



Top Dog Agility Center
August 7-9, 2026

107 Say Road
Emlenton, PA 16373

Judge:
Becky Umberger
from Hardy, VA

Double Run format

Building and Ring Surface info:

Indoor arena and adjacent crating area are NOT climate controlled.

The barn room has heat.

Ring is 76' x 112' with stone dust/shredded foam mix footing with no obstructions

Contact Surface:

Rubberized slats

Crating Set up times:

Building opens at 7 a.m. each morning

Briefing at:

7:45 a.m. each morning

Preliminary Class Order:

May change depending on weather, judge's preference, time or number of entries

Friday

Class:	Double Run
Regular	2
Gamblers	2
Chances	2
Weavers	2

Saturday

Class:	Double Run
Regular	2
Chances	2
Tunnelers	2
Touch 'N Go	2

Sunday

Class:	Double Run
Touch 'N Go	2
Regular	2
Weavers	2
Jumpers	2

**Entries open
when premium is posted**

**Entries Close on:
July 27, 2026**

Changes and move ups must be submitted
no later than 8 p.m. on
Monday, August 3, 2026.

Crating Availability:

Crating area (20' x 112') is adjacent and open
to the ring – NOT climate controlled. The
barn room has heat or AC as needed.

**Entry Limits:
400 runs per day**

Move ups:

Same day move ups are not allowed.
You may move up at the end of one
day for the next.

Day of Show Entries:

The decision to accept Day of Show entries will be
made at the closing date. Contact the trial
secretary after closing if interested.
Those already entered may add classes at DOS
price of \$15/run.

Refunds:

A withdrawal from the competition after the
closing date due to an injury and/or illness and/or
a bitch coming into season after the closing date
will be eligible for a refund of 50% of the total
entry fee paid. A veterinarian's notice of injury or
illness may be required for a refund. Entry fee
may not be refunded if the trial cannot open or be
completed due to weather, disturbances, or any
other cause beyond our control.
There will be NO refund for entries in the event a
dog and/or handler are dismissed from
competition, regardless of the reason for such
dismissal.

Show Committee

Trial Chair: Tom Weiss
leadsearay@gmail.com

Trial Secretary: Jo Weiss
jo@topdogagilitycenter.com

Confirmations:

Confirmations will be sent upon receipt of
entries. Please check for accuracy.

Food info:

Potluck lunch, snacks, and drinks will be
provided. Feel free to bring something to
share!

Volunteer info:

We need your help! A volunteer signup
board will be available at the trial. All
volunteers are eligible for drawings for free
runs!

Awards and Ribbons:

Qualifying and placement ribbons (1st thru 4th)
for all classes
Specialty ribbons for all new titles

Equipment info:

24" weaves
Electronic timers
Contact equipment with rubberized slatted surfaces
Textured tunnels

Jump Height Info:

MEASURING

Measurement forms and more info may be obtained at:
www.nadac.com. Click on "Data Center". Scroll down to "Permanent Height Card".

All dogs need to be measured.

(effective Jan.1, 2025)

Dogs cannot be officially measured before 2 years old but, must be measured by the time they are competing in Elite.

JUMP HEIGHTS

There are four Standard Division-Proficient jump heights: 8", 12", 16", and 20".

There are four Standard Division-Skilled jump heights: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

There are four jump heights for the Veterans and Junior Handler divisions: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

Please see the NADAC Rulebook for the full jump height table

Brief Summary of Rules:

Please refer to www.nadac.com for a full explanation of all NADAC rules and up to date information.

- Please note that NADAC trials should provide a safe and fun environment for both exhibitors and their dogs.
- Aggressive dogs will not be tolerated and will be excused from the trial.
- The show committee has the right to refuse any entry. Anyone not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed to enter this trial.
- Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$25.00 service charge for bank returned checks.
- Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted.
<https://www.nadac.com/register-your-dog/>
- A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadac.com
- Bitches in heat, lame, or blind dogs are ineligible for entry, as is any dog with a deformity which may cause a judge to not be able to reasonably assess the dog's ability to function and perform agility obstacles safely, and in a manner that is in the best interest, health and welfare of the dog.
- No food, clickers, or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course or within 10 feet of the ring. Food or a small non-audible toy can be in a secure container (zip-lock bag is acceptable) in your pocket during your run but you cannot indicate to the dog it is there. All handlers may bring a non-audible toy into the ring for training purposes. They cannot earn a Qualifying score and must declare to the judge they are training before they commence their run. Please read the Exhibitor's Handbook for more information about toys and training in the ring.
- The sponsoring clubs will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether 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.

