Official Premium List

Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta

Presents

7 CKC Licensed Agility Trials

All Breed (Limited Entry)

Mixed breeds and unrecognized breeds may enter

Friday, June 9th to Sunday, June 11th , 2023

4 Standard, 4 Jumpers with Weaves, 1 Points and Distance, 3 Jumps and Tunnels and 3 Steeplechase
Novice, Intermediate, Excellent & Master Excellent Classes where applicable
Regular, Selected and Veterans Divisions

Held at Wet Noses Bed and Biscuit near Calgary. Outdoors (no cover) on grass surface.
2 Page Wire fenced rings 100' x 110' with closed entry and exit gates are used.

Pre-Entries Close: May 29th, 2023, at 9:00 pm MDT
(or automatically when the limit of 300 runs per judge per day is reached.)

Post-Closing entries will be allowed up until 1 hour prior to the start each trial at the post entry rate (space permitting).

******ONLINE ENTRIES WILL BE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE**

Judges:
Darr Houssen
863 Indian Mountain Road
Indian Mountain, NB E1G 3M9

These events held under the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club

NOTICE: PLEASE READ THIS PREMIUM LIST CAREFULLY.

Facility

Wet Noses is a 50-acre K9 Exclusive Facility. Water surrounds the property for swimming, to exercise or cool down your agility partner. Take advantage of the securely fenced **Off Leash exercise** to relax and burn off entertaining zoomies at the trials. Come camp onsite early and extend your stay for a peaceful spacious relaxing escape only a short drive from Calgary.

Practice Prior to the start of the trial, the agility rings and equipment can be booked. www.wetnoses.ca

Dog Treats and Food will be available in the store. Dehydrated and RAW in stock

Camping

Camping is available ON SITE prior to and following these trials as a quiet escape with swimming and 50 acres of off-leash exercise available. *No reservation required*. **Cost is $20 per night Cash Only.** Please provide payment in the Wet Noses Store or in the Drop Box upon arrival, prior to parking, **in an envelope, marked clearly with your contact information** (Name, Phone Number, Unit info and License Plate #). No services - a hose with cold clean water will be available. Please be prepared to be fully self-sufficient. Motor home generators must be vented upward, and as a courtesy to your fellow campers, generators will need to be turned off between the hours of 11:00 pm and 6:00 am. Ground is uneven; arrive prepared to level your unit. Please do not camp near nor block the gates to the agility field nor the parking lot at Wetnoses.

There will be a porta-potty available on site

Benching

FREE on-site benching.

Concession

There will **NOT** be a concession at these trials. Please bring your own food and drink.

Accommodations (please view websites for each individual Pet Policy)

- Best Western Strathmore Inn Strathmore AB 550 Hwy 1 403-934-5777
- Days Inn and Suites Strathmore AB 400 Ranch Market 403-934-1134
- Travelodge Strathmore AB 350 Ridge Road Hwy 1 403-901-000

Equipment

Obstacles: Agility obstacles meet the requirements of the CKC Agility Rules. **Note:** A-Frame, Dog walk, Teeter and Table have rubber surfaces and the tire is a breakaway. Wall Jump and Broad Jump will not be used on any course.

Electronic timing will be used at these trials (weather permitting).

