

Think Spring Rally and Obedience Trials

Sponsored by WASCUNY

March 30, 2024

Location: Working Dogs NY, LLC- 10 Verbraska Ave, Amsterdam NY 12010

1 ASCA Obedience Trial and 2 ASCA Rally Trials (ASCA Sanction Pending)

Obedience trial starts at 8:00am. Rally trial 1 starts at 10:00am or after obedience trial. Rally trial 2 starts at noon or after rally trial 1. Trial site opens at 7:00am.

Judges: Gail Stone- Dresden, ME (all rally classes)

Debra St. Jacques- Argyle, NY (all obedience classes)

Pre-entry: \$20 each class, \$17 second class (same dog, same trial)

****Package- enter at least 1 class in each of the 3 trials and pay \$55 for those 3 classes.****

Pre-entries open February 12, 2024 and close on March 18, 2024 or when total entry limit has been reached. Total entry limit of 70 runs for the day. No refunds after pre-entry closing date.

Official ASCA entry forms must be used and can be found at:

obedience- <https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/obedentryform.pdf>

rally- [rallyentryform.pdf](https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/rallyentryform.pdf) (asca.org)

Make checks payable to WASCUNY and mail with entry form to:

Maria Accumanno 1035 Wallace Ave., Schenectady, NY 12306

Day of entries will be taken between 7:00am-7:30am if limit has not been reached.

Day of entry: \$25 per class

Trial Chair: Marj Johnson marjnoils@gmail.com

Contact Trial Secretary: Maria Accumanno at bealady30@aol.com with questions.

Classes Offered:

Obedience (in order)- Utility B/A, Open CDX B/A, ODX B/A, Novice B/A/C, Grad Novice, Beginner
Novice B/A and Sub Novice

****Novice group exercises will be held before novice individual exercises. Veteran dogs will show in regular classes and are allowed to jump 4" lower.**

Rally (in order)- Masters B/A/C, Excellent B/A/C, Advanced B/A/C, Novice B/A/C.

WASCUNY Club Officers:

President- Jessica Meyer Jessmeyer66@gmail.com Vice President- Kathy Fretz sunpiperaussies@gmail.com
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ASCA Information and Rules:

These are ASCA sanctioned trials, no food or corrections are allowed. The event is open to all breeds and mixed breeds. All breeds are eligible for titles. No bitches in season. Bitches that come into heat or dogs that become injured before the pre-entry closing date may have their entries refunded pending proof by veterinarian. All dogs must have proof of rabies vaccination at the trial. An ASCA registration # or tracking number will be required .

The application for a tracking number can be found at:

<https://asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/06/qtsvcapp.pdf>

This event will follow all rules and regulations of the Australian Shepherd Club of America. For a copy of the rules go to: <https://www.asca.org> . No entry will be accepted from a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs, or a person not in good standing with ASCA. Dogs with titles or legs in other registries must begin at the novice level in ASCA.

Awards:

1st through 4th place placement ribbons per class. Green qualifying ribbon for each qualifier. High in Trial will be awarded for each obedience and rally trial from the regular titling classes only. High Scoring Aussie or High Scoring Other Breed (if not high in trial), High Combined and High in Trial Junior will be awarded at each trial. High in Circuit prize will be awarded to the dog/handler team with the highest average score for the weekend.

Scores must come from regular titling classes.

Location Information:

The trial will be held indoors on turf. All crates and chairs must have mats underneath. No X-pens permitted inside. Please pick up after your dog. There will be no food vendor on site, however DomAdi's Deli is next door (www.domadisdeli.com). There are also many other restaurants near by.

Emergency Veterinarians:

Upstate Veterinary Specialties 152 Sparrowbush Rd., Latham, NY 12110
518-783-3198

Capital District Veterinary Referral Hospital 222 Troy Schenectady Rd, Latham, NY, 12110
518-785-1094

Motels:

Super 8 Motel, 301 N Comrie Avenue Johnstown, NY 12095 518-336-5656

Holiday Inn, 308 N Comrie Avenue Johnstown, NY 12095 518-762-4686

Microtel Inn & Suites, 136 N Comrie Avenue Johnstown, NY 12095 518-362-7022

Knights Inn Motel, 831 Rte 5S Amsterdam, NY 12010 518-842-5637

Please confirm their dog friendly policy when you call, please be courteous and pick up after your dogs.

Directions to Working Dogs NY LLC:

NYS Thruway (I-90) take Exit 27 (Amsterdam). At traffic light, turn right. Take an immediate right onto the ramp for Rt 5S. Take a left onto 5S West. Continue on 5S for approximately half mile and turn left onto Verbraska Avenue. Working Dogs is the first building on the left.