



Muddy Paws Agility Club

11/01/2026

Sanctioned TDAA Agility Trial

6643 US Route 5, Westminster, VT 05158-9687

Indoors on packed dirt, limited crating indoors

Judge: Judy Raffone

<u>11/01/2026</u>
Full House - all levels
2 Standards (Beta) – Beg, Beg, Int, Int, Sup, Sup
Gamblers – Beg, Int, Sup
Standard – Sup, Int, Beg
Beat the Clock – all levels

For Exhibition Only (FEO) entries accepted

Day of show entries accepted until 9:15 A.M.

Pre-entries with payment must be received by the trial secretary prior to each trial date

Trial Chair	Trial Secretary
Doreen Lucius	Judy Raffone
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CERTIFICATION

Permission has been granted by the Teacup Dogs Agility Association for the holding of this event under Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules and Regulations.

Trial entry is not approved until a hard copy of entry form and payment in full are received.

Trial Website: <https://www.muddypawscaninecenter.com/>

Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at <https://k9tdaa.com> under Files & Forms.

Entries: Entries will be allowed on the day of the trial until 9:15 A.M. *Please notify the Trial Secretary in advance if you are considering day of show entry to speed the registration process.* Entries without fees will not be accepted. No entries will be accepted which require a signature for delivery. All entries must be submitted on official TDAA Agility Entry forms, one dog per entry form. Photocopied entries without the TDAA agreement on the back or attached will not be accepted. Unsigned, incomplete, or illegible entries will not be accepted and cannot be entered in the Trial. Credit card payments cannot be accepted. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee.

Day of event entries must be given to the secretary no later than 9:15 A.M.

Awards: Team of the Day Award to high in trial and judge's merit award in memory of Eddie and Tessie Mae Irene, in honor of Murphy – sponsored by the Muddy Paws Family.

Measuring, Familiarization and Check In: 9:15 A.M. to 9:30 A.M., Judge's Briefing to follow.

Judging: will begin at 9:45 A.M.

- Exercise your dog responsibly! Please pick up after your dog at the show site and hotels
- All dogs must be on leash except when in the ring or warm up area

Eligibility

This trial is open to all dogs measuring 20 inches or less at the withers, over the age of 12 months. The trial is not open to aggressive dogs, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect a dog's physical or mental performance, or bitches in season. In the latter case and with a note from a veterinarian, a refund of all entry fees will be provided.

Your dog must be registered with TDAA to participate in TDAA Trials. Here is a link to the TDAA Dog Registration form: [TDAA Dog Registration Form](#). Please provide proof of submission to the trial secretary if you haven't received your number

TDAA Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at the [TDAA web site](#), and should be reviewed before competing at a TDAA trial.

Height Divisions: Per TDAA rules, dogs may be entered at any jump height desired (except at the Petit Prix: please see that premium for details); however, the scoring height continues to be the dog's measured jump height. Dogs jumping at a height other than their measured height will earn qualifying legs and all TDAA titles. The judge reserves the right to measure dogs entered in any trial. Any dog that has not previously competed at a TDAA trial must be measured before competing.

Veteran Dogs: A veteran dog is a dog of at least 7 years of age. Veteran dogs receive additional course time in standard runs and games that are timed. 4" (Measured Jump Height) veterans receive an additional 4 seconds, while 8", 12", and 16" veterans receive an additional 2 seconds.

Double Digit Veteran Dogs: A double-digit veteran dog is a dog of at least 10 years of age. Double-digit veteran dogs receive 2 seconds in addition to what a veteran dog receives for standard course time and for games that are timed.

Disabled Handler Exemption: Handlers who have been given disability status by their home state will be allowed an additional 4 seconds in standard course time for Standard courses and an additional 4 seconds in qualifying course time for Games classes. This is in addition to any additional time awarded through the Veteran Dog exemption. A copy of the handler's disabled parking permit must be sent with the entry or presented 30 minutes prior to the start of the trial. If a handler has a permanent disability that does not necessitate the issuance of such a tag, a request for an exemption can be placed with the TDAA.

Standard Class

Beginner Agility—All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Intermediate Agility — Only dogs who have earned the Teacup Beginner Agile Dog (TBAD) title shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Superior Agility — Only dogs who have earned the Teacup Intermediate Agile Dog (TIAD) title shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games Class

Games I—All dogs shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games II — Only dogs who have earned the Games I (TG1) title shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Games III — Only dogs who have earned the Games II (TG2) title shall be eligible for participation in this class.