Photographer

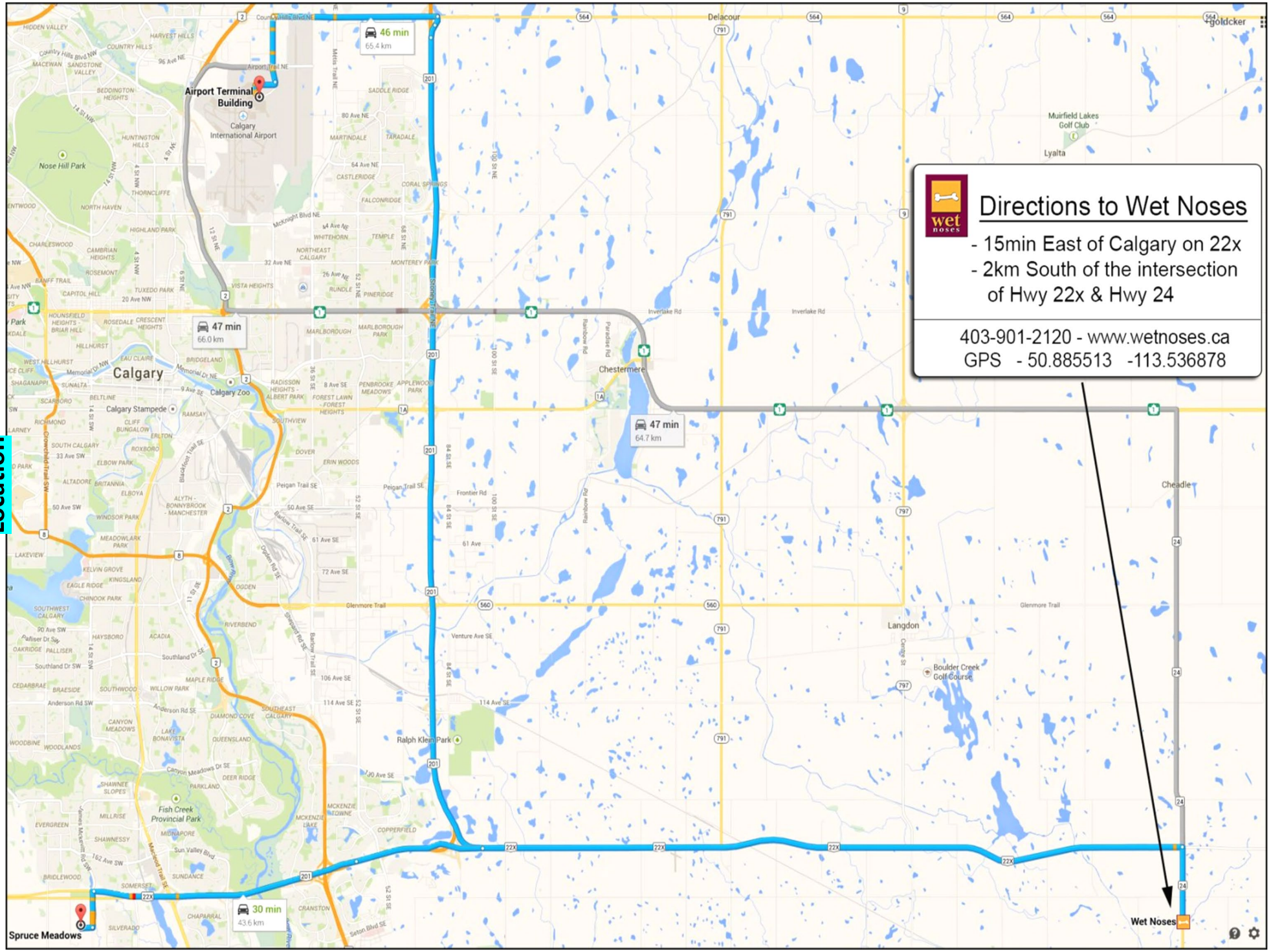
We are pleased to have Chipperfield Photography on site taking Agility pictures!!!
www.chipperfieldphotography.com

AMGCh Bars

The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta is pleased to award AGMCh bars for any dog earning their agility championship at this set of trials (Regular, Select or Veterans Championships).

If you are close to earning this award, please email Debbie at habfan2@icloud.com by May 29, 2023 so we are prepared to celebrate with you!

Location


Directions to Wet Noses
- 15min East of Calgary on 22x
- 2km South of the intersection of Hwy 22x & Hwy 24
403-901-2120 - www.wetnoses.ca
GPS - 50.885513 -113.536878
46 min
65.4 km
47 min
66.0 km
47 min
64.7 km
30 min
43.6 km
Airport Terminal Building
Calgary International Airport
Calgary
Chestermere
Delacour
Langdon
Cheadle
Lyalta
Muirfield Lakes Golf Club
Boulder Creek Golf Course
Ralph Klein Park
Fish Creek Provincial Park
Nose Hill Park
Calgary Zoo
Calgary Stampede
Spruce Meadows
Wet Noses

Awards and Prizes

Ribbons: will be offered for each jump height in each class for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th places. Qualifying ribbons for all qualifying runs.

