

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Presents

ASCA ® Agility & Obedience Trials

May 7th & 8th, 2016

ACE PROGRAM

Any dog ≥18 months can jump
1 height lower than their
standard height.
Any dog ≥10 years can jump 2
heights lower than their
Championship height program.



ALL DOGS
WELCOME!
Not just for Aussies!

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Kennedy Equestrian Park 5575 34B Ave., Delta BC V4L 2P1, Canada

ALL BREED AGILITY (Limited Entry)

Trial Chair: Linda Clark

Judge: Chet Katwyk

of Sedro Woolley WA

Saturday Classes

* 2 Regular * 2 Iumpers

* 2 Gamblers

Sunday Classes

* 2 Regular

* 2 Jumpers

* 2 Gamblers

Levels: Novice, Open, Elite

Programs: Championships & ACE

Divisions:

Championship (Standard/Veterans/Jr. Handler)

ACE (Standard/Sr. Dog).

ALL BREED OBEDIENCE (Limited Entry) Trial Chair: Mary Jay Douglas

Obedience: Saturday AM & PM Judge: Margaret Chandler

Obedience: Sunday AM & PM Judge: Marion Postgate

* Note: start times are as listed, or 60 minutes after completion of previous event, whichever is later

Pre-Entries open March 15, 2016 (Postmark Date)
Pre-Entries close May 1, 2016 or when classes are filled

MAIL ALL ENTRIES TO: Trial Secretary Linda Clark, 18039 58A Ave, Surrey BC V3S 1N7 Cheques payable to: ASC of BC

Contact ascofbc@gmail.com for further information

ALL BREED AGILITY INFORMATION

(LIMITED ENTRY)

ASCA Agility is open to all breeds of dogs including mixed breeds.

TRIAL SECRETARY: LINDA CLARK (778)809-3869 ascofbc@gmail.com

Pre-Entry Fees: \$11 / Run. Please make cheques payable to ASC of BC

Entry fees may be made in **US** or Canadian Funds.

Late Entries: Not Accepted

NON-ASCA registered dogs, including mixed breeds may compete. A tracking number must be applied for if you wish to have your qualifying scores and titles tracked. Please download from http://www.asca.org/Portals/0/trackapp.pdf Entries must be submitted on the entry form in the premium. *Entries must be signed, complete and paid in full to be accepted*. Entries received prior to the Opening Date will not be accepted. Requests for changes (or move-ups) to your entry must be received in writing or by email to the Trial Secretary by May 3rd, 2016. Day to day move-ups will be accepted.

MEASURING

Dogs entered in any class other than the 20"+ or 16"+ Veteran Division or ACE 16"+ Standard or 12"+ Senior Dog (ie: classes in which the dog's wither height is 20" and under) and do not have a permanent ASCA, AKC or NADAC height card must be measured at the time of check in. Copies of height cards may be presented at the trial or mailed in with entry.

CHAMPIONSHIP PROGRAM

	Standard Division	Veteran Division		
Small Dogs	Withers 11" & under	Withers 11" & under		
	Jump 8"	Jump 4"		
	Withers > 11" & ≤ 14"	Withers > 11" & ≤ 14"		
	Jump 12 "	Jump 8"		
Medium Dogs	Withers > 14" & ≤ 18"	Withers > 14" & ≤ 18"		
	Jump 16"	Jump 12"		
Large Dogs	Withers > 18" & ≤ 20"	Withers > 18" & ≤ 20"		
	Jump 20"	Jump 16"		
	Withers > 20"	Withers > 20"		
	In the 20"+ Class, Jump 20"	In the 16"+ class, Jump 16"		
	(May enter 24" class)			

