

# PAW Idaho

## Obedience & Rally Trial

### April 2 OBEDIENCE 5:00 pm

Check in and Day of entry 4:00

### April 3, 2021 Rally 9:00 am Obedience following Rally

(will not start before 11:00)

### April 4, 2021 Obedience 9:00 am Rally following Obedience

(will not start before 11:00)

Show site open 8:00 a.m. to 7 p.m.

**OPEN to ALL DOGS**

**Trial Location: Temptation Arena - 2933 N. Locust Grove Rd. Kuna, Idaho 83634**

**OBEDIENCE or RALLY: Start Time – 9:00 (check in and day of entry at 8:00)**

***Judge for Obedience and Rally: Kathy Howse***

All breeds and mixed breeds welcome (bitches in season are not allowed to compete)

You will need a QT number to enter an Obedience or Rally Trial

Trail will be held under the current rules and regulations of ASCA

### **OBEDIENCE:**

Events offered & Tentative Running Order

All Regular Classes Offered starting with Utility A & B, ODX A & B, CDX A & B, Novice A & B, Beginner Novice A and B, Grad. Novice, Wildcard in all levels

### **AWARDS**

Qualifying score Green ribbon, ribbons 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>- High In Trial and High Combined Rosettes , High Score Junior Rosette

### **ENTRY LIMITS and REFUNDS**

30 runs per day – entries will be returned once maximum is met

Pre-Entry deadline and Deadline for refunds is March 27, 2021

\$15.00 Pre-Entry, \$20.00 Day of Show for regular classes

Day of Show entries taken and check in 30 minutes before each trial.

Two legs allowed under the same judge.

### **MOVE-UPS**

Move-ups are permitted; must be done 30 minutes prior to each show.

## **RALLY:**

### **EVENTS OFFERED AND TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER**

All Regular Rally Classes Offered starting with Masters, then Excellent, then Advanced, then Novice

### **AWARDS**

Qualifying scores will receive a green ribbon. Strip ribbons will be awarded for placements in each class. Rosettes will be awarded for High Scoring Australian Shepherd, High Scoring Other Breed, High In Trial, High Combined, High in Trial Junior handler. Qualifying scores of 195 or higher will receive ribbons indicating an "X" qualifying score.

### **ENTRY LIMITS AND REFUNDS:**

60 runs per day—entries will be returned once maximum is met

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Make Checks payable to **PAW Idaho**

mail to:

Robyn Johnson-Garrett

2933 N Locust Grove,

Kuna, Id 83634

Entry Forms, tracking number requests, and Rules are available at <https://www.asca.org/home/business-office/rules-forms/>

### **Directions to trial site:**

Temptation Arena address: 2933 N. Locust Grove Rd. Kuna, Idaho

Exit # 44 From I-84 in Meridian, Idaho. Head South on S. Meridian Rd. towards Kuna.

Left on Hubbard Rd. Right on Locust Grove Rd. Temptation Arena is on your Right.

- ASCA Obedience and Rally trials are open to purebred and mixed breed dogs. You will need a QT number to enter an Obedience or Rally trial. The form is available at <http://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/35/2016/trackapp.pdf>
- If your dog is an ASCA registered Australian Shepherd, include your dog's registration number on the entry form

- If your dog is not ASCA registered, and you would like to earn ASCA titles, you will need to obtain an ASCA tracking number and include it on the entry form.
- An ASCA Service Membership and Tracking Number Form is included with this premium and is also available at [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org)
- The postmark (not the delivery date) will determine the entry order. Any Express mail entries must include signature permitting them to be left at the Secretary's address without recipient signature.
- There will be a \$25.00 service charge for any returned checks. Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- Confirmations and other recommendations are sent primarily via e-mail. It is your responsibility to make sure that the secretary's email address of is allowed by your spam blocker, and to change options that strip attachments from emails.
- Final confirmations will be sent to the e-mail address provided on the entry form after closing date. Contact the trial secretary, Robyn Johnson-Garrett, at [temptationarena@gmail.com](mailto:temptationarena@gmail.com) and needs to be allowed by your spam blocker.

