

# Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club, Inc.



Presents our  
16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Annual

## **UKC Agility Trials**

Under the Regulations of the  
United Kennel Club

**Sunday June 7, 2009**

Remember Mattaponi Agility Dogs UKC Agility Trial  
Saturday, June 6 same location –  
[www.mattaponikennelclub.com](http://www.mattaponikennelclub.com)

DGOTC Training Facility  
751 E Main St., Purcellville, VA 20132

One Ring, Outside on Grass, Double-fenced  
Crating Available Inside, Climate Controlled  
No Smoking on Trial Grounds  
Entry Limit: 200 runs

**Pre-Entry Only (No Day of Show Entries)**  
**Entries must be received by Friday, May 22, 2009**

**Judge**  
**RICH BENJES, Hutchinson KS**

**Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club**

c/o Betsy Smith  
DGOTC Trial Secretary  
PO Box 967  
Purcellville, VA 20134

# Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club, Inc.

## Trial Committee

### Trial Chairperson

Joan Wilson  
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Springfield, VA 22150  
(703) 569-3779

[poodlerama@msn.com](mailto:poodlerama@msn.com)

### Trial Secretary

Betsy Smith  
PO Box 967  
Purcellville, VA 20134  
(304) 724-7949

[mistryridgefarm@aol.com](mailto:mistryridgefarm@aol.com)

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Chief Ring Steward/Volunteer Coordinator.....Leslie Mclean  
Chief Course Builder .....Suzi Dodson  
Awards ..... Betsy Smith

## Veterinarian on Call

Loudoun Veterinary Service  
1043 -B East main Street  
Purcellville, VA 20132  
540-338-4118

*Mail all entries with fees made payable to **DGOTC** to:*

**Betsy Smith**  
**DGOTC Trial Secretary**  
**PO Box 967**  
**Purcellville, VA 20134**

***U.K.C., Mattaponi Agility Dogs and Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club, Inc., are not responsible for loss, accidents or theft.***

***Absolutely no alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs will be allowed on the grounds or in the buildings the day of a U.K.C. Licensed Event.***

### Grounds Information

There is water available on the Trial Grounds. Ring will be double-fenced.

### Confirmations

Entry confirmations will be mailed shortly after the trial closing date. If you wish to confirm receipt of your entry prior to the closing date, please enclose a self-addressed postage paid postcard or envelope.

### Waiting List

If we fill before the closing date, we will maintain a waiting list to fill any cancellations.

### Awards

Rosettes will be awarded for High in Trial, High Combined and **Triple Crown** (HS qualifying in AGI, AGII and AGIII). Placement rosettes will be awarded to the first through fourth place qualifying dogs in each class in each trial. All qualifying scores will receive qualifying ribbons. New Title ribbons will be available. **Please let the trial secretary know if there is a possibility that you will earn a UGRACH or an additional UGRACH and we will make a title jump bar available for you.**

## Overnight Lodging

Area hotels may change their policies on accepting or not accepting dogs and regarding pet fees. We suggest that you contact the hotels directly on this matter prior to making reservations.

The following hotels are about 20 minutes from the show site. Remember to keep motel rooms and grounds free of dog debris so they will continue to welcome our dogs and us.

### Days Inn

721 E. Market St., Leesburg, VA (703) 777-6622

### Holiday Inn

1500 E Market St., Leesburg, VA (703) 771-9200

The following hotels are about 45 minutes from the show site. Remember to keep motel rooms and grounds free of dog debris so they will continue to welcome our dogs and us.

### Hampton Inn Dulles/Cascades

46331 McClellan Way, Sterling, VA (703) 450-9595

### Holiday Inn Washington/Dulles

45440 Holiday Dr., Sterling, VA (703) 471-8300



## Notice to Exhibitors

- The safety of the dogs is of primary importance. 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 of the obstacles safely.
- Choke collars, pinch collars, electric and dummy electric collars are prohibited. Food and toys are not permitted in the course area. Handlers are not permitted to use whistles or other instruments or devices.
- It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dog and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial judge and/or trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees will be made.
- Please be considerate of others and **clean up after your dog** at the trial site and motel facilities. **Owners/handlers not cleaning up after their dogs are subject to dismissal from the trial without refund.**
- **The Judge is not required wait for any dog holding up the judging of a class.**
- Incorrect / incomplete entries, late entries or entries received without the appropriate fees will not be accepted. They will be returned to the sender via U.S. Mail. (Minor questions may be handled by telephone if the entrant has indicated on the entry form that he/she will accept collect calls or by email if the entrant provides an address.)
- After the trial closes, no refunds will be given except for bitches in season. In this case, a Veterinarian's certificate will be required and a \$5.00 handling fee will be assessed.
- Bitches in season will not be allowed on the show grounds during the trial weekend, Saturday & Sunday, June 6 & 7.
- **NO** Alcohol, illegal drugs, or **SMOKING** permitted on these grounds. Confine smoking to the parking lot.

## Directions to Trial Site

**From Northern Virginia** – Use the Greenway (VA 267 West) towards Leesburg (toll road). At the end of the toll road, take Exit 1A on the left towards Leesburg/Warrenton onto Route 7 West. Go 9.3 miles and take the VA 287 exit towards Purcellville. Turn left onto Berlin Turnpike, then right onto E Main St. Go about .7 mi to trial site on the right in a shopping center. Alternative; use Route 7 West, then follow directions above from Leesburg.