ACE PROGRAM

	Standard Division	Senior Dog Division		
Small Dogs	Withers 11" & under	Withers 11" & under		
	Jump 4"	Jump 4"		
	Withers > 11" & ≤ 14"	Withers > 11" & ≤ 14"		
	Jump 8"	Jump 4"		
Medium Dogs	Withers > 14" & ≤ 18"	Withers > 14" & ≤ 18"		
	Jump 12"	Jump 8"		
Large Dogs	Withers > 18" & ≤ 20"	Withers > 18" & ≤ 20"		
	In 16" class Jump 16"	In 12" class Jump 12"		
	Withers > 20"	Withers > 20"		
	In the 16"+ Class, Jump 16"	In the 12"+ class, Jump 12"		

TRIAL SITE INFORMATION

The trial will be one ring, 80' x 100', outdoor on grass (weather permitting, else indoors on dirt). Equipment may include the following: Dog walk (slatted, rubberized), A-Frame (slatted & rubberized), teeter totter (slat-less, rubberized), open tunnel, weave poles (24" spacing), tire jump (displaceable), winged and non-winged jumps.

CLASSES IN RUN ORDER

Saturday: Jumpers 1 & 2, Gamblers 1, Regular 1 & 2, Gamblers 2. Sunday: Gamblers 3, Regular 3 & 4, Gamblers 4, Jumpers 3 & 4. All events run Elite, Open, and Novice order.

Start time for both Saturday and Sunday is 8:00 am.

AWARDS

 1^{st} - 4^{th} for each jump height, all classes and levels; qualifying ribbons for each qualifying run. Special awards for the CH program: High Scoring Aussie, High Scoring Other Breed, High Scoring Rescue Dog, (See form on page $6 \sim$ any breed or mixed breed) and High Score ACE Program Dog. Each 10 point Q is worth 1 point and a 5 point Q is worth ½ point. In the event of a tie, the following procedures shall be used for breaking the tie. First tie breaker: The dog with the most points in in all rounds of the Regular classes. Second tie breaker: The dog with the highest number of gamble points with qualifying score. Third tie breaker: The dog with the fastest YPS in all rounds of the regular classes in which qualifying scores were earned.

If you may finish an ATCH during this trial, please inform the Trial Secretary before the trial.

FEO (For Exhibition Only)

Dogs entered in FEO may jump at a lower height than their regular jump height. No points towards titles will be earned in FEO.

NOTICE TO AGILITY COMPETITORS

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 the time of this trial.

This trial is sanctioned by the Australian Shepherd Club of America (ASCA) with the Australian Shepherd Club of British Columbia (ASC of BC) as the sponsor club. Exhibitors through submission of their entry acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of ASCA rules and regulations, including the following rules regarding entry.

- All healthy, trained dogs over eighteen (18) months of age are eligible to compete in ASCA agility trials.
- The handlers should always conduct themselves in a sportsman like 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 the ring or outside the ring, must be excused from the agility trial. Any dog which the judge feels is not in enough control to perform all obstacles in a safe manner will be excused from the agility trial.
- I (we) further agree that when my dog(s) are left unattended, they will be secured in a crate or x-pen.

 Owners/Handlers whose dogs are tethered or improperly secured will not be allowed on the show grounds.
- No collars, leads, food, toys, clickers, or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course or within ten (10) feet of the ring entrance at any time. The only exception to this is leading your dog to the start on lead, and then handing the lead to a steward. All dogs should be on a leash when not competing.
- Safety shall always be the foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- No entry shall be accepted from a dog or handler disqualified from the ASCA agility program, a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs; or a member not in good standing with ASCA.
- The sponsoring clubs will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor the result be 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.
- Participation is a privilege afforded by the Host Club and may be extended or withdrawn by the Host Club's trial committee on suitable cause only. Refusal of such entries will be reported to ASCA.
- > There will be no refunds in the event that a dog or handler is dismissed from competition regardless of the reason.
- ➤ A 100% refund will be given for any request received prior to the closing date. Requests for a refund of entry fees after the closing date, up to the day before the trial, will be honoured less any expenses incurred by ASC of BC, and will be issued for the following reasons: bitches in heat, dogs injured or ill (with verification from vet on request) or a family emergency.
- > Cheques not honoured by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a **\$40.00** service charge for bank returned cheques.
- ➤ The **Veterans Division** is open to any dog age seven (7) or older, or any handler aged 60 or older, or any who has a certificate of disability. Dogs entered in the Veterans Division classes will jump 4" lower than their regular jump height.
- Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption List, description of classes, levels and divisions are included in the current ASCA Agility Rules and Regulations Handbook.
- A copy of the current ASCA Agility Rules and Regulations Handbook may be downloaded free from the ASCA website www.asca.org