**Please double-check your entry form to ensure it is filled out completely, correctly and legibly. You must use the new entry forms with the new disclaimer**

### **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

*This trial is sanctioned by the Australian Shepherd Club of America with affiliate club PAW Idaho*

**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 time of this trial including the following:**

- All healthy, trained dogs are eligible to compete in ASCA Rally trials.
- Exhibitors should always conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike fashion.
- Bitches in heat, lame or blind dogs are ineligible for entry.
- Any dog which demonstrates aggression towards any person or any dog, whether inside or outside the ring, must be excused from the Rally trial. Any dog which the judge feels is not in sufficient control to perform all the obstacles in a safe manner will be excused from the Rally trial.
- Exhibitors agree that if their dog(s) is (are) left unattended, they will be secured in a crate or x-pen. Owner/handlers whose dogs are tethered or improperly secured will not be allowed on the show grounds.
- No food, toys tents, crates or other aids or devise shall be permitted within 10' of the ring.
- All dogs shall be on leash when not competing.
- Safety shall always be the foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- The sponsoring club will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result is 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.
- Any exhibitor whose dogs or children create unnecessary disturbances 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 fees paid will be made.
- The organizing committee may not refuse any entry other than on the basis expressly provided through rules and regulations of the sanctioning organization. Anyone not currently in good standing with ASCA will not be allowed to enter the trial.
- Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption list. Description of classes, levels and division are included in the current ASCA Rally Rules and regulations Handbook. A copy of the handbook may be downloaded free from the ASCA website: [www.asca.org](http://www.asca.org)

**Vet on Call: WestVet (208)375-1600 - 5024 Chinden Blvd., Garden City**

### **Motels:**

Best Western Plus Rama Inn  
1019 S. Progress Ave.  
Meridian, Idaho 83642  
(208) 887-7888 – Approx. 7 miles

Motel 6  
1047 S. Progress Ave.

Meridian, Idaho 83642  
(208) 888-1212 – Approx. 7 miles

Mr. Sandman Inn & Suites  
1575 S. Meridian Rd.  
Meridian, Idaho 83642  
(208) 887-2062 – Approx. 8 miles from trial site

**WE WILL BE FOLLOWING ASCA GUIDELINES FOR OBEDIENCE AND RALLY TRIALS. JUDGES AND EXHIBITORS DO NOT NEED TO WEAR MASKS AS AMPLE DISTANCING CAN BE OBTAINED. WHERE 6' SOCIAL DISTANCING IS NOT POSSIBLE EXHIBITORS ARE REQUESTED TO WEAR MASKS. CRATING WILL BE EITHER OUTSIDE THE BUILDING OR SPACED 6' APART FROM ONE ANOTHER INDOORS. THERE WILL BE NO HUMAN "POSTS" – "POSTS" WILL BE CONES.**

## COVID-19 Related Guidelines for ASCA Sanctioned Events

### Obedience Specific Guidelines

These temporary measures were developed to enact procedures for safely holding ASCA obedience trials during the Covid-19 pandemic. Regulations differ across the many jurisdictions where ASCA trials are held, and it is the host club's responsibility to know the laws affecting the trial site. Judges and stewards are the most at risk of exposure (handlers are only in the ring for a short time). These measures are in effect immediately, until further notice.