The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta is pleased to offer a prize for the Highest Qualifying Working Dog in the Trial # 3 Standard Runs. Ties will be broken by time.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS –
Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta Agility Trials – June 9 – 11, 2023
All Classes to be judged as marked.

Friday June 9		
	Judge	Ring #
Novice PAD 1	Darr Houssen	1
Intermediate PAD 1	Darr Houssen	1
Excellent PAD1	Darr Houssen	1
Excellent Standard 1	Darr Houssen	1
Intermediate Standard 1	Darr Houssen	1
Novice Standard 1	Darr Houssen	1

Friday June 9		
	Judge	Ring #
Jumps with Tunnels 1	Darr Houssen	2
JWW Excellent 1	Darr Houssen	2
JWW Intermediate 1	Darr Houssen	2
JWW Novice 1	Darr Houssen	2
Steeplechase 1	Darr Houssen	2

Saturday June 10		
	Judge	Ring #
Novice Standard 3	Darr Houssen	1
Intermediate Standard 3	Darr Houssen	1
Excellent Standard 3	Darr Houssen	1
Excellent Standard 4	Darr Houssen	1
Intermediate Standard 4	Darr Houssen	1
Novice Standard 4	Darr Houssen	1

Saturday June 10		
	Judge	Ring #
Jumps with Tunnels 2	Darr Houssen	2
Excellent JWW 2	Darr Houssen	2
Intermediate JWW 2	Darr Houssen	2
Novice JWW 2	Darr Houssen	2
Novice JWW 5	Darr Houssen	2
Intermediate JWW 5	Darr Houssen	2
Excellent JWW 5	Darr Houssen	2
Steeplechase 5	Darr Houssen	2

Sunday June 11		
	Judge	Ring #
Excellent Standard 6	Darr Houssen	1
Intermediate Standard 6	Darr Houssen	1
Novice Standard 6	Darr Houssen	1
Steeplechase 6	Darr Houssen	1

Sunday June 11		
	Judge	Ring #
Jumps with Tunnels 7	Darr Houssen	2
Novice JWW 7	Darr Houssen	2
Intermediate JWW 7	Darr Houssen	2
Excellent JWW 7	Darr Houssen	2

The following jump height divisions shall be used in all regular classes:

Handlers are responsible for entering the correct height division. The judge may request any dog be measured.

Selected Class dogs will jump one height lower than the equivalent regular class height shown in the table below and dogs who measure 10" or below will jump 4" in the Selected Class. Veteran dogs may jump one or two heights lower.

8 inches for dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12 inches for dogs over 11 inches up to and including 14 inches at the withers
16 inches for dogs over 14 inches up to and including 18 inches at the withers
20 inches for dogs over 18 inches up to and including 22 inches at the withers
24 inches for dogs over 22 inches at the withers

The following breeds, or mixed breed dogs that resemble these breeds in relation to weight to shoulder height ratios, are permitted (but not required) to jump either ONE or TWO jump height(s) lower than the designated shoulder height when they show in the Selected division.

Small Breeds: Basset Hound, Bulldog, Cesky Terrier, Clumber Spaniel, Dachshund (all 6 varieties), Dandie Dinmont Terrier, French Bulldog, Pekingese, Petit Basset Griffon Vendeen, Scottish Terrier, Sealyham Terrier, Skye Terrier, Welsh Corgi (Cardigan & Pembroke)

Giant Breeds: Bernese Mountain Dog, Black Russian Terrier, Bloodhound, Bullmastiff, Great Dane, Great Pyrenees, Greater Swiss Mountain Dog, Irish Wolfhound, Leonberger, Mastiff, Neopolitan Mastiff, Newfoundland, Saint Bernard

