

AKC All Breed Agility Trials Premium
Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities

Licensed by the American Kennel Club
Event 2017681505 Event 2017681506 Event 2017681507

Friday, Sept 22, 2017 STD/JWW(EX/MAS) & PRM (JWW) & T2B & FAST (All levels)
Saturday, Sept 23, 2017 STD/JWW (All levels) & PRM (STD) & T2B & FAST
Sunday, Sept 24, 2017 STD/JWW (All Levels) & Premier (STD)

to be held at the
Animal Inn Dog Training School
8633 N 34th St
Lake Elmo MN 55042 PH: 651.777.2317



TRIAL INFORMATION: HOURS: Friday 7:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday / Sunday 6:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Crates may be set up: Friday at 7:30 AM

RING: These trials will be held outdoors on grass in a safe, fully enclosed area
Ring size: 90 feet X 120 feet

JUDGING WILL START: 9:00 AM Friday and 8:00 AM Saturday /Sunday
Electronic Timing will be used at these trials

Entries will be chosen by Random Draw

At the Draw, if the entry of Bernese Mountain Dogs is less than the overall trial limit, all Bernese Mountain Dogs will be accepted into the trial and the remaining entries will be subject to a draw. If the Bernese Mountain Dog entry on the draw date exceeds the trial limit, the Bernese Mountain Dogs will be subject to a draw. Entries for all other breeds will be returned.

Entries Open: Wednesday, August 2, 2017 at 8:00 AM

at the Trial Secretary's address –
On-line entries are NOT available

Any entries received before this date/time will be returned.

Draw Closes: Wednesday, August 16, 2017 at 5:00 PM

Draw: Thursday, August 17, 2016 at 6:00 PM

Draw Location: 19094 570th LN, Mankato MN 56001-6656

Final Closing Date: Wednesday, September 6, 2017 at 5:00 PM

330 runs available per day

JUDGES:

FRIDAY: Jacqueline Hoyer # 19076– 7288 Mill Rd, Centerville MN 55038-9708

SATURDAY/SUNDAY: Jean Munger # 16326– 47W656 Shirewood Farm Rd, Hampshire IL 60140-6135



Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities
Mrs. Jan Richards - BMDCGTC Agility Event Secretary
19094 570th LN
Mankato MN 56001-6656



American Kennel Club Certification
Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for
the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and
regulations.
James P. Crowley, Secretary



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB MOVE-UP FORM

Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities (BMDCGTC)

Show Dates: September 22-24, 2017

Mail form to: Jan Richards, 19094 570th LN, Mankato MN 56001-6656
or e-mail move-up information to janice1@hickorytech.net

MOVE-UP REGULATIONS: If a dog earns an agility title before this event it can be advanced to the next level of competition. However, written notice must be given to the Trial Secretary, no later than 6:00 PM on Monday, September 18, or at the close of the trial Friday and Saturday which will be considered the awarding of ribbons for the last class of that day. Move-ups will be added to the end of the running order of the class they move up to. Every effort will be made to accommodate handlers running multiple dogs in the same class. No verbal changes can be accepted.

Mail entries with fees (checks only) payable to **BMDCGTC**
to Jan Richards, BMDCGTC Event Secretary, 19094 570th LN, Mankato MN 56001-6656
Questions about entries: email janice1@hickorytech.net or call 507.278.3615
Maximum of ten (10) dogs may be submitted per envelope of entries.

Entry fees: \$ 18.00 for the first run of each dog each day (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee)
\$ 18.00 additional entry fee second run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
\$ 15.00 additional entry fee third run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
\$ 15.00 additional entry fee fourth run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
\$ 15.00 additional entry fee fifth run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
There will be a \$25.00 service charge for any returned checks.

All express mail must be left with no acceptance signature required. Entry form changes, additions, corrections and cancellations **MUST** be received in **writing** prior to the final closing date, be legible and include the AKC number, or no refund will be issued. No telephone changes accepted. E-mail changes are welcomed.