### Ring Conditions:

1. The judge will ensure that a 6 feet distance is maintained between themselves and the handler, including when welcoming a team into the ring, and between all handlers in the ring at the same time.
2. A chair will be placed inside the ring. Handlers will place their own dumbbells, directed retrieve gloves, and article bags on this chair; leashes will be placed by the handler either on the chair or at another designated location. Stewards and judges are not required to handle leashes and dumbbells and may use tongs or wear gloves to handle directed retrieve gloves and scent articles. Handlers will be allowed to enter the ring (with or without their leashed dog) to lay their dumbbell, articles and/or gloves on the specified chair or table, then exit the ring to prepare to enter with their dog for judging.
3. For all classes not concluding with the Sit Stay - Get Your Leash, Stand Stay - Get Your Leash, or Beginner Novice Recall, after performing the last individual exercise, the handler will pick up the leash and attach it to their dog's collar. After leashing their dog, the handler will gather all personal belongings from the chair before exiting the ring.
4. Stewards should each carry a slip lead at all times in the event that a dog is out of control.
5. Stewards should maintain their distance while setting jump heights, bringing jumps in and out of ring etc. Host clubs should consider arranging armband order by jump height, to minimize jump changes.
6. Stewards may prefer to have only one person touch a piece of equipment (Beginner Novice signs and holders; ODX cone etc.), and/or to wear gloves when touching equipment.
7. Judges may announce scores from inside the ring, with class entrants remaining outside the ring, spaced 6 feet apart. If handlers enter the ring for awards, they should remain 6 feet apart. Awards may be self-serve after scores are announced.
8. Judges may choose to disallow win photos to be taken inside the ring.

### Beginner Novice:

1. Walkthrough: only 2 handlers are allowed in the ring at a time, maintaining a 6 feet distance at all times; judges may limit the number of times each handler gets to walk the course, especially for large classes. Host clubs should consider the additional time needed for walkthroughs when determining entry limits.

2. Figure 8: Tall cones (minimum 18" height) should be used as posts, instead of stewards. Cones will be set out prior to the Beginner Novice classes and left in the ring until the end of the Beginner Novice classes.
3. Sit for Exam: The judge is to ensure that the handler walks the full 6' away from the dog. The judge will approach the dog from an angle between the dog's side and its front, maintaining 6 feet from handler at all times but allowing the dog to see the judge approaching. The judge may wear a glove to examine the dog.

#### Novice:

1. Figure 8: Tall cones (minimum 18" height) should be used as posts, instead of stewards. Cones will be set out prior to the Novice classes and left in the ring until the end of the Novice classes.
2. After the Figure 8 and the judge's order "Exercise finished," the judge will direct the handler to place their leash at the specified location before setting up for the Stand for Exam.
3. Stand for Exam: The judge is to ensure that handler walks the full 6' away from the dog. The judge will approach the dog from an angle between the dog's side and its front, maintaining 6' from handler at all times but allowing the dog to see the judge approaching. The judge may wear a glove to examine the dog.
4. Group exercises: handlers should maintain 6' spacing at all times, including when lining up to enter the ring, and when exiting the ring.

#### Open:

1. Figure 8: Tall cones (minimum 18" height) should be used as posts, instead of stewards. Cones will be set out prior to the Open classes and left in the ring until the end of the Open classes.
2. The ODX ring should be designed so that the dog does not confuse the Figure 8 posts with the Directed Open Exercises (DOE) cone. An alternate ODX ring set-up is to use one of the two Figure 8 cones as the DOE exercise cone, and to remove and replace the other Figure 8 cone during the DOE exercise; if this option is chosen, then the placement of the cone to be removed should be marked on the ground. If this option is used, then an 18" or taller cone is to be used in the DOE exercise.
3. Handlers are to pick up their own dumbbell from the chair by the ring gate and place it on the chair after the retrieve exercises. Preferred orders for Open B classes are those in which the two retrieve exercises are consecutive (Orders I, II, and IV).
4. Only one steward should set each jump height. Only one steward should place and remove the ODX cone.

#### Utility:

1. Scent Discrimination: stewards may wear gloves and/or use tongs to set out and pick up scent articles and to handle the article container, and/or may use hand sanitizer after handling each set of articles.
2. Directed Retrieve: stewards may use gloves and/or tongs to set out and pick up gloves, and/or may use hand sanitizer after handling each set of gloves.
3. Moving stand and Examination: The judge will approach the dog from an angle between the dog's side and its front, maintaining 6' from handler at all times but allowing the dog to see the judge approaching. The judge may wear gloves to examine the dog. Should the dog travel forward toward the handler such that the judge cannot maintain a 6' distance from the handler when approaching the dog, then the judge should give the order "Call your dog to heel" without approaching and examining the dog, and a non-qualifying score will be given for the exercise.
4. Only one steward should set each jump height.

