



Welcome to ACMe in Wonderland Agility Trial



Pineland Farms Equestrian Center! Final Confirmation Letter

Key contacts for this trial:

- Kim Smith, Trial Secretary - trialecretary.7@comcast.net
- Alda McCabe, Trial Chair - pawsitively1precious@icloud.com
- On-site Trial Committee members include Marleen Richards, Kristie Hutchinson, Jeremy and Joe Shaw (Volunteer Coordinators), Lori Clark (Ribbons), Dan Compagna (CCB), Val Compagna (Hospitality with Donna Cassista) - all are here to help you!

Please Read!

- **Final opportunity to review your entry and run order:** Trials run much smoother when competitors pay attention to their confirmations. This confirmation includes the final trial **Run Order** (catalog). PLEASE review this as soon as possible and contact Trial Secretary, **Kim Smith** if you have any corrections.

Campers!

Campers are welcome to arrive at 1:00. Map is on MDE and has been sent by Email too. Email Lori with any questions at: clarkie6102@gmail.com, (checks made out to Rick Lane)

MyDogEntry

- The run order is managed through **MyDogEntry**. Please check in on the app after 6:30 AM or with the Gate Steward upon your arrival at the tech station that includes a **large monitor with the live run order**. If you need your dog moved during the trial, please see the Gate Steward to make changes.
- The **WiFi connection** for the barn is CabotCamera; PW: 2078314989

General Information

- **Illness or injury:** If you are not feeling well and/or test positive for COVID-19, please stay home. If you or your dog is ill or injured, please contact Kim Smith as soon as possible.
- **Refunds:** *Entry fees will not be refunded if a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the show committee. There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing unless circumstances warranted are approved by the trial chair. However, up to a 50% refund of entry fees may be given for injuries to dogs or handlers, or bitches in season, if the request is received in writing by the Trial Secretary ON OR BEFORE the last day of the trial. The request MUST be in writing and MUST be accompanied by a dated letter from your veterinarian (or Doctor, if the injury is to the handler) on your veterinarian's (or doctor's) letterhead with a brief description explaining the reason the dog, or the handler, cannot compete. Also, no entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed for*

reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

- **Course maps** will be emailed to you on the evening before each day of running and they will also be posted at the site on the wall in the crating area. Course Maps will be available on **MyDogEntry at 6:30 a.m. each morning.**
- **Set up** - All are welcome to help set up on Friday at 3 p.m. You can begin setting up your crate and chairs at 5 pm. Competitors can arrive on-site at 7 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.
- **New to Pineland?** Please review the maps at the end of this document for traffic flow inside the building and be aware of the restricted areas.
- **Bathrooms** are located down the hall from the banquet room AND off the arena in the barn, as well as the porta potty by the outdoor arena. ***NO dogs are allowed in the facility in the bathroom areas.***
- **Duplicate scribe sheets will be used at this trial.** This is an extra expense and effort provided to you so you can review your run quickly.
- **Scoring issues:** We encourage you to review your duplicate scribe sheet as soon as possible after your run. If you suspect something was missed by the judge or scribe, please bring it to the Trial Secretary (Kim Smith) or Trial Chair (Alda McCabe) who will bring the issue to our judge. Competitors should not approach the judge. Please be respectful and know that the judge has the final say on what your score will be based on their expertise and recollection of your run.
- **Ribbons:** Class results and qualifying stickers will be posted in the binders at the ribbon table. Ribbons will be self-serve for Qs & placements ribbons. For title ribbons, please see **Lori Clark**. And, don't forget to post your accomplishments on our **Brag Board** in the ribbon area! Don't forget we have several special ribbons that include:
 - Snooker 51
 - Lifetime Points Title: starting at 10,000 points
 - Perfect Weekend: 10 runs, 10 Q's
 - Dilly Award: Had a dilly of a weekend? All runs entered must be an NQ.
 - Trial themed HIT ribbons for Regular, Vets, Enthusiast, Specialist.

Special Awards

*We will be presenting a **Special Award** Zephyr's Forever Hopeful Award*

We present this Award In honor of Lola Grab, who dedicated many years to judging our fall trial until her passing. Lola was known for her unwavering kindness and positive spirit, which she brought to every competition. She was a cheerleader for the "underdog" teams that went out there, tried their best and likely didn't get the Q, but had Fun as a team. It's not all about the obstacles as it is about the team bonding & having Fun. This award recognizes a competitor who embodies these qualities, demonstrating exceptional kindness and a joyful, optimistic attitude regardless of their performance in the ring. If you witness a competitor displaying these admirable traits, please share your observations with a member of the trial committee so we can celebrate those who play for the joy of working with their Best friend!