Club Officers

ROCKY MOUNTAIN WORKING HERDING CLUB OF ALBERTA
President: Kim Zippel
Vice-President: Debbie Haynes
Secretary/Treasurer: Michelle Whistlecraft

Trial Committee

Trial Secretary:	Erin Verwey	events@verwey.ca
Trial Chairperson:	Michelle Whistlecraft and Debbie Haynes	
Trial Superintendent:	Brian Lancaster	
Trial Committee:	Club Officers	

Canadian Kennel Club

CKC Executive Director	Mr. Jeff Cornett	Suite 400, 200 Ronson Dr., Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9
CKC Director for AB	Lee Anne Bateman	Zone10director@ckc.ca
CKC Agility Trial Rep for AB:	Sandi Maday	smaday@telusplanet.net

Veterinarian

Fish Creek 24 Hour Emergency Vet Clinic
Open from 6am to 10pm Daily
403-873-1700

Precincts of the trial: All grounds within 100' of the ring areas or the fenced area of the grounds, whichever is less, shall be considered the trial grounds.

"It shall be the duty and obligation of the trial giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer, or any participant at an event held under these rules, is not subject to indignities of any kind. The Agility Trial Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the Discipline Committee shall have the authority to take such action as it deems fit, on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred".

ENTRY FEES PER OWNER/HANDLER *Canadian Dollars and 5% GST included

Entry Fee for 1 – 4 runs	$22.00
Entry Fee for 5 – 10 runs	$20.00
Entry Fee for 11 – 19 runs	$18.00
Entry Fee for 20+ runs	$16.00
Post Entry Fee **after Regular entry Deadline (if limit is not reached)**	$25.00
For Fun Only*	$16.00
TCN Fee per dog per trial any dog without a CKC, ERN, PEN, MCN or Companion Number	$10.50
Pre-paid Catalogues – ELECTRONIC COPY ONLY (to be emailed June 9th, 2023 - email address MUST be included)	$5.00
Pre-paid Catalogues – Hard copy	$15.00

Regular Entries close May 29th, 2023 at 9pm MST OR WHEN LIMIT IS REACHED!
In the event the limit is reached, the trial secretary will keep a waitlist.

Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta / Wet Noses Inc.
Rules governing the Trial

By entering this Trial, you are agreeing to the rules and regulations laid out in this Premium List. The Show Superintendent will be in full charge of the show, which will be governed by CKC rules.

REFUND POLICY

- Should you wish to withdraw your entry between the time that you mail in your entries and when entries close you will receive a full refund of entry fees (**any Credit Card, Apple Pay, Interac or etransfer service charges WILL NOT be refunded.)**
- After May 29, 2023, at 9pm MST entry fees will ONLY be refunded if RMWHCA should cancel the trial OR as per CKC Rule 6.11.1, or due to a bitch in season. (**any Credit Card, Apple Pay, Interac or etransfer service charges WILL NOT be refunded.)**
- Entry fees will be refunded when a bitch entered comes into season after the close of entries if a Veterinarian's Certificate (certifying that the bitch was in season within the 10 day period preceding the trial) is delivered to the Trial Secretary on or before the starting date and the time of the trial. The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta will refund entry, recording and TCN fees if the above conditions are met. A 50% refund of entry fees only will be made for a bitch in season without a Veterinarian's certificate with written notification presented to the Trial Secretary at least ONE HOUR before the start of the Trials. The bitch must be available to be examined by the Trial Chairperson to verify she is in season.
- Per rule 6.11.1 of the Agility Trials Rules and Regulations, if a dog is injured after entry has been submitted to the Trial Secretary, a Veterinarian's certificate, certifying the dog was injured before a 3 day period preceding the trial, must reach the Trial Secretary on or before the start of the trial. The Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta will refund 90% of the entry fees only.
- We will be strictly following all Federal, Provincial and Local guidelines regarding holding public events.

FFO* (For Fun Only) Runs are NOT included in the discounted total run fee. No refunds will be given for any difference in fees already paid if an exhibitor switches a regular run to an FFO run at the trial.