AGILITY MINIONS NEEDED!!!



Volunteers are essential to keeping a trial running smoothly. Any help you can offer is *greatly appreciated*. Please indicate jobs you would prefer to do, jobs you can't do, and the days you are available to help. **Volunteer Raffle at the end of each day.** *A class sign up board will be at the trial. Below, lets us know where we may be in short supply.*

Competitor Name								
Helpful Non-Competitor Name:								
I am available	☐ SATURDAY	☐ SUNDAY						
I have experience	☐ GATING	☐ TIMING	☐ SCRIBING					
AVAILABLE POSITI	IONS Ring Crew	Prefer to Do	Prefer Not To Do					
	Course Builder							
	Scribe							
	Timer							
	Leash Runner							
	Scribe Runner							
	Wherever Needed!							
	Set Up (Friday)							
	Pack Up (Sunday after Shov	v)						

Obedience Fun Runs! \$5/run Friday May 6th 4:30 - 6:00 pm

Volunteers will be available to call & steward. No scoring provided. Call Mary Jay to register.

ALL BREED OBEDIENCE INFORMATION

ASCA® Obedience is open to all breeds of dog, including mixed breeds. *Limited Entry Obedience*

Trial Chair: Mary Jay Douglas, <u>mj-douglas@shaw.ca</u> or (604)274-3318 **Show Coordinator**: Linda Clark, <u>ascofbc@gmail.com</u> or (778)809-3869

Saturday & Sunday: AM Trial Entries 8:00 am – 8:45 am. Trial Starts 9:00 am **Saturday Judge: Margaret Chandler Sunday Judge: Marion Postgate**

PM Trial will begin 60 minutes after the AM trial has completed.

Group exercises will be performed before all the individual exercises. The trial will begin with Open sits and downs at 9:00 am. These are limited entry trials. Entries will be limited to three and a half hours of judging per trial.

Pre-Entry Fees: All Classes \$15 / run. Make cheques payable to ASC of BC.

After May 1st, **2016 Entry fees**: All classes \$18/run. Make cheques payable to ASC of BC. (See notes on late entries) Entry fees may be paid in US or Canadian funds.

Late Entries: Accepted on a space availability basis. Contact the Obedience Trial Secretary for details.

Classes in Run Order: Utility A & B, Open A & B, DOE A & B, Novice A & B, Beginner Novice.

Mail completed forms to: Linda Clark, 18039 58A Ave, Surrey BC V2S 1N7

All entries must be on ASCA official entry forms available at http://www.asca.org/Portals/0/obedwtxentry.pdf (or use the forms at the back of this premium)

Obedience: Dogs not registered with ASCA® must have an ASCA® tracking number to compete. A one time fee applies. Please visit http://www.asca.org/Portal/0/trackapp.pdf Entries must be signed, completed and paid in full to be accepted. Entries submitted prior to the Opening Date will not be accepted. Requests for changes or move-ups to your entry must be received in writing or email to the Trial Secretary by May 3rd, 2015.

REFUNDS:

A 100% refund will be given for any request received prior to the closing date. Requests for a refund of entry fees after the closing date, up to the day before the trial, will be honoured less any expenses incurred by ASC of BC, and will be issued for the following reasons: bitches in heat, dogs injured or ill (with verification from vet on request) or a family emergency.

