



This Event is Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Association
Mrs. Jan Richards - TCVESSA Agility Event Secretary
19094 570th LN
Mankato MN 56001-6656

AKC All Breed Agility Trials Premium

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Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Assn

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

Friday, October 20, 2017 STD/JWW (Ex/Mas) & Premier & T2B Event 2017247516

Saturday, October 21, 2017 STD/JWW (All Levels) Event 2017247517

Sunday, October 22, 2017 STD/JWW (All Levels) Event 2017247518
to be held at the



Twin Cities
Voyageur
English
Springer
Spaniel
Association

On The Run Canine Center
13835 Aberdeen St NE
Ham Lake MN 55304
PH: 763.208.5025

TRIAL INFORMATION: Hours: 6:30 AM - 5 PM Friday/Saturday/Sunday

Crates: May be set up: Friday at 6:30 AM

Ring Information: Indoors on 1/2" Comfort King Rubber Matting

Judging: 8:00 AM Friday/Saturday/Sunday

Electronic Timing will be used at these trials

At the Draw, English Springer Spaniels entries will get precedence onto the Worker's List. If there are not 35 names on the Worker's List for English Springer Spaniels entries, then entries for all other breed volunteers can be used on the Worker's List for Guaranteed entry into the trials.

Entries will be chosen by Random Draw

Entries Open: Wednesday, August 30, 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: Monday, September 20, 2017 at 5:00 PM

Draw: Tuesday, September 21, 2017 at 6:00 PM

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

Final Closing Date: Wednesday, October 4, 2017 at 5:00 PM

330 runs available daily Friday/Saturday / Sunday

Judge:

Jan Skurzynski # 90978 – 18002 Dean LN, Nampa ID 83687-8149



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

Mail entries with fees (checks only) payable to **Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Association** to
Jan Richards, TCVESSA 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 \$ 18 for the first entry per dog per day (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee)
 \$ 18 additional entry fee for the second run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
FEES: \$ 12 additional entry fee for the third run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
 \$ 10 additional entry fee for the fourth run for the same dog that day (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee)
 \$ 10 additional entry fee for the 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.

TCVESSA OFFICERS

President: Liz Pike **Vice President:** Courtney Hansen **Treasurer:** B.A. Breese
Secretary: Alice Musburger, 626 S Swift Ave, Litchfield MN 55355-3354
Directors: Carmen Laing, Kathy Patregnani, Diane Slais, Tekla Viker, Julie Roberts

EVENT COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Kathy Patregnani 27220 128th St NW, Zimmerman MN 55398
 Phone: 612.718.2093 e-mail: vinEwoodess@hotmail.com
Committee Members: : Sheila Koon, Alice Musburger, B.A. Breese, Courtney Hanson

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Midwest Veterinary Referral & Emergency Center
 11850 Aberdeen Street Northeast, Blaine MN 55449-4786
 763.754.5000

Directions: (about 2.8 miles)
 Head south on Aberdeen St NE toward Bunker Lake Blvd NE/ County Rd 116
 Turn right at Bunker Lake Blvd NE/ County Rd 116
 Turn Left at the 2nd cross street onto MN-65 Trunk S
 Turn Left at 121st Ave NE/Paul Pkwy NE
 Continue to follow 121st Ave NE
 Turn right at Aberdeen St NE



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

Friday

T2B
 Premier JWW
 EX/MAS JWW
 EX/MAS STD
 Premier STD

Saturday

EX/MAS JWW
 EX/MAS STD
 Open STD
 Novice STD
 Open JWW
 Novice JWW

Sunday

EX/MAS JWW
 EX/MAS STD
 Open STD
 Novice STD
 Open JWW
 Novice JWW

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB MOVE-UP FORM



Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Association

Show Dates: October 20-22, 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, October 16, 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.

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

| Regular Standard | Preferred Standard |
|---|--|
| <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 |



FOOD: Food is available for workers only at the trials on the showsite. There are restaurants and fast food vendors within a short driving distance from the show site.

CRATING SPACE: Limited with no ex-pens being allowed. Please stack crates when possible.

SHOES: Please, to help preserve the matting, wear clean athletic shoes. No spike shoes and/or sticky spray on the dogs' paws. The mats have a lot of "grip," so turf shoes are not recommended.

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.

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 females that come into season and injured dogs after the closing date will be refunded (minus a \$ 15.00 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 for the 1st through 4th place dogs in each STD, JWW and Premier class and 1st place in T2B. A green qualifying ribbon will be awarded to all dogs earning a qualifying score. "New Title" ribbons will be available for qualifying teams. 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

BONUS AWARDS Must be present to win the HIT awards.

Classes used: Standard and Jumpers with Weaves

Only Scores of 100 points will be used

Cummulative Highest YPS English Springer Spaniel over the three days.