Attention Foreign Exhibitors: Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted; however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds. If you send a cheque in US funds, it must be made out for the full amount of the entry and no exchange will be refunded to the exhibitor. Please do not mark cheques "Payable in Canadian Funds" or "At Par". They will not be cleared by the banks. To simplify the process, we urge that you purchase bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian Funds. Your understanding and cooperation are appreciated. Thank You.

TCN Fees: A CKC TCN fee of $10.50 (GST Incl.) Canadian or US per dog per trial is payable with the entry fee if the entry of the dog does not include a CKC individual Registration number, ERN (Event Registration Number), PEN (Performance Event Number), MCN (Miscellaneous Certificate Number) or Companion Number. The Temporary Competition Number MUST be obtained from the CKC prior to entering any CKC event. TCN's will replace the previous system of entering events with dogs as "listed" and will allow dogs to temporarily participate in CKC events while they pursue permanent registration or an Event Registration Number (ERN). If a CKC registration number is received after the closing date but prior to the date of the show, this number may be added to the entry and noted in the marked catalogue. TCN fees will not be refunded.

Eligibility: To be eligible to compete in this trial, a dog must be at least 18 months of age and registered with the CKC or eligible for registration with the CKC, have an ERN, PEN, MCN or Companion Number. Bitches in season are not permitted to compete in the trial however, entry and TCN fees will be returned, providing a veterinarian's certificate stating that the bitch was in season within the 10 day period preceding the trial is submitted to the Trial Secretary on or before the day of the trial.

Move-up option: Move Ups will be allowed 1 hour prior to the start of each trial.

Exhibitor Information: Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of and will comply with the current CKC Agility Rules and Regulations. A copy of which may be obtained by calling the Central Order Desk of CKC at 1-800-250-8040.

All particulars called for on the entry form must be complete: Exhibitors must abide by errors made in entering their dog(s) regardless of how or by whom the entries were made – no refunds are given due to an error in entries. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by full entry fees. The club reserves the right to refuse any entry, subject to CKC rules.

Cheques must be made payable to: Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta or RMWHCA

MAIL OR HAND DELIVER ENTRIES TO:

Erin Verwey
243 Mahogany Landing SE
Calgary, AB T3M 1X4
Phone (403) 803-8590 Fax (403)719-1021 entries@verwey.ca

*A Service Charge of $50.00 will be applied to all returned cheques.

ONLINE ENTRIES AVAILABLE!!!



A service charge of 10% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online or post using a credit card or interac for payment.
SPECIAL PRICING FOR THIS EVENT! A maximum of $10 service charge applies per entry when paying using Interac.

General Rules Governing these Trials

It is the responsibility of the Exhibitor to be familiar with the rules pertaining to the event in which they are competing. Copies of the Agility Rules and Regulations are available from the Canadian Kennel Club (www.ckc.ca)

1. The Club reserves the right to remove any person from the agility trial. The Trial Chairperson shall have full control of the above trials, which will be governed by CKC rules.
2. Any dog excused by the Trial Chairperson for any reason shall not, after being excused, compete in any class for any award for the balance of the show.
3. The trial committee will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume any liability in the event of accident, or other misfortune, to either dogs, exhibitors or patrons.
4. A Judge or any person participating in any capacity at a Dog Show held under CKC Rules shall not be subjected to any indignity of any kind during the progress of the show and it shall be the duty and obligation of the Club holding the show to see that this rule is effectively carried out. The Trial Chairperson shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of the rules, and the Discipline Committee shall have the power to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this rule has been violated.
5. Exhibitors are solely responsible for the conduct or actions of their animals while they are on the trial grounds.

No entry fee will be refunded if the Trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an Act of God, public emergency, an act of public enemy, strikes, Federal, Provincial or Local requirements or any other cause beyond the control of the Rocky Mountain Working Herding Club of Alberta.

Any Credit Card, Apple Pay, Interac or etransfer service charges WILL NOT be refunded.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian (except as written in this Premium List) or the Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee.

Refunds will be MAILED to the exhibitor.

The RMWHC are pleased to welcome Jennifer Chipperfield of Chipperfield Photography as our official photographer at the Agility Trials at Wetnoses.