TRIAL SITE INFORMATION

These events will be held outdoors on grass. (weather permitting, else indoors on dirt) Crating space is available outdoors. Very limited shade is available.

AWARDS

HIT, High Score Aussie, High Combined, High Score Junior, Flat Ribbons for 1st -4th and all non-regular classes. Award for High Scoring Aussie is for ASCA registered Australian Shepherds for dogs with an ASCA LEP number. Only regular classes count towards the high score awards.

CLASS CONFLICTS

As much as possible without causing lengthy delays to the shows and trials, ASC of BC will work to accommodate exhibitors who have conflicts. If you anticipate a conflict, please let the gate and ring stewards know as soon as possible. Run/judging order and entries for each class will be posted outside all agility and obedience trial rings.

SITE INFORMATION

Location: Kennedy Equestrian Park

5575 34B Ave, Delta BC V4L 2P1

Parking: Please drive to the back of the property for general parking.

A good selection of stores and restaurants are within a 5 minute drive from the trial site.

Power, Water, Washrooms: There is running water on site and limited power available. Washrooms on site.

Tents and crating: There will be plenty of room for shade tents and crating. As limited shade is available, please provide your own shade for your dogs.

DIRECTIONS

FROM THE EAST or WEST, VIA HWY 99

Take exit 26 onto Hwy 17 West - Tsawwassen. Take Exit 8 onto Deltaport Way, Turn Right onto 57B St. Turn Left onto 34B Ave. Location will be on your right

FROM THE SOUTH VIA I-5 NORTH

Stay on I-5 through the Peace Arch Border crossing Head North on Hwy 99 Take exit 26 onto Hwy 17 West - Tsawwassen Take Exit 8 onto Deltaport Way Turn Right onto 57B St Turn Left onto 34B Ave Location will be on your right

BORDER CROSSING INFORMATION

Be advised that a passport or enhanced drivers license is required for all humans crossing the border, and all dogs over 3 months require a rabies certificate. For more info: **CIFA online.**

breed/mix in Agility.	
Enter your rescue dog here!	
Dog's name:	Ro In
Handler's name:	CSCIAS
ASCA Tracking Number (if applicable):	
Name of Rescue Organization:	

ACCOMODATIONS

On Site: Very limited RV spots will be available with Power. Dry Camping is available as well. Please contact Linda Clark at ascofbc@gmail.com to reserve a spot.

HOTELS

Coast Tsawwassen Inn

1665 56th St Delta BC Toll Free 1-800-943-8221 Local 604-943-8221 \$15 per pet per night fee Web site:

http://www.tsawwasseninn.com

Beach Grove Motel

5921 12th Ave Delta BC 604-943-2632 \$15 one time pet fee http://www.beachgrovemotel.com

CAMPING

Parkcanada

4761 Nulelum Way, Delta BC 1-877-943-0685 No pet fee. All pets must be on leash. Please clean up after your pets.

http://www.parkcanada.com



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AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA® AGILITY TRIAL ENTRY FORM

Show Dates	May	<u>7 & 8,</u>	2016)						
Host Club	Club ASC of BC									
Use one entry form per dog. Print or type all of the following information.					1					
Dog's ASCA Registration #:(LEP/Tracking/Regular)										
Breed:Sex: □Male □Female						ale				
Registered Name:										
Call Name:	DOB:									
Owner(s):										
Primary Owner	r Addre	ess:								
City:					ST:		_Zip:_			
Handler:										
(If other than ov	vner)				ID	DOD				
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Dog's Height @ Withers: Breed Jump Height Exempt? ☐ Yes ☐ No Standard Jump Height: ☐ 8 ☐ 12 ☐ 16 ☐ 20 ☐ 20+										
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Program: Class Entered	hampi	Onship Divis Vet	(CH)	☐ A Sr Dog	+ □ 16 ACE Nov A B	□ 16+ Level	20	□ 20+ Day	(s)	
Program: Class Entered Regular 1	hampi	Onship Divis Vet	(CH)	☐ A Sr Dog	+ □ 16 ACE Nov A B □ □ A B	□ 16+ Level	20	□ 20+ Day	(s)	
Class Entered Regular 1 Regular 2	hampi	Onship Divis Vet	(CH)	☐ A Sr Dog	+ □ 16 ACE Nov A B □ □ A B	□ 16+ Level	20	□ 20+ Day	(s)	
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EXHIBITOR/OWNER MUST READ & SIGN REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM. PARENT/GUARDIAN OF JUNIOR MUST SIGN AS WELL.

