

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

Revised 10/7/16

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Friday, September 1, 2017 at 8am 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, November 24, 2017 at 6pm 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 TRIALS

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

Greater Miami Dog Club

(held by an AKC Member Club)



December 8, 2017 Event # 2017104203

December 9, 2017 Event # 2017104204

December 10, 2017 Event # 2017104205

Tropical Park Equestrian Arena

Tropical Park, 7900 SW 40th St, Miami, FL 33155

ENTRY LIMITS

330 runs per day – 1 Judge/2 Rings each day
Under Cover on Clay/Sand

Showsite Hours:

7:00am to 7:00pm

Judge-o-Rama!

FRIDAY – Jude Valloze **SATURDAY** – Bob Jeffers **SUNDAY** – Tracy Hanna

CERTIFICATION

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

James P. Crowley, Secretary

OFFICERS OF THE "GREATER MIAMI DOG CLUB"

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EVENT COMMITTEE

Randi Jones, Trina Chicvara, Shirley Berckmans, Shari Griffith, Sue Nelson

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Jude Valloze - 70504 17 Circle Creek Way Ormond Beach, FL 32174 heyjude21@aol.com	Robert Jeffers – 70505 19312 Eastbrook Dr Odessa, FL 33556 rjeffers1@tampabay.rr.com	Tracy Hanna – ZI486 12320 SW 102nd Ct Miami, FL 33176-4871 lynhanna@aol.com
ALL Nov/Open/Exc/Mstr FAST, JWW, STD	ALL Nov/Open/Exc/Mstr FAST, JWW, STD & Premier STD	ALL Nov/Open/Exc/Mstr T2B, JWW, STD & Premier JWW

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

KNOWLES SNAPPER CREEK
9933 SUNSET DRIVE
KENDALL, FL 33173
(305) 279-2323

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.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police
911

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. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.



CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

	Class Order	8 AM Ring 1	Class Order	To Follow Ring 2
FRIDAY Small to tall	1	Nov/Open FAST	2	Novice STD
	3	Ex/Mst FAST	4	Open STD
	5	Novice JWW	6	Exc/Mst STD
	7	Open JWW		
	8	Exc/Mst JWW		
SATURDAY Small to tall	1	Ex/Mst FAST	2	Premier STD
	3	Open/Nov FAST	4	Exc/Mst STD
	5	Exc/Mst JWW	6	Open STD
	7	Open JWW	8	Novice STD
	9	Novice JWW		
SUNDAY Tall to small	1	T2B	2	Exc/Mst STD
	3	Premier JWW	4	Open Std
	5	Exc/Mst JWW	6	Novice Std
	7	Open JWW		
	8	Novice JWW		

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

MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Effective January 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" or 26" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog **before** its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

NEW Simplified Jump Height Card Process

When filling out the entry form, there is a new section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog has a valid jump height card or if your dog needs to be measured. Please check the appropriate box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured List*. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), **an AKC Canine Partners listing number**, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under 4 months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

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 **outdoors** under cover on a clay surface. Ring size will be **115 x 100**.

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee) **\$23**
 Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) **\$13**
 Third & Fourth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) **\$13**

If you would like to know the status of your entry prior to the issuance of the judging schedule upon closing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope or postcard along with your entry. E-mail confirmations will be sent to those listing a legible e-mail address on the entry form.

Mail entry forms and fees to: Lori Patterson, Trial Secretary, 5335 Havasu Ct, Lake Worth, FL 33467. Please make checks payable to **Greater Miami Dog Club**. 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 Lori Patterson at tsLorip@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 **\$20** collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

*Greater Miami Dog Club is accepting online entries through the AKC Online System. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries will be designated as follows: Online entries: **100**. Paper entries: **230**. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either the online or paper limits accordingly. No hand deliveries will be accepted in the first twenty-four hours following the opening date and time.*

**If you would like a vendor space, please contact
 Randi Jones at jonesr304@comcast.net**

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

Ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

First Place Blue
Second Place Red
Third Place Yellow
Fourth Place White
Qualifying Score Dark Green

A New Title rosette will be awarded to all dog and handler teams finishing a title. A MACH rosette and decorated MACH bar will be awarded to all dog and handler teams that attain their MACH. One dog toy value not to exceed \$5 will be awarded to all each dog entered in Agility.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

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. The **Greater Miami Dog 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. The **Greater Miami Dog 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 the **Greater Miami Dog Club** 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.

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 will not be admitted to the trial. Any exhibitor with an entered bitch in season, on the trial date, will be refunded the entry fee, less \$5.00 per run (each day), upon written certification from a veterinarian. Notification must be in the hands of the Trial Secretary no later than 30 minutes before the start time on the date of the trial.

RINGSIDE

Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

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.

RV PARKING

On-site RV parking and camping is available with a limited number of water and electric hook-ups. Parking onsite with **full hookup (site rules) will cost \$25.00 per night – pre registration only**. The water will require that you bring a "Y" connector so that the water service can be shared. The electric could require "Adapters" so that you can connect to 30 AMP or 20 AMP only. **Reservations must be received by November 24, 2017**. Parking assignments will be based on locations available for the size of your unit and day/time of arrival. A final email with parking assignment will be sent before the closing of the trial. Priority will be given to competitors travelling from out-of-state and those requesting four nights. **Important Note:** Check-in and Check-out time is 4:00PM. **If you hook up to water or electric before 4:00PM, Tropical Park will charge for the previous day. 30 AMP ELECTRIC ONLY.**

RESERVATION FORM

Please print all information clearly and enclose this form with your check payable to
Greater Miami Dog Club

Name: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please provide an estimate time of your arrival: ____:____ am or pm

Reservations for: Thur. Night _____ Fri. Night _____ Sat. Night _____

RV make, model & length _____ Tag # _____

Total remitted:\$ _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE FOR ENTIRE RV RESERVATION TO: **GREATER MIAMI DOG CLUB**
SEND TO: Sue Nelson - 14205 SW 75 Ter, Miami, FL 33183
(305) 408-4474 sunnyckr@bellsouth.net

WORKERS

All Agility trials take lots of hard work & preparation and are staffed strictly by Volunteers. As all handlers know, the more volunteers, the faster & smoother trials run. You will have fun, possibly learn new things and provide support for the clubs that work hard to provide the event & give you the opportunity to enjoy the sport you have come to love.