#### Rally Specific Guidelines

These guidelines were developed with the most stringent requirements, to account for regulatory differences between different jurisdictions where ASCA trials are held.

General:

1. All maps should be available outside in the crating area. When also posted, each should be 6 ft apart, only 1 handler at a time may review or take a picture of the map.
2. Judges are encouraged to provide sufficient maps so that there is no sharing needed.
3. Ring armband order should be strictly observed at all times.
4. In the case of indoor trials, the affiliate should determine the maximum number of handlers, with their dogs, that may be in the building at one time, according to the size of the building and the need to maintain the six feet social distance. Handlers may remain in the building only until their score is announced or posted. On exiting the building, the handler should notify the next handler that they may enter the building.
5. Separate entry and exit gates are required for all classes, with a minimum of 40 ft between. Judge will not greet handler upon entering the ring, they should only ask "are you ready?"
6. If the building is large enough to accommodate crating, there should be 6' between set-ups, and handlers should maintain physical distancing at all times.
7. Social distancing should be maintained outside the building, and in parking area.
8. When establishing entry limits, extra time for multiple walk-throughs should be allowed. 10 minutes per group of 3 or 4 should be observed. An area for waiting to walk should be designated, but sufficient to allow proper social distancing.
9. Judges, stewards, and competitors should wear masks within 10' of the ring and the judge/steward table; club should provide judge and stewards with masks; handlers should bring their own masks and gloves. Judges and stewards are the most at risk of exposure (handlers are only in the ring for a short time).
10. Only one person should fill out the judge's books. To save time, the table steward should complete the judge's books.
11. Calculators, pens, and pencils should only be used by one person, and should be sterilized after use by one person.
12. The steward table should be set perpendicular to the ring to maximize distance between judge & table steward.
13. All judges score sheets should be given to the judge at the beginning of each class, including A, B & C scoresheets. Score sheets should be given to the judge in run order & only the completed scoresheet at the end of each run will be passed to the table steward. Only one clip board will be used and only handled by the judge. The table steward should wait until the judge moves away from the table to retrieve each score sheet.
14. Scores should be given verbally to the handler by the table steward at the end of the run and should be called out to the person writing scores on the board.
15. Clubs should limit the supplies at the table to only those required. Extra items should be kept in a separate location to avoid contamination.
16. Judges books for A, B & C classes should be kept by the trial secretary until all runs are completed before returning to the judge to announce. The judge will announce winners, then leave the sheets in the middle of the table to be picked up by the table steward.
17. The timer should remain 6 ft from the table steward, times shall be called out orally.
18. If more than 1 timer is used during the trial, the stopwatch should be thoroughly disinfected.
19. Powder-free nitrile gloves should be provided for judges and stewards.
20. Hand sanitizer, soap, spray disinfectant and disinfectant wipes should be provided each day.
21. Judges should plan their ring to minimize jump changes.
22. Only one steward can touch a piece of equipment (signs, cones, etc.). Gloves should be worn.
23. Only 1 person may pull and change signs.

24. Gloves worn by stewards should be changed if the steward leaves, then returns to the ring area, or as often as the steward feels necessary.
25. Judges should nest all courses to eliminate the need to move numbers between classes.
26. All equipment should be sanitized at the beginning and end of each trial on each day by one designated club member.
27. Judge will announce scores at the end of each class. The class will be called back into the building for the announcements. Exhibitors will remain outside the ring, spaced 6 ft apart, and should wear masks.
28. Ribbons and awards are to be placed on a separate table at least 6' from the judge/steward's table; awards are self-serve after scores are announced.
29. Score sheets will not be available for review at trials where these rules are be utilized.
30. A chair, leash holder, or designated location on the ring gating is required for leashes. Handlers should place their own leash at the designated location, while maintaining control of their dog, either in a stay, or at their side. Stewards and judges are not to handle leashes items.
31. Judges are encouraged to design courses that eliminate the need for a leash runner for all classes.
32. A stay exercise is encouraged.
33. A club member/volunteer should disinfect all surfaces using an EPA approved disinfectant in the immediate ring area, or inside a building, on a regular basis.
34. Non-aerosol disinfectants should be used to eliminate the possibility of particles spreading into the ring where dogs are working.