BMDCGTC CLUB OFFICERS

President: Annalissa Johnson **Vice President:** Karen Johnson
Treasurer: Eroca Starin
Secretary: Shannon Cihlar 12550 120th St N, Stillwater MN 55082 Northforkkaren@yahoo.com
Board: Nancy Mayer, Carol Manley, Coleen Carroll

EVENT COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Kris Osojnicki 7837 Manning Ave N, Stillwater MN 55082
PH. 651.351.0319 e-mail: machberner@gmail.com
Event Committee Members: Clark Osojnicki, Jessica Larson, Toni Osojnicki, Shannon Houg,
Sandy Kott, Micky Trent

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Animal Emergency Clinic, PA

1163 Helmo Ave North, Oakdale MN 55128
651.501.3766



Directions:

Head East on 34th St N and go .4 mi
Turn Right on Stillwater Blvd N and go .7 mi
Turn Left at County Rd 13/Inwood Ave N and go 2 mi
Turn Right at County Road 10 and go .8 mi
Turn Right at Helmo Ave N and go .3 mi

RUNNING ORDER - Friday (Tall to Short) Saturday (Tall to Short) Sunday (Short to Tall)

Friday

Combined F.A.S.T.
(Ex/Mas,Open,Novice) all
walk at same time)
T2B
Ex/Mas STD
Ex/Mas JWW
Premier JWW



Saturday

Combined F.A.S.T.
(Ex/Mas,Open,Novice) all
walk at same time)
T2B
Ex/Mas JWW
Premier STD
Ex/Mas STD
Open STD
Novice STD
Open JWW
Novice JWW

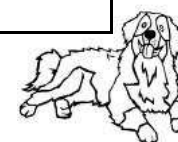
Sunday

Ex/Mas JWW
Premier STD
Ex/Mas STD
Open STD
Novice STD
Open JWW
Novice JWW



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| Trial Date | | Jump Height | |
| AKC Reg # | | | |
| Call Name | | | |
| Breed | | | |
| Owner's Name | | | |

| Regular Standard | Preferred Standard |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A to Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A or B to Open <input type="checkbox"/> From Open to Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent to Master | <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice P to Open P <input type="checkbox"/> From Open P to Excellent P <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent P to Master P |
| Regular JWW | Preferred JWW |
| <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A to Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A or B to Open <input type="checkbox"/> From Open to Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent to Master | <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice P to Open P <input type="checkbox"/> From Open P to Excellent P <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent P to Master P |
| Regular F.A.S.T. | Preferred F.A.S.T. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A to Novice B <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice A or B to Open <input type="checkbox"/> From Open to Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent to Master | <input type="checkbox"/> From Novice P to Open P <input type="checkbox"/> From Open P to Excellent P <input type="checkbox"/> From Excellent P to Master P |



FOOD: Good food will be available for purchase at this trial.

CRATING SPACE: There will be indoor crating available.

WARM-UPS: A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for all exhibitors.

OBSTACLES: Obstacles will conform to current requirements of the Regulations for Agility Trials. Rubberized contact obstacles and the displaceable tire will be used for this trial.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER: As it states in the Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 1, Section 3, All dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate except bitches in heat, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. Dogs or registerable breeds with accepted foreign registration numbers are eligible to participate.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS: Owners are responsible for entering the proper height division. All measurements are at the dog's withers.

Regular classes

- Dogs MAY enter a higher jump height
- 8 inches: 11" or less at the withers
- 12 inches: 11.12" - 14" at the withers
- 16 inches: 14.12" - 18" at the withers
- 20 inches: 18.12" - 22" at the withers
- 24 inches - More than 22" at the withers
- 26 inches - May be entered at owner's discretion

Preferred Classes

- Dogs MAY NOT enter a higher jump height
- 4 inches: 11" & under at the withers
- 8 inches: 11.12" - 14" at the withers
- 12 inches: 14.12" - 18" at the withers
- 16 inches: 18.12" - 22" at the withers
- 20 inches - More than 22" at the withers

REFUNDS: Entry fees for bitches that come into season and injured dogs after the closing date will be refunded (minus a \$ 10.00 administrative fee per day) if a veterinarian certificate is presented to the trial secretary prior to the start of judging. A full refund is to be reimbursed to any entrant whose entry is replaced by a Wait-Listed entry. Refunds will not be given for refund amounts of \$ 5 or less. No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by vet or judge, or barred from competition by action of the trial committee.