Step beyond ordinary with photos from Chipperfield Photography.

Jennifer is not your average trials photographer!
She brings her unique eye to the ring or field to create images
that far surpass your expectations. You haven't seen anything like this!
Combining beautiful photography with exquisite finishing effects,
her images show your dog at their best.

Jennifer will be available for private portrait sessions at beautiful Wetnoses, each evening after the trial by appointment only! This is a fantastic opportunity to get creative portraits of your dog(s).
Sessions are available in Petite (1/2 hr - $100) or Full (1 hr - $175) +gst
and MUST be pre-booked by calling or texting Jennifer at 403-860-0556.
Session Fee is due at booking to ensure your spot.

Candid trial images will be available at shop.chipperfieldphotography.com

chipperfield {photography} .com

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OFFICIAL CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM
ALL BREED AGILITY TRIAL

ROCKY MOUNTAIN WORKING HERDING CLUB OF ALBERTA

Mail Entries to: Erin Verwey, 243 Mahogany Landing SE, Calgary, AB T3M 1X4

Make cheques payable to: **ROCKY MOUNTAIN WORKING HERDING CLUB OF ALBERTA**

June 9 – 11, 2023

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Entry Fees $_____ + TCN Fees $_____ + Pre-paid Catalogue $_____ = **TOTAL $_____**

$5 Digital Copy or $15 Hard Copy

CLASS	LEVEL (Please Circle)				TRIAL (Please Circle)					
STANDARD	NOVICE	INTERMEDIATE	EXCELLENT	MASTER EXCELLENT	FRI #1	SAT #3	SAT #4	SUN #6		
JUMPERS WITH WEAVES	NOVICE	INTERMEDIATE	EXCELLENT	MASTER EXCELLENT	FRI #1	SAT #2	SAT #5	SUN #7		
JUMPS AND TUNNELS					FRI #1	SAT #2	SUN #7			
POINTS AND DISTANCE	NOVICE	INTERMEDIATE	EXCELLENT	MASTER EXCELLENT	FRI #1					
STEEPLECHASE					FRI #1	SAT #5	SUN #6			

DIVISION – SELECT ONE

☐ Regular ☐ For Fun Only
☐ Select
☐ Veterans

Jump Height

4” 8” 12” 16” 20” 24”

(Circle the Height your Dog will Jump at Trial)

DOG’S HEIGHT AT WITHERS

BREED

VARIETY

SEX
☐ Male
☐ Female

Reg. Name of Dog (CKC Titles ONLY please)

Check one:
☐ CKC Reg. No.
☐ CKC ERN No.
☐ CKC Misc. Cert. No.
☐ CKC PEN. No.
☐ CKC Companion Number
☐ TCN (no CKC No.)

Enter Number:

DOB _____/_____/_____
Day Month Year

Call Name

PLACE OF BIRTH ☐ CANADA ☐ ELSEWHERE

Senior/Disabled entry ☐

BREEDER(S)

SIRE

DAM

REG.OWNER(S)

HANDLER’S NAME

OWNER(S) ADDRESS **City** **Prov.** **Postal Code**

Telephone Number **CKC Membership #**

Email Address to send confirmation email/ catalogue (If Applicable) to:

AUTHORIZATION & GENERAL AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the registered owner(s) of the dog or that I am the authorized agent of the owner(s) whose name(s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club and by an additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list. I (we) agree that the Club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the organizing committee shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, the holding of this event and the opportunity to have the dog judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, the organization which it represents, including its members, officers and directors, owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the event premises, or grounds, or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death, or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury, to be caused or alleged to be caused by negligence of the parities aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves) or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused or may have alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person.

Signature of Owner, Agent, Handler: X _____ **Date:** _____

Signature of parent/guardian is required for children under 18 years

DOG HANDLED BY SOMEONE OTHER THAN THE OWNER:

Name of Owner’s Agent (Handler) at the Trial

Agent/Handler Address **City** **Prov.** **Postal Code**

Agent/Handler email address **Phone number**