#### Judges Books:

1. Clubs are encouraged to group dogs by jump height on the judge's books. This will minimize the number of jump changes required.
2. If entries in A, B and C, consideration might be given to doing all of one height, then the other to further reduce the number of jump heights. Be sure the run order posted for the handlers reflects this change to avoid confusion & delays.
3. If the Table Steward did not take entries, all paperwork should remain untouched in a binder, box, or envelope five (5) days before giving to the Steward. The same waiting period is needed if the final paperwork will be completed by other than the Table Steward. Per sources, the virus lives only a few minutes on most paper, but could last up to 5 days on a few types of paper.

#### Walkthroughs:

1. Only one steward, wearing gloves, is to touch signs. If the judge wants a sign moved, the steward should make the change.
2. Only 3 - 4 handlers in the ring at a time. 6 ft distance is required at all times. If handlers request a sign be moved to accommodate a larger dog, the steward should return to make the actual change to the sign. The judge, steward and any exhibitors should maintain a 6 ft distance at all times.





AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA®

RALLY ENTRY FORM

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL INFORMATION

ENTRY NUMBER

HOST CLUB

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

Registered Name of Dog: \_\_\_\_\_

ASCA Registration/Tracking #: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Male  Female

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_

CLASSES ENTERED FOR EACH TRIAL													
Mark classes that apply	Trial 1 Date			Trial 2 Date			Trial 3 Date			Trial 4 Date			
	Novice	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C
Advanced	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	<input type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> B	<input type="checkbox"/> C	
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Non-Regular													
Jump Heights							Total Entry Fees	\$					

Sire: \_\_\_\_\_

Dam: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeder(s): \_\_\_\_\_

If the entry is being handled by a Junior, please provide the necessary info below:

Junior's Relationship to all Owners: \_\_\_\_\_

Jr. Member ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Jr. Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Junior's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Member ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip/Country: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Emergency Contact Name & Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Handler \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