Trial Games

Full House	successfully accumulate required points and before the expiration of time gather the elements of the Full House: • three-of-a-kind – 3 single bar jumps • twosome – 2 "circles" (tunnel, tire) • Joker – 1 contact or weaves. ER4
Gamblers	is a two-part game: dog's choice point accumulation followed by a distance challenge. The objective of Gamblers is for the dog-and-handler team to accumulate as many points as possible in the allotted time and to successfully complete the distance challenge. ER2
Beat the Clock	perform the clock of obstacles before the time expires (jumps, tunnels, contacts. ER2

Judges reserve the right to adapt any game played. Day of show rules supersede all others.

The judge's briefing, given prior to the start of judging, supersedes these descriptions and the written briefings of how to play any game. **More information about games** is available in the Book of Agility Games, 5th Edition, available at <https://k9tdaa.com>.

Warm-Ups: A warm-up area consisting of at least an agility jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

Obstacle Familiarization: Obstacle familiarization on TDAA equipment will be offered 30 minutes before the first class each day. One dog in the ring at a time.

Move-Ups: If your dog has moved up since you sent in your application, please notify the trial secretary at least 48 hours prior to the trial. Include the following information:

• Dog's Name	• From
• Handler's Name	• To
• For	

Move-ups will also be accepted if a dog completes a title during the running of this trial. In such case, the move-up request must be made immediately upon posting of scores for the class in which the title was earned. Move-ups will be accepted each day from event to event.

The following is a list of obstacles that may be used:

Pipe Tunnels (8, 10, 12" opening)	Teeter 8' planks, 12" wide without slats
Weaves (24" centers)	Dog Walk 8' planks, 12" wide with slats
Tire (20" opening)	Table 4" sides
Jumps (3' wide) with or without wings	A-Frame 6'8" x 44" with slats

FEO (For Exhibition Only)

FEO (For Exhibition Only): TDAA offers FEO runs. They are open to any TDAA registered dog in any class. These are offered at the option of the local/host club. FEO dogs will run last in their jump heights. They may run on lead. FEO runs do not count toward TDAA titles. FEO teams will have a maximum time of 1.5 times the SCT. FEO dogs cannot repeat any obstacles, no training in the ring.

Notice to Exhibitors

- The safety of dogs 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.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee.
- All fees must be paid in US funds. There will be a Returned Check Fee of \$30 for returned checks. In the event of withdrawal from the event, checks will NOT be returned. All unused checks will be destroyed.
- It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dog(s) and / or children. Any exhibitor whose dog(s) and / or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the show committee, be asked to leave the show site. In that case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- Aggressive behavior by any dog will not be tolerated. Any aggressive behavior will result in the Trial Committee evaluating the situation and determining whether any action is necessary, up to the removal of a competitor from the tournament.
- All participants in TDAA events, including competitors, judges, regional master judges, trial chairs, secretaries, members, vendors, handlers, owners of dogs, and anyone else involved with a TDAA event must refrain from behavior detrimental to the confidence, or the public perception, of the TDAA's events and integrity.
- Those involved in the TDAA's events must behave in ways that do not negatively reflect on dog agility and the TDAA.
- Conduct by anyone that is reckless, careless, perilous, turbulent, violent, or illegal puts others at risk, damages the reputation of others in the TDAA organization, and undercuts public respect and support for the TDAA is to be avoided.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct, including rough handling, verbal abuse of trial personnel, or misconduct of any kind, will result in an excusal from the ring, and possibly expulsion from the tournament.
- All dogs must be always on leash except when using the warmup area or in the agility ring per state leash laws.
- 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.
- Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the TDAA Rules and Regulations.
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show.

Accommodations/Hotels

Please contact the hotel to verify that they still accept dogs, ask about size and number of dogs allowed, and fees. Make your reservation early.

Notice: All hotels/motels are considered part of our trial site and are subject to TDAA Rules and Regulations. Our Trial Committee will consider disciplinary action for any complaints lodged against an Exhibitor. Do not allow your dog(s) to destroy property or disturb other guests. *Please*, pick up after your dog both at the hotel and the trial site.

Accommodations: (verify that they still accept dogs, ask about fees):

Motel 6, Brattleboro VT	844-359-4638
Best Western, Keene NH	603-357-3038
Quality Inn, Brattleboro VT	802-254-3433
Colonial Motel, Brattleboro VT	802-257-7733
Days Inn, 3 Ash Brook Rd, Keene NH	603-352-9780
Holiday Inn Express, 175 Key Rd, Keene NH	603-352-7616
Econo Lodge Canal St, Brattleboro VT	802-254-2360
Putney Inn 57 Putney Landing Rd Putney VT	802-536-4200

DIRECTIONS:

Interstate 91 to Exit 5.....head on Route 5 north...
Drive .5 miles on Route 5 North...The site is on left...
Look for red Muddy Paws Canine Center Sign.

