



Welcome to our Speedway trial at Sugar Bush Farm! We thank you for your support! We still have some runs available so if you want to add a few runs or know someone who forgot but wants to play It is not too late.

**The speed limit on the property is 5 MPH**

**PARKING:**

**Parking by the main tent is restricted to handicap handlers and committee members.** You may park anywhere on the grounds however for the safety of the exhibitors and dogs we do not allow driving between the rings while the rings are running. If you plan to leave early, please do not set up in the area behind the rings. Of course, in an emergency, please see a SoBAD member and we will get you out. We also enforce the 10 foot rule around the rings. Also please be careful not to park too close to or block rv's unless you communicate with the owner. They are not your shade and if you are too close, they may not be able to run generators to keep their dogs cool or let their dogs out. If we receive a complaint, you may be asked to move.

**There will be no food vendor for this trial. Worker snacks and drinks will be provided for those who work.**

**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:**

**Competitor setup: Friday: after 9 AM. RV arrivals should be arranged with Craig. There is no setup on Thursday.**

**TRIAL FORMAT:**

**Electronic timing will be used.**

Timed walks are 5 minutes per CPE rules.

This is a tentative schedule and is subject to change at the trial

**Check in, and run order**

**Check in Friday Morning 9:15-9:45. The site is not open before 9AM**

**General briefing 9:45 followed by first walk-through and first dog on the line**

**Pitstop Rounds 1, 2, 3**

**Slingshot Rounds 1, 2, 3, 4**

**Pole Position Round 1**

**CATALOG AND COURSE MAPS:**

The run order/catalog and maps will be available on my dog entry at 5pm. There will be no maps emailed.

**RETIRED AGILITY DOG RUN:**

If you are interested in participating in the Sunday morning Retired Agility Dog run, please fill out a form at the ribbons table before you leave. There is no charge for this run and all retired dogs are eligible to participate.

**AWARDS:**

**SPLAT award**, awarded Sunday, hosted by SoBAD. Self nomination forms will be available for that run that did not go quite as planned at the ribbons table. You may enter yourself multiple times although we hope you don't have too many reasons to enter. We are extending this award to our speedway trial, if you win and aren't at the Sunday agility trial, we will let you know if you win.

**RIBBONS & LABELS:**

There will be a sign up sheet for title ribbons at the table where we post the scores. Please see Janice Sopko with any questions. Hand sanitizer and hand wipes will be available for use at the ribbons table. Be patient and wait your turn. Please converse away from the ribbons table so the next handler can access the area for pickup. We would appreciate it if you didn't bring your dogs to the ribbon table. Please remember to check your scores before you leave the trial site. This is a CPE rule, scores may not be changed after you leave.

**SITE RULES:**

We are guests of the Chittenden's so please listen carefully at the briefing and pick up after your dogs. Again, the speed limit on the property is 5MPH. The training building is off limits during our trial and the rings are off limits to exhibitors and dogs from Friday night until walk throughs Saturday morning and after the last run-on Saturday until the walk-through on Sunday morning. Of course, the training building shower is available to campers. To be fair to other exhibitors we will excuse you from the trial if you are in these areas without authorization. The backyard/pond area will be available only during times that are specified by the Chittendens in the general briefing. **DO NOT ALLOW YOUR DOGS TO PEE ON THE RING FENCING AND POSTS WHEN WALKING TO AND FROM THE RINGS.** We enforce a 10 foot rule so you should not be that close anyways. We have zero tolerance for this. We will be introducing SoBAD members at the general briefing-if you have questions or concerns about anything including your scores, please see one of them and they will get the answer for you. We will be happy to help you.

If any questions about your entries, please contact: Chris Penna, Trial Secretary, [Chrispnn01@live.com](mailto:Chrispnn01@live.com)  
For other questions, please contact: Mariday Geyer, Trial Chair, [geyer919@yahoo.com](mailto:geyer919@yahoo.com)

**DIRECTIONS TO THE TRIAL SITE – Sugar Bush Farm, 760 East Road, Stephentown, NY 12168**

**From the South** (Route 22 North): From the Route 22/43 Intersection, continue North on Route 22, past the mobile home park on your right. Take Giles Road (County Route 33 on the right (gray house)). The

turn is sharp and the road takes another sharp right after the horse farm. Go over the small bridge and pass by farm buildings on both sides. To the immediate right you will see a yellow Sugar Bush Farm sign. Follow the driveway straight out to the agility fields.

**From the North** (Route 22 south): Take Route 22 South through Berlin, turn left on Giles Rd/County Route 33. The turn is sharp and the road takes another sharp right after the horse farm. Go over the small bridge and pass by farm buildings on both sides. To the immediate right you will see a yellow Sugar Bush Farm sign. Follow the driveway straight out to the agility fields.

**From the West** via NY Thruway (I-90 East): Take Exit 11E (Route 20 East. Follow Route 20 East until it joins Route 22 North in New Lebanon, NY.. Bear left to continue on Route 22 at the abandoned gas station. Remain on Route 22 North, pass through the traffic light in Stephentown where Routes 22 and 43 intersect, continue on Route 22 past the mobile home park on your right. Take Giles Road (County Route 33 on the right (gray house). The turn is sharp and the road takes another sharp right after the horse farm. Go over the small bridge and pass by farm buildings on both sides. To the immediate right you will see a yellow Sugar Bush Farm sign. Follow the driveway straight out to the agility fields.

**From the East** via Mass Pike (I-90 West): Take the Mass Pike to Exit 1. Pass through the toll booths and remain on Mass Pike/ NY Thruway connector Rd. DO NOT exit at the West Stockbridge ramp. Take Exit B-3 off the Mass Pike/ NY Thruway connector road. Go right on Route 22 North. Continue on Route 22 North through the Town of New Lebanon. Bear left to continue on Route 22 at the abandoned gas station. Remain on Route 22 North, pass through the traffic light in Stephentown where Routes 22 and 43 intersect, continue on Route 22 past the mobile home park on your right. Take Giles Road (County Route 33 on the right (gray house). The turn is sharp and the road takes another sharp right after the horse farm. Go over the small bridge and pass by farm buildings on both sides. To the immediate right you will see a yellow Sugar Bush Farm sign. Follow the driveway straight out to the agility fields.

RV's will be directed to RV sites. Please see Craig upon arrival

Thank you and we are looking forward to seeing you!

**Good luck on all of your runs!**