drive Shelburne, Vermont

Judge: Tom O'Brien

Eligibility - The Match 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) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number.

Classes Offered - The "B" Match will offer a "Standard" course and handlers will have the opportunity to run Novice, Open and Excellent course at both Regular and Preferred heights. If there is sufficient interest, we will add a Premier Standard option to reflect the Premier class. The MATCH will start at approximately 4:30 p.m. (about 30 minutes after the end of that day's trial)

Entries - Exhibitors must complete an entry form for each dog being entered. Maximum number of runs for the day is 50 and maximum of 2 runs per dog. **Entries accepted day of match.**

Height Divisions - All Regular and Preferred height divisions will be available and dogs should be entered at their appropriate heights. Dogs that have not previously been measured at an AKC trial will need to be measured on the day of the Match. Measuring for these dogs will begin available during the day.

Rules - A "B" Match is similar in many ways to a sanctioned Agility Trial. It is an excellent opportunity for handlers to experience the environment and rules of an Agility Trial in a slightly less formal atmosphere. All of the normal rules relating to obstacle performance, standard course times, entering and exiting the ring, etc. apply. At "B" Matches, dogs in the ring may receive verbal corrections, harsh corrections are not allowed. Toys are allowed in the ring but not food. Exhibitors must follow the judge's verbal instructions.

Questions - Questions may be directed to the Match Chair Valerie Spadaccini (shortchair9@gmail.com).

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### AGILITY B MATCH ENTRY – July 25, 2024 Burlington Obedience Training Club

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Handler Info:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Registration #: \_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Running Height (Circle One)

4"    8"    12"    16"    20"    24"    26"

Class (Circle One) \_\_\_\_\_

Novice    Novice Preferred

Open    Open Preferred

Excellent    Excellent Preferred

Entry Fee:      Number of Runs \_\_\_\_\_ x \$5/run = \_\_\_\_\_