Note to RVer's coming from NH

from Walpole NH into Bellows Falls is closed. Follow the detour signs on Route 12 and cross over the river and follow signs for Route 5 South. Muddy Paws Canine Center will be on your right. Look for "Hidden Drive" Sign

GPS: Town Of Westminster US 5

Parking / logistics: Park in the lot. If you are crating in your car and your dog barks a lot, please park up on the flats to the right of the barn as a courtesy to our neighbors.

Trial Address

Muddy Paws Canine Center, 6643 US Route 5, Westminster, VT 05158

Veterinarian Clinic

SAVES: 63 Evans Dr, Lebanon NH 03766

Veterinary Emergency & Specialty Hospital (VESH)

141 Greenfield Road (Rts 5/10, South Deerfield, MA 01373 413-665-4911
(50 miles / 51 minutes from Westminster) www.veshdeerfield.com

Tufts Veterinary Emergency Treatment & Specialties

200 Westboro Road, North Grafton, MA 01536 508-839-5395
(118 miles / 2hr 37 minutes from Westminster) www.tuftsvets.org

Show Site and Food

Water, Keurig with K-cups available (bring your own vessel), snacks, crock pot delight, sweet breads.

OFFICIAL TEACUP DOGS AGILITY ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

Muddy Paws Agility Club, 6643 US Route 5, Westminster, VT 05158

Please check each event you're entering in the table below. Please sign and send the Agreement with your Entry Form.

Owner's Name						Handler, if different from Owner					
Address											
City			State			Zip			Phone #		
E-Mail:						Dog Measurement Needed? (check box if yes) ☐					
☐ Disabled Handler (include copy of parking tag).						☐ Veteran Dog		☐ Double Digit		☐ Body-Type Exemption	
Dog's Call Name				Sex: ☐ M ☐ F		Breed			Birth Date		
TDAA # _____ OR ☐ New (Include TDAA registration form and Fees), OR ☐ 'PENDING' if previously submitted											
Measured Jump Height: ☐ 4" ☐ 8" ☐ 12" ☐ 16"						Desired/Actual Jump Height: ☐ 2" ☐ 4" ☐ 8" ☐ 12" ☐ 16"					
(Judge's Height Measurement)						(Your preferred Jump Height for your dog)					
Dog's Level			Standard: ☐ Superior ☐ Intermediate ☐ Beginner						Games: ☐ III ☐ II ☐ I		
November 1, 2026											
Full House ☐	Standard ☐	Standard ☐	Gamblers ☐	Standard ☐	Beat the Clock ☐						
Pre-entry (<i>received by trial secretary prior to trial</i>):						☐ \$15 per run		Number of runs _____		@ \$15 = \$ _____	
Day of Show Entry*:						☐ \$18 per run		Number of runs _____		@ \$18 = _____	
For Exhibition Only (FEO):						☐ \$10 per run		Number of runs _____		@ \$10 = _____	
Package Rate (<i>Pre-entry only</i>):						☐ \$80 for 1 full day				@ \$80 = _____	
*Please bring a check or exact change in cash for any day of show runs.											
TOTAL ENCLOSED (PAYABLE TO Muddy Paws Canine Center)										\$ _____	
TDAA Dog Registration (Fees Payable to TDAA)										@ \$15 = \$ _____	

The Trial Secretary will add a \$30 service charge for returned checks. Subsequently returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in them being put on a cash-only basis. Entry Fees will not be refunded if a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

AGREEMENT: I(We) certify that I am(we are) the actual owner of the dog, or that I am(we are) 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 Teacup Dogs Agility Association in the premium list for this agility trial, or both, 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 foregoing representation and agreement.

I(We) acknowledge that the "Teacup Dogs Agility Association Rules & Regulations" have been made available to me(us), and that I am(we are) familiar with their contents. I(We) agree to hold the TDAA and any TDAA approved judge harmless from any legal claim resulting from said judge's action under the TDAA Rules, Regulations and Guidelines. I(We) agree that the club holding the Agility Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause which the club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Agility Trial and of the opportunity to have the dog judged, I(we) agree to hold harmless the directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or things by the act of this dog while in or upon the show/trial 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 of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

I(We) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (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 arising out of or in consequence of my(our) participation in this Agility Trial, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

Signature – Owner or Parent / Guardian if Minor _____

Date _____

OFFICIAL TEACUP DOGS AGILITY ASSOCIATION ADDITIONAL DOG ENTRY FORM

Muddy Paws Agility Club, 6643 US Route 5, Westminster, VT 05158

Please check each event you're entering in the table below. Please sign and send the Agreement with your Entry Form.