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Make Checks Payable to: TDAC

Send entries to: Top Dog Agility Center, 107 Say Road, Emlenton, PA 16373

Owner					Dog		
Name					Call Name		
Address					NADAC Reg #		
City/State/Zip					Date of Birth		
Phone					Height at Withers		
Email					Breed		
Handler, If not owner					Emergency Contact Name/Phone		
PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR DOG'S HEIGHT CARD IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE ON FILE.							
CATEGORY: PROFICIENT <input type="checkbox"/> SKILLED <input type="checkbox"/>							
DIVISION: STANDARD <input type="checkbox"/> VET DOG <input type="checkbox"/> VET HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/>							
I WANT MY DOG TO JUMP: <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20							
Class	Level				Day		
	Intro	Novice	Open	Elite	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Regular	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Chances	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
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Tunnelers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Weavers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>		Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Grounders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
Gamblers		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>		
In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we certify that I/we have knowledge of, and are familiar with, and agree to abide by, the Rules and Regulations of NADAC in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by NADAC for this trial. I/we certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. I/we further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on page 5 of this premium							

Number of Total Runs Entered (all dogs): # _____

1- 11 Runs = \$13 each = _____

12 or more runs = \$12 each = _____

Junior Handler = \$8 each = _____

Day of Show (after closing) \$15 each = _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED = _____

Owner/Exhibitor: _____ Date _____

Parent or Legal Guardian of Junior Handler _____

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 "NADAC" means the North American Dog Agility Council, LLC., its members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.
 - 1.2. Exhibitor/owner agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.
 - 1.3. Exhibitor/owner certify 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 acknowledge all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the surface, restrooms, security measures or lack of, 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 NADAC (including its respective officers, directors, employees, and members), and **Top Dog Agility Center, LLC** (including its officers, directors, members, and event organizing committee), and will defend them and hold them 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 assumes sole responsibility for and agrees to indemnify and save the 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
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“The trial you are entering is using slatted contact equipment. For many years slats have NOT been used in NADAC trials. The reasons for this are, with the lowered height of the NADAC A-frame and the advent of rubber coated equipment, NADAC found that slats became unnecessary in the sport, because the dogs had more than enough grip with the rubber coatings. NADAC was the first organization to use rubber contact equipment and we feel that the removal of slats was the correct, logical next move. The reason for this allowance is to encourage new clubs to try NADAC, without needing to purchase a specific set of equipment for NADAC. The current generation of slats, we feel, are no longer a safety concern, like many of the previous generations, so, while we believe they are not needed for dogs competing in NADAC, we also feel that it won’t hurt to have them either. It should be noted that, any and all national NADAC events (i.e. Championships) that you attend will be using non-slatted contact equipment, only.”

At Site Emergency Information	
Veterinarian	Urgent Care/Hospital (Human)
Butler Vet Emergency Center 1761 North Main St Ext Butler, PA 16001 724-283-2345	Clarion Hospital 1 Hospital Drive Clarion PA 16214 814-226-1336 Grove City Medical Center 631 North Broad St Ext Grove City, PA 16127 724-450-7000

Accommodations and Directions

Call hotels/motels directly for discounts. Please verify that the following information is still accurate.

Emlenton Travelodge by Wyndham, 6318 Emlenton/Clintonville Rd, Emlenton, PA 330-269-5822 Exit 42 on I-80
2.5 miles from site - **mention Top Dog for 10% discount**, allows multiple dogs. \$100 security deposit refunded if no damage is noted.

From the East – Microtel by Wyndham, 121 North Point Drive, Clarion, PA 814-227-2223 Exit 62 on I-80
23 miles (24 min) from site – **mention Top Dog for 20% discount**, allows multiple dogs, pet fee of \$25 for first night, \$15 each additional night.

From the West – Rodeway Inn, 835 Perry Hwy, Mercer, PA 724-748-3030 Exit 15 on I-80
27 miles (29 min) from site – up to four medium dogs allowed, pet fee of \$10/night/room

From the Southwest – Wingate by Wyndham, 118 Garrett Drive, Grove City, PA 724-748-1005 Exit 113 on I-79
30 miles (28 min) from site – **mention Top Dog for 15% discount**, allows multiple dogs, pet fee max of \$75/stay

For Smokers (second floor rooms): Motel 6, 1010 Dholu Road, Barkeyville, PA 814-786-8375 Exit 35 on I-80
15.5 miles (16 min) from site – if you have more than 2 dogs, call and mention Top Dog, no pet fee

CAMPING on Site – DRY CAMPING only, limited space, on grass. Bring extra leveling blocks. Use camping form on last page of premium.

Directions to the Site.

From the East:

Take I-80 West and get off at Exit 42 for Emlenton. At end of exit ramp, take a left onto 38South and go 2.4 miles. Take a right onto Stone Church Road at the blue and white sign for the church. Drive 1/4 mile and turn right onto Say Road. Go past our driveway and past the arena. Just behind the arena is a circular gravel drive. Please enter the TOP end of the circular drive into the parking area.

From the West:

Take I-80 East and get off at Exit 42 for Emlenton. At end of exit ramp, take a right onto 38 South and go 2.4 miles. Take a right onto Stone Church Road at the blue and white sign for the church. Drive 1/4 mile and turn right onto Say Road. Go past our driveway and past the arena. Just behind the arena is a circular gravel drive. Please enter the TOP end of the circular drive into the parking area.

From the Butler area: Take 38 N, turn left onto Stone Church Road at the blue and white sign for the church. Drive 1/4 mile and turn right onto Say Road. Go past our driveway and past the arena. Just behind the arena is a circular gravel drive. Please enter the TOP end of the circular drive into the parking area.



CAMPING RESERVATION FORM

Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Camper or RV (circle one) Length: _____

Arriving: _____ Leaving: _____ # of nights: _____

am pm

DRY Camping only

Space is limited for camping, so send this in as early as possible!

Camping at our trials is free of charge for our patrons.



No outside fires permitted, other than Top Dog's fire pit – everyone's welcome!

We are on a well and have NO water fill capacity, so be sure to bring enough water for your stay!