

This is the general confirmation for BOTH venues. There is a TON of important information.

USDAA Ring One	UKI Ring Two
7:15 - 7:45am Check-in and measuring. 7:45am General briefing Judge's briefing, walk-throughs and first dog on the line at 8:30am	7:15 - 7:45am Check-in and measuring. 7:45am General briefing Judge's briefing, walk-throughs and first dog on the line at 8AM DOS entries will be taken until 7:30

Miscellaneous class will be offered in Ring ONE starting at 8:00am Anyone may enter this class. Cost is \$10.00

Thank you for your entry to the Riverside K9 May 3-4-5 2024 USDAA and UKI trials being held at WWIS 1610 Davisville Rd N. Kingstown, RI Judges: Holly Burchstead & Mary Champagne (UKI) & Meredith Keraga and Lauren Kras (USDAA) All UKI courses designed by Holly Burchstead All USDAA courses designed by Meredith Keraga

IF MONEY IS OWED, PLEASE PAY WHEN YOU ARRIVE!

→ We will be starting set up on Thursday at 3:00pm. WE would love all the help we can get to unload the equipment trailer and set up the rings. We would appreciate everyone's help in this.

→ Support our vendors!

Crossbones will be vending for part of the weekend – pay attention to Facebook for more information! Bonesaw custom creations will be vending all weekend.

Thank you to Non-stop Dogwear for sponsoring our season at Riverside! All Competitors are eligible for 20% off starting the Sunday of the trial (5th) through the 19th at nonstopdogwear.com using the coupon code: RIVERSIDEMAY20!%

→ THE TRIAL SITE WILL BE OPEN TO COMPETITORS AT 7AM.

Please DO NOT enter the building prior to this time as the committee needs the uninterrupted early morning time to set up the smoothly running happy trials you have come to expect.

→ Join us on Saturday for our potluck BBQ – this will be held outside if the weather cooperates or indoors if it does not. Bring a side or dessert to share. Bring meat/meatless grill-able meals and we'll toss them on the grill/griddle for you!

Conflicts:

- We are fortunate that both the UKI and USDAA organizations allow trials to be held in conjunction with another trial – same trial venue, same day, and same weekend.
- Many of our competitors have chosen to participate in both organizations at this trial so we do our best to accommodate everyone.
- We MAY need to extend a walk or briefly hold a ring so that competitors can walk in both rings. These delays will not be longer than having to wait for someone running multiple dogs (they are provided with a 7-minute break).
- > Competitors MAY need to move themselves in the run order to avoid conflicts.
- Ring 2 (UKI) will take precedence throughout the weekend. Please politely communicate with both gate attendants your "conflict" status, move your dog on the gate sheet to the appropriate spot, be sure to walk both courses and know that you will have an appropriate rest and time to run each class signed up for.
- > We will be announcing ANY time adjustments throughout the day.
- It is imperative to the success of our trial, to UKI & USDAA, that we (competitors, volunteer workers and judges) are willing to be flexible and accommodate competitors who choose to run in both organizations.

→ Course Maps

Course maps will be posted to the MyDogEntry.com Website. They will also be posted at the site for competitors to view or take pictures. Competitors may order printed maps for a fee of \$5 a day. They will be available for pick up daily at the start of each day. Simply email Val at <u>K9AS@comcast.net</u> Please note USDAA maps can be posted early where as the UKI maps cannot get posted until 7:00am each morning.

→ USDAA Catalogs will be posted at <u>www.mydogentry.com</u>

Please print these as there will be none supplied at the show site.

 \rightarrow UKI Catalogs will be posted Wednesday evening. Please note, due to, day of show entries they may not be accurate.

 \rightarrow Measuring can be done throughout the day. If you have a permanent height card from another allowed venue, just use that and your dog will not need to be measured.

→ WWIS has specific potty areas for the dogs. Please only let your dogs potty in these areas. Do not let your dogs potty on the building or in the grass areas directly alongside the buildings.

ightarrow Please bring ground cover for under your crate or X pen THIS IS REQUIRED

 \rightarrow We can crate and tent outside on the grass, if preferred.

 \rightarrow Please bring your own chairs.

 \rightarrow Only water and dog treats are allowed in the turf fields.

 \rightarrow We will have 7-minute walk throughs. The ring will be cleared, and the first dog will be on the line in 3 minutes.

→ Check in is required at all USDAA events. You MUST either do self-check-in (if indicated in your confirmation letter) or do a regular check in, but YOU must check-in before YOU run.

→ UKI does not require general check-in.

→ Those dogs entered in Masters/PIII Snooker (USDAA) cannot be moved in the running order. The only exception to this USDAA rule is if you are running more than one dog and the dogs are within 10 dogs of each other in the running order you may only move UP in the running order.

→A warmup area with a single jump will be provided for competitors. No other obstacles may be set up and/or used at the show site for training, warm-up, or any other purpose. This includes anywhere on the grounds or parking areas.

→ Dogs must be on leash or crated unless in the ring or when at the warm up jump. Competitors are RESPONSIBLE for the behavior of their children and/or dogs and the dogs or children in their care. Please DO NOT tie your dogs out and/or leave them unattended at ANY time for ANY reason.

→ Please pick up your dog's poop (or any other you may see); trash containers will be provided for disposal. Anyone who does not pick up after their dog will be asked to leave. No refund, no exceptions!

→ VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE THANK YOU in advance to everyone who volunteers to help out. We are only as good as our fabulous workers! Our Volunteer Ring Coordinator is Meg Haviland and Lynn Thibodeau. They will be asking for help throughout the weekend; All volunteers will receive raffle tickets for our worker raffle.

→ There will be NO food vendor. There are several options available, such as Uber Eats, Door Dash and many more. Please bring your own food, drinks and snacks. We will have a orange water cooler filled with Ice water by the entrance so you can fill up your water bottles.

 \rightarrow RV's/campers: Please park with respect to your neighbors. If you plan to run a generator, do not park next to the tents!

→ Mulligan Runs: Have you ever left the ring and wanted a do-over? Well here's your chance, we will be having Mulligan Runs. You can run a course a second time (after the class has finished) for a non-qualifying opportunity to try a different handling option, rework part of the sequence, fix your criteria, whatever it is that you want! FEO rules apply. Mulligan runs cost \$5, you can sign up and pay at the gate!

We are looking forward to a great weekend with friends!

Your Riverside K9 Team, Val, Lauren and Joan