PRIZE AND AWARDS: Flat ribbons will be awarded to the 1st through 4th place dogs in each Standard, Jumpers With Weaves and Premier class and 1st in the T2B class. A green qualifying ribbon will be awarded to all dogs earning a qualifying score. A MACH/PACH bar and Rosette will be awarded to each team earning a MACH/PACH. The club reserves the right to substitute prizes of equal or greater value. All awards and prizes must be claimed at the show as none will be mailed. 1st Prize: Blue, 2nd Place: Red, 3rd Place: Yellow, 4th Place: White Qualifying Ribbon: Dark Green



All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

RINGSIDE: Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

SAFETY/BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY: The safety of the dog is our primary concern. 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 obstacles safely. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against The Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities or any official thereof. All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

HOTELS / MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS

Please check on dog acceptance policies and make reservations early as policies do change. Please clean up after your dog and do not leave dogs unattended in motel rooms. We are guests in their space and need to make certain that dogs are always welcome at their facilities.

Stillwater Area:

- Crossings Inn and Suites - 2200 West Frontage Road, Stillwater MN 55082....651.430.2699
- AmericInn - 13025 60th St N, Oak Park Heights MN 55082651.275.0980
- America Best Value Inn - 1750 W Frontage Rd, Stillwater MN 55082651.430.1300
- Super 8 - 2190 W Frontage Rd, Stillwater MN 55082.....651.430.3990

Other Area Hotels:

- Holiday Inn of Woodbury - 9840 Norma LN, Woodbury MN 55125651.702.0200
- Red Roof Inn - 1806 Wooddale Drive, Woodbury MN 55125.....800.276.7415

Unfortunately, no RV parking will be available on site for this trial. RV parking will be only by special permission of trail chair, and this will be very, very limited.

VOLUNTEER INFORMATION



BMDCGTC depends on volunteers to make this a great event. Random Draw regulations allows this club to guarantee 35 worker spots.

Volunteers will receive snacks, lunch, and beverages.

To get information to the volunteer coordinator, **Jessica Larson 651.269.7448** use the **Volunteer Form** on the **“Premium Lists”** page of the website:

<http://agilitysec.weebly.com>

and either:

- e-mail the completed form directly to the volunteer coordinator **machrottie@gmail.com**
- print the form and snail mail the form to the volunteer coordinator
3701 Oakgreen Ave N, Stillwater MN 55082-1331

To be considered for the Guaranteed Worker List you must also submit before the Random Draw Closing date (August 16):

To the Trial Secretary: **Jan Richards**

- Your entry (do not include volunteer form)
- Payment of entry fees

To the Volunteer Coordinator: **Jessica Larson**

- Volunteer form (either e-mailed or snail mailed)