Cummulative Highest YPS JUNIOR HANDLER over the three days.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by contacting the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390, by phone (919) 233-9767, by email at info@akc.org, or on their website at www.akc.org

RINGSIDE: Dogs are not required to be at the trial until the scheduled time of judging. All dogs not needed for further judging are excused. The owner/handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when the class is to be judged. Please help your fellow competitors, the trial workers, and the judge by checking in with the gate steward well ahead of your run, and being prompt at the line when your turn comes to run.

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 Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Association 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 Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Association 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 Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Association 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.

AmericInn.....13440 Highway 65 NE, Ham Lake MN 55304.....763.755.2100

Best Western Plus...10580 Baltimore St NE, Blaine MN 55449.....763.792.0750
To get a discounted rate: mention On the Run Canine Center

Quality Inn - Northtown.....9052 University Ave, Coon Rapids MN 55448.....763.785.4746

Super 8.....9410 Baltimore St NE, Blaine MN 55449.....763.786.8888



VOLUNTEER INFORMATION



Twin Cities
Voyager
English
Springer
Spaniel
Association

TCVESSA 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, **Courtney Hansen** **651.253.2592** use the **Volunteer Form** on the **“Premium Lists”** page of the website:

<http://agilitysec.weebly.com>

or

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1aD_wKLHahSqt9V5BRR-DUBeH5f9mHJ6YZLHbCTRVOqM/edit to self sign-up

and either:

- e-mail the completed form directly to the volunteer coordinator
Spellboundess@yahoo.com
- print the form and snail mail the form to the volunteer coordinator
2364 La Port Drive, Mounds View MN 55112

To be considered for the Guaranteed Worker List you must also submit before the Random Draw Closing date (September 20):

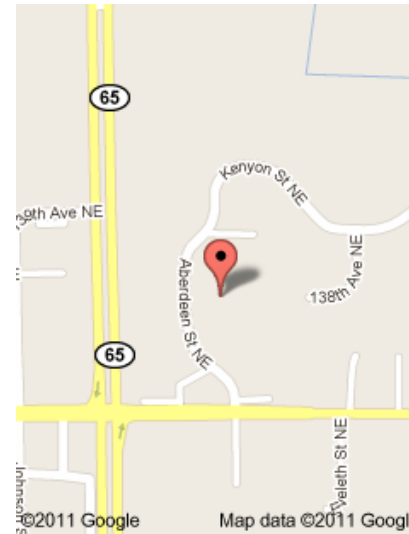
To the Trial Secretary: **Jan Richards**

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

To the Volunteer Coordinator: **Courtney Hansen**

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

ROUTES TO THE AGILITY TRAIL



On The Run Canine Center
13835 Aberdeen St NE
Ham Lake MN 55304
PH: 763.208.5025

From the South: Take Highway 65 north to Bunker Lake Blvd (CR 116)

Turn right onto Bunker Lake Blvd

Turn left on Aberdeen

The show site is on the right

From the North: Take Highway 65 south to Bunker Lake Blvd (CR 116)

Turn left onto Bunker Lake Blvd

Turn left on Aberdeen

The show site is on the right

From the East: Take Bunker Lake Blvd (CR 116) west to Aberdeen St

Turn right on Aberdeen

The show site is on the right

From the West: Take Bunker Lake Blvd east.

Cross Highway 65

Aberdeen is the first left after crossing Highway 65

Turn left on Aberdeen

The show site is on the right



Twin Cities Voyageur English Springer Spaniel Assn

Opening: Wed, Aug 30 at 8 AM Random Draw Closes: Wed, Sept 20 at 5 PM Final Closing: Wed, Oct 4 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 | Prem STD | Prem JWW | |
| FRIDAY - October 20, 2017 | Mas/Ex | Mas/Ex | | | | |
| SATURDAY - October 21, 2017 | | | | | | |
| SUNDAY - October 22, 2017 | | | | | | |

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 Jan Richards, TCVESSA 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)

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| REGULAR Classes | | | | | | | PREFERRED Classes | | | | | |
| 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | 24" | 26" | 4" | 8" | 12" | 16" | 20" | | |
| STD | Nov A | Nov B | Open | Ex | Master | Premier | STD | Nov P | OpenP | ExP | MasterP | PremierP |
| JWW | Nov A | Nov B | Open | Ex | Master | Premier | JWW | Nov P | OpenP | ExP | MasterP | PremierP |
| T2B | T2B | | | | | | T2B | T2BP | | | | |

THIS DOG NEEDS TO BE MEASURED Yes No

BREED _____ SEX _____ HEIGHT AT WITHERS _____

VARIETY _____ CALL NAME _____

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY) _____

AKC @ NO _____ ENTER COMPLETE REGISTRATION # BELOW

PAL ILP

FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST 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 there from, 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, INTREPRETATION 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.