

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Wednesday, March 17, 2021 at 8:00am at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

ENTRIES CLOSE ON Friday, May 7, 2021 at 5:00pm after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

PREMIUM LIST
AKC All Breed Agility Trial



Licensed by the American Kennel Club

Greater Houston Golden Retriever Club

May 14, 2021 Event #2021266802
May 15, 2021 Event #2021266803
May 16, 2021 Event #2021266804

Dog Gone Fun Agility, LLC
9310 Max Conrad Drive, Spring TX 77379

ENTRY LIMITS: Friday-Sunday 350 runs

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

Show hours

Friday: 8 am until 30 minutes after the last dog runs

Saturday - Sunday: 7 am until 30 minutes after the last dog runs

THIS TRIAL WILL BE HELD Indoors with A/C

Ring size: 100x100 Surface: Turf

Judge: Steve Larrison 360 Bear Ridge LaVernia TX 78121

Certification

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina Di Nardo, Secretary



OFFICERS OF GREATER HOUSTON GOLDEN RETRIEVER CLUB

President..... Sharon Blish
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 Secretary.....4727 Payton Chase Lane Katy, TX 77494..... Nettie Troxell
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TRIAL COMMITTEE

Sharon Blish, Mary Brownlee, Melissa Brundrett, Cyndy Davis, Maggie Downey, Shelly Hatherly, Amanda Smelser, Linda Wakefield and members of the Club.

TRIAL CHAIRPERSON	TRIAL SECRETARY
Cyndi Davis 12703 Trail Hollow Drive Houston, TX 77024 713-461-8321 c.f.davis@sbcglobal.net	Monica Lindquist 26203 Dobbin Huffsmith Road. Magnolia TX 77354 (936) 827-1612 doggonefunagilitytx@gmail.com

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Classes	Friday - Sunday
All levels Standard and JWW All days Premier And FAST Friday And Saturday Premier and T2B Sunday	Steve Larrison

Preferred classes will run with the corresponding regular classes and height divisions.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Emergency Vet Clinic of Spring
26839 Interstate 45, Spring, TX 77379
Phone 281-298-6500

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations

Note: We have adequate crating space but crating sensibly will be required. Crates will possibly have to be stacked. No x-pens, tents, tables or chairs will be allowed in the crating room or the agility building. There will be bleacher seating available in the agility building. Unentered dogs will be allowed in the crating area but not in the agility building. Please pay close attention to the final confirmation for information on what time the gates will open.

Friday-Saturday

Check in: 8:15 am, Judging to begin at 9:00 am

Sunday

Check in: 7:15 am, Judging to begin at 8:00 am if the judges flight times allow for it we will start at 9am on Sunday.

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
26"	n/a	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion

Jump Height Cards – New Policy

Jump height cards are no longer required to be submitted with the entry form. The entry form has been changed to indicate whether the dog has been issued a temporary or permanent height card, or needs to be measured. If the dog needs to be measured, it is the handler's responsibility to ensure that the box on the entry form is checked, and that the dog is measured prior to running.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs (15) months or age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club, or are register able breeds that have obtained an AKC, ILP or PAL number. Bitches in season, aggressive, blind or deaf dogs or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are ineligible to participate. Mixed breed dogs that have been listed with AKC Canine Partners may participate provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry Form.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place **indoors on a turf** surface. Ring size will be **100' x 100'**.

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog.....	\$25
Second entry of same dog.....	\$21
Third-Fifth entry of same dog.....	\$15

Entry fees include a 3.50 per run fee to AKC for the first entry per day and 3.00 for each additional entry per day.

An initial E-mail will be sent out as entries are processed, typically within 24 hours of the entry being received.....Move-ups are confirmed by a new emailed confirmation being sent to you...if you have multiple dogs entered the updated email will only be for the dog that had the move-up. Final confirmations will go out after the trial has closed.

Mail entry forms and fees to: Monica Lindquist, Trial Secretary, 26203 Dobbin Huffsmith Road., Magnolia, TX 77354. Please make checks payable to **Dog Gone Fun Agility, LLC**. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Monica Lindquist at doggonefunagilitytx@gmail.com. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a **\$30.00** collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Classes will have rosettes awarded to the 1st through 4th place in each jump height. Dogs must qualify to receive placement rosettes. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving qualifying scores. MACH, PACH or PAX rosettes will be awarded to those completing a MACH, PACH or PAX title. Those completing a PACH or PAX can choose which ribbon and bar they want, but not both.

New title ribbons will be awarded to those completing all other types of agility titles. Dog toys or bowls valued between \$1.00 to \$2.50 will be awarded for all first place scores.

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 27671-3390, by phone (919) 233- 9767, by email at info@akc.org, or on their website at www.akc.org.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS – please review, updated information

Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed. Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.

Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)

As of January 1, 2020, For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes. FEO will be of value to new exhibitors or exhibitors that are having difficulty with a specific obstacle and/or ring environment. Competitors must enter in T2B and/or FAST. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).
- Toys are allowed in the ring

- Toys must be non-audible
- Toys may not leave the handler's hand
- Toys that roll freely cannot be used
- Food/treats are not allowed in the ring
- FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as a punitive correction. Harsh verbal and /or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.
- A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time

Fix and Go On (FNG)

As of January 1, 2020, Fix and Go On will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

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. Greater Houston Golden Retriever Club, 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. **Greater Houston Golden Retriever Club** 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 **Greater Houston Golden Retriever Club, Inc.** 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.

[Emailed entry changes are not official until the exhibitor has received email confirmation back from the Trial Secretary.](#)

REFUNDS

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee.

Bitches in season are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials. As such, the club will refund **entry fees less \$10 per day** of the entry fee paid for bitches unable to compete for this reason upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate. This certificate must be presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging on the first day of the trial.

RINGSIDE

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.

CATALOGS

Advance catalog sales may be ordered and prepaid on your entry form for **\$10**. A limited number of catalogs will be available for sale at the trial site for a cost of **\$10**.

Vending is not allowed without permission in writing from Dog Gone Fun Agility, LLC.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

Crating space will be available. Crates may be left overnight; however, Greater Houston Golden Retriever Club and

Dog Gone Fun Agility LLC will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

HOTEL INFORMATION

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.

All rates & pet limitation information are subject to change. Please confirm all details when making reservations.

Motel Near Site

La Quinta Inn Tomball, TX 6.3 miles from show site

www.lq.com

14000 Medical Complex Dr, Tomball, TX 77375

281-516-0400

DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

9310 Max Conrad Drive, Spring TX 77379

From Interstate 45 Take Exit 70A West on 2920 for 7.1 miles

Turn Left on Boudreaux. Gate is 9/10 of a mile on the left. There will be a sign posted at the gate and the building.



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Greater Houston Golden Retriever Club

Opens: 03/17/21 • Closes: 05/07/21

Table with 7 columns for class selections: STD, JWW, FAST, PREM STD, PREM JWW, and T2B for dates Fri, Sat, and Sun.

Daily Entry Fee: \$25 1st run/dog/day; \$21 2nd run/dog/day; \$15 3rd & 4th run/dog/day

Make checks payable to: DGF; Mail to: Monica Lindquist, 26203 Dobbin Huffsmith Rd, Magnolia TX 77354

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table with two main sections: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes, each with height options and class selections.

Form fields for dog information: This Dog Needs To Be Measured, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME.

AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields for registration: AKC® NO, Enter Complete Registration # below, DATE OF BIRTH, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY).

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS

CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

HANDLER

ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

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

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

AGREEMENT

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. 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...

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 THIS 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.

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.

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?

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

SIGN HERE X _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ [] New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: _____ Phone #: _____