ROUTES TO THE AGILITY TRAIL

FROM EAST SIDE 494/694/94 INTERSECTION IN WOODBURY/OAKDALE

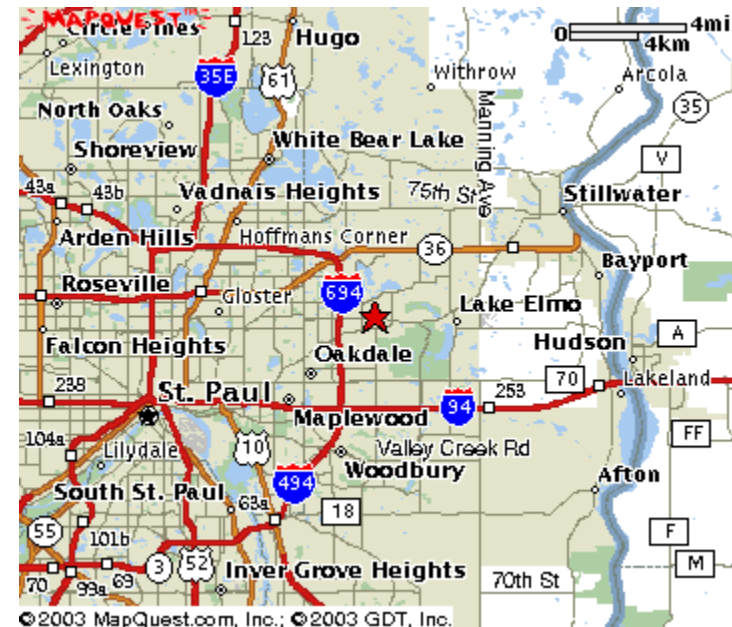
Take Highway 694 North for 3.1 miles to Highway 14 (old Hwy 5).
Go East (right) on Highway 14 for 1.9 miles.
Animal Inn is on your right.
At bottom of driveway the school is the building on your left.

FROM HIGHWAY 36/HIGHWAY 694

Take Highway 694 South for 2.2 miles.
Go East (left) on Highway 14 (old Hwy 5) for 1.9 miles.
Animal Inn is on your right.
At bottom of driveway the school is the building on your left.



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Opening: Wed, Aug 2 at 8 AM Random Draw Closes: Wed, Aug 16 at 5 PM Final Closing: Wed, Sept 6 at 5 PM

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.

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| | STD | JWW | T2B | Premier STD | Premier JWW | FAST |  |
| FRIDAY - Sept 22, 2017 | EXIMAS only | EXIMAS only | | | MAS only | | |
| SATURDAY - Sept 23, 2017 | | | | MAS only | | | |
| SUNDAY - Sept 24, 2017 | | | | MAS only | | | |

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Mail entry with fees payable to: **Bernese Mountain Dog Club of the Greater Twin Cities or BMDCGTC to:**
Jan Richards, BMDCGTC Event Secretary 19094 570th LN, Mankato MN 56001-6656

Choose Either Regular or Preferred Classes
 Check one jump height, and check class selections -
 Only one selection per class (both Master and Premier allowed)

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED \$

| REGULAR Classes | | | | | | | PREFERRED Classes | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------|-------|------|-----|--------|---------|-------------------|-------|-------|-----|---------|----------|
| 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | 24" | 26" | | 4" | 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | |
| <u>STD</u> | Nov A | Nov B | Open | Ex | Master | Premier | <u>STD</u> | Nov P | OpenP | Exp | MasterP | PremierP |
| <u>JWW</u> | Nov A | Nov B | Open | Ex | Master | Premier | <u>JWW</u> | Nov P | OpenP | Exp | MasterP | PremierP |
| <u>FAST</u> | Nov A | Nov B | Open | Ex | Master | | <u>FAST</u> | NovP | OpenP | Exp | MasterP | |
| <u>T2B</u> | T2B | | | | | | <u>T2B</u> | T2BP | | | | |

~~Non-Regular Classes: International Sweepstakes, T2B, JWW, etc.~~

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| THIS DOG NEEDS TO BE MEASURED <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | SEX | HEIGHT AT WITHERS |
| BREED | VARIETY | CALL NAME |

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> AKC® NO | ENTER COMPLETE REGISTRATION # BELOW | DATE OF BIRTH |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PAL | <input type="checkbox"/> ILP | PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY | | |

BREEDER _____

SIRE _____

DAM _____

ACTUAL OWNERS _____

OWNER'S ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE ZIP + 4 _____

HANDLER _____ ENTER JR. HANDLER # IF APPLICABLE _____

AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, 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 about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend, and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (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, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes **must** compete at the required jump height and **may not** compete in a jump height division **higher or lower** than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial *or back-to-back trials* only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the **AKC Canine PartnersSM** program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

I CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the forgoing representation and agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X _____

Telephone Number _____

E-mail Address _____ [New E-mail]

In Case of Emergency - Name _____ Phone # _____

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.