FOOD

ACMe Café will be open all day for Our Coffee station and snacks ! Help save the planet and bring your own bottle and refill it with fresh cold water from the cooler. Volunteers eat for free; others are welcome to make a donation.

Bring your appetite! Join us for blueberry pancakes, eggs and bacon on Saturday and bagels and English muffins on Sunday. and potluck on Sunday.

Sign up here: [x Food Sign Up Sept 2026.xlsx](#)

- **SATURDAY- Culinary Q's Contest!**
- Bring your Mad Hatters Tea Party themed Culinary Q's entry on Saturday (Prizes for top 3 in Main Dish, Side Dish and Desserts) The only rule is that the item cannot be store-bought. Competitors will vote on the best dish in each category. Choice chefs will be awarded goodie baskets for their recipes in the designated categories.
- **SUNDAY-** We will have a pot luck luncheon.



DAY OF TRIAL

Run Order

SATURDAY/Small to Tall

Jackpot All

Standard 5-C,2-3,1

Wildcard 1-2,35C

Colors 35C. 12

Snooker12,35C



SUNDAY/Tall to Small

Fullhouse

Fullhouse DD

Standard 1,2,4,5C

Jackpo12,3,5C

Jumpers 25C, 12

7:00 am

You may arrive at the show site for set-up

7:30 am

Measuring, General Briefing, Judge's Briefing & First Class Walk-Through

8:00 am

First dog on the Line

PARKING: We have limited designated handicapped parking close to the building as well as reserved parking for the committee. Otherwise parking is perpendicular to the vinyl fencing along the building and in the outdoor arena.

Respecting our home at Pineland

- We are privileged to play agility at Pineland Farms Equestrian Center and we ask that you respect the grounds and the privacy of the horses. Please be mindful of the areas taped off to protect the privacy and safety of the horses. **No dogs are to be walked anywhere near the horses. Do not pet or photograph horses.**
- **Smokers** will be asked to do so outside in the arena parking area. Dispose of your butts appropriately.
- **Be sure to clean up after your dog(s).** Yellow buckets with liners & extra bags will be distributed around the premises for your deposits.
- Dogs must be **on a leash at ALL times** as required by Pineland Farms management, offenders will be excused without refund (the only exception is at the practice jump).
- Entering the Arena/Ring We will be entering AND exiting the ring from the equipment garage area. Please be attentive to all signage & your dog when entering & exiting the building.

Training in the Ring: If you are considering "Training in the Ring" at our trial please see the Judge to have your toy inspected/approved before the first class or during any walk-through.

Walk Throughs: will be *walk-walk-run-run* when larger classes are split in walk-throughs.



VOLUNTEERS!

We couldn't do this without your support! We appreciate our Volunteers. You are truly the backbone of our trial! Volunteers are given \$2 for each class worked and one raffle ticket (self-serve), so be sure to see one of our volunteer coordinators - **Joe or Jeremy Shaw** to get paid. **ACME SEPT 19-20 VOLUNTEERS** sign up open until printing. You can also sign up on-site on the big spreadsheet on the table by the ring.

Lots of great Volunteer raffles to choose from!!

AND, anyone staying to help with clean-up Sunday is eligible for our final raffle of the weekend with great prizes! Many giftcards and free runs!

Volunteer Jobs

Gate Steward will manage the lineup of the run order with My Dog Entry. The run order will be displayed on a monitor as well for those without a device. An Assistant will be available at the monitor (tech station) to check you in and move your dogs in the morning and as requested throughout the day should you not have a device to do so.

Scribe Record the Judge's calls.

Timer Monitors the timer & relays the time to the Scribe for recording on the Scribe sheet.

Leash Runner To transfer the team's leash/collar by hand or with the use of a grabber to assist in moving the leashes to the exit box.

Ring Crew Resets bars and maintains proper placement of tunnel bags between each run.
Sheet Runner separates sheets, and brings the white copy to the Trial Secretary and the yellow copy to the designated area on the ribbon table (plastic drawers for each class).
Course Builders Assist in building the designated course as directed by the Chief Course Builder, and/or Assistant Course Builder.

-See you soon - ACMe Trial Committee

Please direct general questions to Alda McCabe pawsitively1precious@icloud.com.