Please volunteer some of your valuable time.

To sign-up online copy & paste this link into your browser:

<http://tinyurl.com/GMDC-Dec2017>

To volunteer, you can also contact:

VolunteerAgility@gmail.com or 305.724.5867

HOTEL INFORMATION

West of Airport (Palmetto Expressway (826) & NW 36th St.)

La Quinta Inn	6 miles N of trial site	7401 NW 36 St Miami, FL 33166 305-599-9902
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Continental breakfast, high speed internet access, no pet fee.

On US 1, south of Palmetto Expressway (826) south terminus

Quality Inn-South	8 miles S of trial site	14501 S Dixie Highway Miami, FL 33176 305 251-2000
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No weight limit - \$10 per night for 1-3 dogs - Continental breakfast, internet access.

East of Airport

Red Roof Inn	10 miles NE of trial site	3401 NW Le Jeune Miami, FL 33142 305-871-4221
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No pet charge, limit 3 dogs < 60 lbs, free continental breakfast

North

Hotel Indigo	13.6 miles north of Tropical Park off of Palmetto Expressway	7601 Miami Lakes Dr, Miami Lakes, FL 33014 (305) 556-0100
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Contact Chris Conte for special show rate and dog fee policy

PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE HOTELS

DIRECTIONS TO TROPICAL PARK

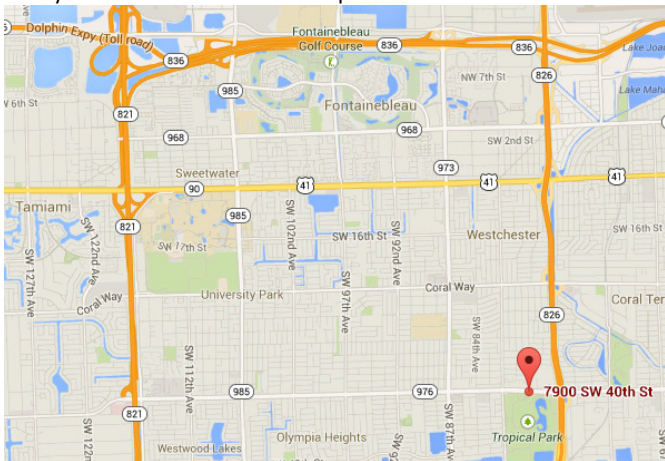
Tropical Park, 7900 SW 40th St, Miami, FL 33155

From the Palmetto Expressway (SR 826) or the Don Shula Expressway (SR 874):

Take the Bird Road Exit (SW 40th Street) and head west to third stoplight at SW 79th Ave (opposite McDonald's.) Turn left into the park & take two immediate lefts so that you are now heading back towards the expressway. Follow this Road into the Equestrian Center.

From the Florida Turnpike - Homestead Extension:

Take the Bird Road (SW 40th/42nd Street) exit and head east four miles to the SW 79th Avenue stoplight (opposite McDonald's - about 2 blocks before the Palmetto Expressway overpass.) Turn right at this light & take 2 immediate lefts so that you are again heading east towards the Palmetto Expressway. Follow this road into the Equestrian Center.



**AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM
Day to Day Moveups – Accepted**

(Do not send this form to AKC. Send/give it to the Trial Secretary)
USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for moving up must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than the day preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. It is the option of the club to allow move-ups. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

Name of Club _____ **Date** _____

Breed: _____ **Sex:** _____

Dog's AKC Name _____ **Dog's AKC #** _____

Move Entry to:

Agility Class: (Circle One)

Jump Height Division: (Circle One)

Std Class: Open Excellent Masters 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"

JWW: Open Excellent Masters 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"

Preferred Std: Open Excellent Masters 4" 8" 12" 16" 20"

Preferred JWW: Open Excellent Masters 4" 8" 12" 16" 20"

FAST Class: Open Excellent Masters 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"

Owners Name: _____

Handlers Name: _____
(If applicable)

**Signature of owner or agent
Duly authorized to make this entry:** _____

**Signature of Trial Secretary
If Approved:** _____

Date _____ **Time Received:** _____ **OFFICIAL**



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

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

Greater Miami Dog Club
December 8-10, 2017

Opens: September 1, 2017 • Closes November 24, 2017

Please do not staple or tape anything to the entry form

Table with 5 columns: Date, STD, JWW, FAST, Prem STD/JWW. Rows for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$23; \$13 each additional run

Make checks payable to: GMDC Mail to: Lori Patterson, Trial Secretary, 5335 Havasu Ct, Lake Worth, FL 33467

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 2 main columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Sub-columns for jump heights (8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 26 inches) and class types (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B).

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes [] STD [] JWW
ISC Jump Height - Select: [] 14" [] 18" [] 26" -or- [] Jump Height Same as Regular/Preferred

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured [] Yes [] No, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS

AKC* NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields: 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

Form fields: OWNERS ADDRESS, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE ZIP + 4, [] NEW

Form fields: HANDLER applicable, ENTER JR. HANDLER # if

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

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.

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 #: _____