Additional Dog Entry (must be same owner/handler) – Owner's Name:											
Dog's Call Name				Sex: ☐ M ☐ F		Breed			Birth Date		
TDAA # _____ OR ☐ New (Include TDAA registration form and Fees), OR ☐ 'PENDING' if previously submitted											
☐ Veteran Dog ☐ Double Digit ☐ Body-Type Exemption						Dog Measurement Needed? (check box if yes) ☐					
Measured Jump Height: ☐ 4" ☐ 8" ☐ 12" ☐ 16" (Judge's Height Measurement)						Desired/Actual Jump Height: ☐ 2" ☐ 4" ☐ 8" ☐ 12" ☐ 16" (Your preferred Jump Height for your dog)					
Dog's Level			Standard: ☐ Superior ☐ Intermediate ☐ Beginner						Games: ☐ III ☐ II ☐ I		
November 1, 2026											
Full House ☐	Standard ☐	Standard ☐	Gamblers ☐	Standard ☐	Beat the Clock ☐						
Pre-entry (<i>received by trial secretary prior to trial</i>): ☐ \$15 per run						Number of runs _____ @ \$15 = \$_____					
Day of Show Entry*: ☐ \$18 per run						Number of runs _____ @ \$18 = _____					
For Exhibition Only (FEO): ☐ \$10 per run						Number of runs _____ @ \$10 = _____					
Package Rate (<i>Pre-entry only</i>): ☐ \$80 for 1 full day						@ \$80 = _____					
*Please bring a check or exact change in cash for any day of show runs. No package entry rates apply for day of show events.											
TOTAL ENCLOSED (PAYABLE TO Muddy Paws Canine Center)										\$_____	
TDAA Dog Registration (Fees Payable to TDAA)										@ \$15 = \$_____	

Volunteers & Sign-Up Sheet**

Sharing your time will help our trial run smoothly. We can use everyone's help – even for a short period. Please check the day(s) you are available to help and provide relevant information to allow us to formulate a plan to accommodate everyone's schedule. Please note that we will need everyone's help with cleanup at the end of each day.

Please volunteer. If you aren't sure how to do a job, we'll be happy to train you! We will provide snacks and water for all workers.

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____

My dog(s) jump height(s) - (Please Circle) 2 4 8 12 16

☐ Saturday – I am entered in these events/level:

I can do the following: ☐ Course Builder ☐ Scribing ☐ Timer ☐ Gate Keeper ☐ Bar Setter

**Volunteers will be entered into a drawing for a prize at the end of the trial. A raffle ticket for each class, the more you volunteer, the more tickets you earn, the more chances to win.

TDAA Agility Games 2026

In 2026, the TDAA is showcasing a different game each month for groups or clubs to play. Some are new and some might be new versions of old favorites!

To enter the drawing the handler needs to turn in a video of the Teacup Game of the Month run to TDAA. Upon receipt of trial scores and the videos by TDAA, dog/competitor team will receive a point. Submit videos and send any questions to teacupagility@gmail.com. Each point is worth a raffle ticket that TDAA will place in a drawing. At the end of the year, TDAA will draw four competitor/team winners. These four teams will have one regular trial entry fee to a TDAA trial (of their choosing) paid for by TDAA in 2027. Contact TDAA at teacupagility@gmail.com if you have any questions.

2026 TDAA Petit Prix – National Tournament

The TDAA Petit Prix for 2026 is being held July 31-August 2

(the premium can be found [here](#) or on the TDAA Events calendar), and is hosted by:

Awesome Critters of Thonotosassa, FL

Brevard County Dog Training Club of Merritt Island, FL

Indian River Dog Training Club of Palm Bay, FL

Event location:

Imperial Polk Obedience Club of Lakeland, Florida

Teacup Dogs Agility Association (TDAA) Forms

To **register a dog** with the TDAA, please use this link: [TDAA Dog Registration Form](#). To become a member of TDAA, please use this link: [TDAA Membership Application](#). For either form, you can:

1. Fill out the form online, save it to your computer and email it;
2. Print the form, fill it out, scan it and email it;
3. Print the form, fill it out, scan it and snail mail it.

If you wish to email the form(s), please send to: teacupagility@gmail.com. If you wish to snail mail, send to:

TDAA
W6485 County Road H
New Glarus, WI 53574

Thank you for supporting TDAA and small dog agility!