AGREEMENT

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

- 1.1 As used here, "ASCA®" means the Australian Shepherd Club of America®, its affiliate clubs and each of their members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees, and agents.
- 1.2 Exhibitor/owner agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA® and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
- 1.3 Exhibitor/owner certifies that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs, or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.
- 1.4 Exhibitor/owner acknowledges all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to: the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures (or lack thereof), electrical appliances, fittings, show rings, parking areas, and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people. Exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.
- 1.5 Exhibitor/owner releases ASCA®, the ASCA® affiliate/licensee club, ASC of BC (including its officers, directors, members, and event organizing committee), and Kennedy Equestrian Park, harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event, or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for, and agree to indemnify and save aforementioned parties harmless from, any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event; howsoever such injury, or death, may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused, or may have been alleged to have been caused, by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

I have read, understood, and acknowledge the above Agreement.

	Date:
Signature of Owner/Exhibitor	
	Date:
Signature of Parent/Legal Gua	
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Telephone Number	Email Address



ASCA Service Membership and Tracking Number Application

In order to have ASCA trial points tracked and to receive titling certificates, each non-ASCA registered dog will be required to have an ASCA Tracking Number. This is a one-time fee of \$10/dog. At the time of applying for the tracking number, the individual owner must also be an ASCA member (minimum membership type, Service, is required). ASCA membership does not have to be maintained in subsequent years.

It will be the responsibility of the owner to identify previous ASCA points earned when applying for a Tracking Number.

Please type or print clearly. Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned.

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Service Membership Fee: \$10.00 per person Owner's Name (1): Owner's Name (2): Owner's Address: City: State: Zip: Phone: Email: I (We) agree to abide by the ASCA Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and all ASCA Rules and Regulations governing the ASCA Registry and all other ASCA programs. Owner's Signature (1): Owner's Signature (2): Dog Information Fee for tracking number is \$10.00 per dog for ASCA Members Dog's Full Name: Dog's Call Name: Sex: · M · F Birth date: Breed: Previous ASCA points earned (If more space is needed, please attach another sheet):

Mail completed form with check, money order, or credit card information to:

ASCA Business Office
6091 E State Hwy 21, Bryan, TX 77808
You may scan/email the form to agility@asca.org or fax to:
(979)778-1898

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS Do I have to have a tracking number to compete?

- · You do not need a tracking number in order to compete in Agility or Stock.
- You will need a tracking number to enter an Obedience trial,
 Rally trial, or Tracking Test.
- Your dog does not have to be a purebred to receive a tracking number from ASCA.

Why would I need or want a tracking number for my dog? If you would like to have your dog's points recorded by ASCA, and to receive title certificates in the mail for your accomplishments, you will need to obtain a tracking number.

What is the total cost for a tracking number?

In order to obtain a tracking number for your dog, you must be at least a Service member. The cost for Service Membership is \$10.

• Your membership is good for one year; however, it does not need to be maintained in subsequent years, unless you want to obtain another tracking number for another dog after your membership has expired.

This membership fee is **in addition** to the tracking fee of **\$10** per dog. A tracking number is good for the lifetime of the dog. If you only have one dog, the total cost would be **\$20**. For two dogs, the cost would be **\$30**, etc.