EXHIBITOR/OWNER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18) MUST READ AND SIGN THIS FORM

AGREEMENT

**IMPORTANT LEGAL AGREEMENT**—(1) The person signing this Agreement represents being authorized to enter into it on behalf of him/herself, as well as (if different) the owner(s) and handler(s) of the dog(s) for which an entry form is being submitted (all these parties collectively referred to herein as "Applicant"). (2) "Releasees" here collectively refers to the Australian Shepherd Club of America® (ASCA®); its officers and board of directors, staff, contractors, insurers, attorneys, and agents; as well as ASCA®'s affiliate clubs and each of their members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees, judges, contractors, insurers, and agents. (3) Applicant enters into this Agreement in consideration for being allowed to submit an entry form and, if approved, to take part in related activities of ASCA® and/or its affiliates. (4) Applicant acknowledges entering into this Agreement voluntarily, after the opportunity to obtain independent legal review of it and to have questions about its likely meaning answered through such review. (5) Applicant accepts the terms of this Agreement not only on his/her own behalf but also for his/her successors, assigns, beneficiaries, heirs, parents/guardians, and anyone else who might raise a claim on his/her behalf or as a result of her suffering harm. (6) To the extent any provision or application of this Agreement turns out to be unenforceable, the rest of it still remains fully effective. (7) This Agreement is to be interpreted under Texas law, without application of its choice-of-law rules, and—to the extent permitted by law—any legal action by Applicant that names Releasees as one or more defendants shall be filed and heard solely in the state or federal courts serving the county of ASCA®'s headquarters: Brazos County, Texas. (8) Applicant agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA® and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event. (9) Applicant represents that the dog(s) being entered is/are not known to pose a hazard to persons, other dogs, or property and that all required rabies and other vaccinations under the state and local law of the dog's state of residence are current. (10) Applicant acknowledges awareness of and assumes the risk associated with his/her participation and that of his/her dog(s) in this event and related activities, among which are personal injury to Applicant and those affiliated with Applicant, injury to Applicant's dog(s), and damage to Applicant's property. As but a few examples, Applicant and/or his/her dog(s) may be injured from the condition of (or failure to warn of the condition of) floors, stairways, lighting, security measures or a lack of them, electrical devices, fittings, show rings, parking areas, motor vehicles, and unfamiliar animals and people. (11) Applicant releases Releasees from any claim or liability whatsoever arising from any injury, harm, liability, or demand in anyway said to occur during or in connection with related events, also waiving any right to assert such claims that he/she otherwise might have in the absence of this Agreement. (12) Applicant also agrees to indemnify Releasees from any claim that Applicant or those acting on Applicant's behalf, for Applicant's benefit, or in Applicant's place, might assert against Releasees. The obligation in this regard extends even to Applicant's paying settlements, judgments, and expenses and costs of legal defense incurred by Releasees. (13) The waivers, releases, and promises of indemnification undertaken by Applicant in this Agreement EXTEND EVEN TO: CLAIMS ASSERTING NEGLIGENCE PER SE, CONDUCT THAT IS INTENTIONAL OR RECKLESS, CLAIMS OF FRAUD, CLAIMS INVOLVING DEATH, ACTIVITY THAT WOULD OVERLAP WITH ALLEGATIONS OF CRIMINALITY, AND/OR CLAIMS SEEKING EXEMPLARY DAMAGES. They apply without regard to the basis of the claim (e.g., based on tort, breach of contract, common law, implied or express warranty, or otherwise). Applicant's promised indemnification of Releasees also extends to claims third parties assert against Releasees said to be based on Applicant's conduct. (14) INFECTIOUS DISEASE—Applicant's promises and assumption of risks in this Agreement also extend to the risk and any asserted harm Applicant and the dog(s) may suffer from actual or threatened exposure to infectious disease, whether COVID-19 or otherwise, and Applicant accepts full responsibility for taking such measures as may be required or prudent to protect Applicant and well as other participants in the events. Applicant represents being aware of related recommend health practices, e.g., masking and distancing. (15) Applicant assigns to ASCA® the sole right to pursue any claim in connection with or arising in relation to the scheduled events that Applicant or those acting for Applicant otherwise might assert against any person or entity affiliated with ASCA®. (16) There are no provisions to this Agreement other than as spelled out here and they may not be modified except by formal ASCA® board action. This Agreement is to be interpreted to provide Releasees with the maximum protection from liability allowable under the law.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF OWNER/HANDLER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18)  
PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ERRORS AND RULE VIOLATIONS

AS USED HERE, "ASCA®" MEANS THE OWNER AND THE OPERATOR OF THE EVENT PREMISES, THE AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA, ITS AFFILIATE CLUBS, AND EACH OF THEIR MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, SHOW CHAIRMEN, SHOW COMMITTEES AND AGENTS



**AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA®****Obedience Entry Form**

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(8) Applicant agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA® and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event. (9) Applicant represents that the dog(s) being entered is/are not known to pose a hazard to persons, other dogs, or property and that all required rabies and other vaccinations under the state and local law of the dog's state of residence are current. (10) Applicant acknowledges awareness of and assumes the risk associated with his/her participation and that of his/her dog(s) in this event and related activities, among which are personal injury to Applicant and those affiliated with Applicant, injury to Applicant's dog(s), and damage to Applicant's property. As but a few examples, Applicant and/or his/her dog(s) may be injured from the condition of (or failure to warn of the condition of) floors, stairways, lighting, security measures or a lack of them, electrical devices, fittings, show rings, parking areas, motor vehicles, and unfamiliar animals and people. (11) Applicant releases Releasees from any claim or liability whatsoever arising from any injury, harm, liability, or demand in anyway said to occur during or in connection with related events, also waiving any right to assert such claims that he/she otherwise might have in the absence of this Agreement. (12) Applicant also agrees to indemnify Releasees from any claim that Applicant or those acting on Applicant's behalf, for Applicant's benefit, or in Applicant's place, might assert against Releasees. The obligation in this regard extends even to Applicant's paying settlements, judgments, and expenses and costs of legal defense incurred by Releasees. (13) The waivers, releases, and promises of indemnification undertaken by Applicant in this Agreement EXTEND EVEN TO: CLAIMS ASSERTING NEGLIGENCE PER SE, CONDUCT THAT IS INTENTIONAL OR RECKLESS, CLAIMS OF FRAUD, CLAIMS INVOLVING DEATH, ACTIVITY THAT WOULD OVERLAP WITH ALLEGATIONS OF CRIMINALITY, AND/OR CLAIMS SEEKING EXEMPLARY DAMAGES. They apply without regard to the basis of the claim (e.g., based on tort, breach of contract, common law, implied or express warranty, or otherwise). Applicant's promised indemnification of Releasees also extends to claims third parties assert against Releasees said to be based on Applicant's conduct. (14) INFECTIOUS DISEASE—Applicant's promises and assumption of risks in this Agreement also extend to the risk and any asserted harm Applicant and the dog(s) may suffer from actual or threatened exposure to infectious disease, whether COVID-19 or otherwise, and Applicant accepts full responsibility for taking such measures as may be required or prudent to protect Applicant and well as other participants in the events. Applicant represents being aware of related recommend health practices, e.g., masking and distancing. (15) Applicant assigns to ASCA® the sole right to pursue any claim in connection with or arising in relation to the scheduled events that Applicant or those acting for Applicant otherwise might assert against any person or entity affiliated with ASCA®. (16) There are no provisions to this Agreement other than as spelled out here and they may not be modified except by formal ASCA® board action. This Agreement is to be interpreted to provide Releasees with the maximum protection from liability allowable under the law.

HOST CLUB
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Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_

Registered Name of Dog \_\_\_\_\_

ASCA Registration/Tracking # \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  M  F**DOGS MAY ENTER ONLY ONE REGULAR OPEN CLASS PER TRIAL.****It must be listed on entry whether entry is Open CDX or ODX**

Jumping Vet Height?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Date	WRITE/TYPE CLASSES ENTERING FOR EACH TRIAL			
	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 3	Trial 4
AM or PM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM / <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM / <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM / <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<input type="checkbox"/> AM / <input type="checkbox"/> PM
Regular: Utility A/B, Open CDX A/B Open ODX A/B Novice A/B				
*OTCH or OTCH-OI				
Optional Titling and Non-Regular				
*Indicate where to apply points, if eligible for OTCH points.	<b>Jump Height</b>		<b>TOTAL ENTRY FEES</b>	<b>\$</b>

Sire \_\_\_\_\_

Dam \_\_\_\_\_

Breeder \_\_\_\_\_ Call Name \_\_\_\_\_

Junior's Relationship to Owners \_\_\_\_\_ Junior Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Junior's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) \_\_\_\_\_ ASCA Membership # \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Owner Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name &amp; Number \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Handler \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBITOR/OWNER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18) MUST READ AND SIGN THIS FORM**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF OWNER/HANDLER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18)  
PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ERRORS AND RULE VIOLATIONS**

AS USED HERE, "ASCA®" MEANS THE OWNER AND THE OPERATOR OF THE EVENT PREMISES, THE AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA, ITS AFFILIATE CLUBS, AND EACH OF THEIR MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, SHOW CHAIRMEN, SHOW COMMITTEES AND AGENTS.