**From Richmond, VA & Points South and East** – Take I95 north to I495 north (Capitol Beltway) towards Tysons Corner. At exit 45 on the LEFT, merge onto VA 267 West (Dulles toll road) towards Leesburg/Warrenton. Stay on the toll road to Leesburg (Greenway). At the end of the toll road, take Exit 1A on the left towards Leesburg/Warrenton onto Route 7 West. Go 9.3 miles and take the VA 287 exit towards Purcellville. Turn left onto Berlin Turnpike, then right onto E Main St. Go about .7 mi to trial site on the right in a shopping center.

**From Frederick, MD** – Take US Route 15 south and cross into Virginia. Get on the Route 15/Route 7 Bypass around Leesburg, then take Route 7 West. From Route 7 West, take the VA 287 exit towards Purcellville. Turn left onto Berlin Turnpike, then right onto E Main St. Go about .7 mi to trial site on the right in a shopping center.

**The trial site is in a shopping center** – There is plenty of parking in front of the building and to the side of the building.

**There is no overnight parking at the facility.**

**Food** - There are plenty of fast-food restaurants in the vicinity. Restrooms are indoors at the DGOTC building..

**The ring is double-fenced and there is plenty of space inside the DGOTC building for crating.**

## About the Trial

On Saturday & Sunday, June 6 & 7, 2009, the Mattaponi Agility Dogs and Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club, Inc, will hold 4 agility trials under the regulations of the United Kennel Club, Inc (August. 2005 Official Rules). These off-lead trials are open to all UKC registered dogs that are six months of age or older. Agility I, II and III titling classes will be offered. Entry in the Agility II class is open to dogs with or without the Agility I title. A dog may be entered in the Agility I and Agility II classes at the same trial. Entry in the Agility III Class is open only to those dogs that have completed the requirements for the United Agility Champion title (UACH).

The Agility I and Agility II classes will be split into two sections, A and B. The Agility I-A class (AGI-A) will be open to dogs that have not earned a UKC UAGI title. The Agility I-B class (AGI-B) will be open to all dogs. Agility II-A class (AGII-A) will be open to dogs that have not earned a UKC UAGII title. The Agility II-B class (AGII-B) will be open to all dogs. All points toward the United Agility Champion title (UACH) must be earned from the Agility I-B and the Agility II-B classes. All points toward United Grand Agility Champion (UGRACH) must be earned from Agility I-B, Agility II-B, and Agility III classes.

No on-leash course familiarization will be allowed for any dogs entered in Agility I-B, Agility II-B, and Agility III classes

## Running Order

### Ring I

AGII Trial 1

AGII Trial 2

AGIII Trial 1

AGIII Trial 2

AGI Trial 1

AGI Trial 2

## To Enter

To enter, send a completed copy of the UKC entry form (or a copy thereof), and a check or money order. Entries close at 6:00 PM on May 22, 2009 at the Trial Secretary's home.

The entry fee is \$14.00 per dog per class. This trial is pre-entry only; **no entries will be accepted at the show site.**

- Use an official UKC entry form available at: <http://www.ukcdogs.com/index.html>  
Follow the link to All About UKC; then the link to Forms.
- Use one entry form per dog.
- You **MUST** provide either a UKC registration number or temporary number. Otherwise the entry will be rejected. (Note, you can obtain a temporary number over the phone (616-343-9020) or on the web at [www.ukcdogs.com](http://www.ukcdogs.com). Points earned will be credited if a full registration is completed within 60 days of the points being earned.)
- Include an email address or an authorization to call collect. Otherwise, problems with the entry will be handled by postal mail.

## Jump Height Divisions

We assign divisions by the height of the dog. **No dog may jump higher than its assigned jump height.**

- Be sure to indicate the correct division for your dog:

Division I	Height at withers up to and <b>including</b> 14"
Division II	Greater than 14" up to and <b>including</b> 20"
Division III	Greater than 20"

## NOTICE

**Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club, Mattaponi Agility Dogs and the Property Owner are not held responsible for any injuries, losses or damages that occur over the trial weekend. By entering the trial, the participant waives all rights which he/she or their family may have or hereafter have against Dulles Gateway Obedience Training Club, Mattaponi Agility Dogs and the Property Owner for occurrences over the trial weekend.**

## Are You Available to Help At This Trial?

All volunteers will receive a **dog toy and a coupon for \$5.00 off on entry fees to a future DGOTC agility trial (one offer per person)** plus our thanks! Don't be afraid to try a new task – we'll be happy to show you the ropes! Please return this form with your entry.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

## I can help with or I am willing to learn the following jobs:

- Course Builder:** Assists the Chief Course Builder with placing obstacles in the correct position as indicated by the judge.
- Ring Steward:** Sets bars to correct positions prior to each jump height class. Re-sets dropped bars, straightens the chutes.
- Gate Steward:** Checks off and calls exhibitors to the gate, in the correct order and ready to run.
- Leash Runner:** Takes the exhibitor's leash from the start line and places it at finish line.
- Timer:** Times the dog's run using a stopwatch.
- Sheet Runner:** Takes scribe sheet from the Judge and gives it to the Score Table.
- Sunday Night Tear Down:** Dismantling equipment and putting it away.
- Wherever I am Needed!**

**I am entered during the following (please do not schedule me to volunteer during these times):**

**Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Division:** \_\_\_\_\_

***THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR HELP!!!!***