



**ESAG Inc.**

**"HIGH SIERRA AGILITY CHALLENGE"  
NADAC AGILITY TRIAL**



**Friday, August 17 – Sunday, August 19, 2018**

**Whitmore Ball Field  
575 Benton Crossing Rd.  
Mono Co. Mammoth Lakes, California 93546**

(1 Ring On Grass)



**Entries Close – Monday, August 13, 2018  
at 6:00 pm or when the trial is full  
Limited to 500 Runs/Day - 350 with Jumps**

**JUDGE  
Craig Coonrad  
Phoenix, AZ**

**NADAC Classes Offered**

This will be a "double-run" trial. If there are 2 rounds, the same course will be run for Round 1 and Round 2.

**FRIDAY  
Jumpers (2)  
Barrelers (2)  
Regular (2)**

**SATURDAY  
Regular (2)  
TouchnGo (2)  
Weavers (2)  
Hoopers (2)**

**SUNDAY  
Chances (2)  
Regular (2)  
Tunnelers (2)**

# ESAG

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## **AGILITY TRIAL CHAIR**

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## **AGILITY TRIAL SECRETARY**

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PO Box 7044  
Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546  
Email: [alixginter@yahoo.com](mailto:alixginter@yahoo.com)  
Phone: (760) 924-0825

## **AGILITY TRIAL COMMITTEE**

Chief Course Builder ..... Bobbie Eddy  
Chief Ring Stewards ..... Sherry Dodson/Lynne Almeida  
Chief Scorekeeper ..... Cheryl Hart  
Hospitality ..... Raven Angeles/Jan Burwell  
Judge Liaison ..... Lois Alexander/Karen Bedow

**CHECK IN FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY: 7:00 AM**  
**GENERAL BRIEFING: 7:30 AM**  
**FIRST DOG ON THE LINE: 8:00 AM**

### **Run Order:**

Friday: Small to Tall  
Jumpers (2), Barrelers (2), Regular (2)  
Saturday: Tall to Small  
Regular (2), Touch n Go (2), Weavers (2), Hoopers (2)  
Sunday: Small to Tall  
Chances (2), Regular (2), Tunnelers (2)

*This run order is subject to change.  
A final run order will be included in your confirmations.*

## **Course Familiarization and Warm-Ups**

Handlers in all classes will be permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of each class. Walk-through periods will be held prior to each class following the judge's briefing. A warm-up area consisting of a regulation agility jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

## **Class Changes and Move-ups:**

Pre-trial move-ups will be accepted until **6 PM, August 13, 2018** by e-mail or phone call to the trial secretary. Move-ups will also be allowed from Friday to Saturday and Saturday to Sunday during the trial. We ask that you very carefully read your confirmation and be certain that you are signed up for the classes that you want.

## **Awards:**

Qualifying ribbons will be awarded in all jump heights and placement ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> places. No placement ribbons will be awarded in the Chances Class as it is a pass/fail class.

## **Sierra SweepStakes:**

This is a volunteer only raffle. The drawing will be held on Sunday before the last class of the day. Volunteers will be "paid" with sweepstakes tickets for each class they work.

## **Volunteers:**

We will have a worker's sign-up board at the trial. So that volunteers are ready to work when the class begins, we encourage you to place your name on the board early in the morning. The Chief Ring Steward will call for volunteers if a class is not filled with the necessary volunteers. We need everyone to help with a couple of classes each day. Workers will receive Sweepstake tickets for the Sierra SweepStakes drawing on Sunday.

## **Weather and Shade:**

The weather in Mammoth Lakes in August is usually very pleasant with temperatures in the mid to upper 80s. Because we are at high altitude, the sun can be very intense. There is very limited shade, so you are strongly advised to bring some sort of shade shelter for you and your dog.

## **Food:**

ESAG will be providing assorted food and drinks throughout the weekend. There will be a "lunch sandwich call" to a local deli each day for those that are interested.

## **DISCLAIMER**

ESAG will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care, custody, and control of its owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. 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 such case, no refund of fees paid will be made.

## **ESAG POLICIES**

- **ESAG reserves the right to refuse any entry.** The organizing committee may also refuse any entry on the basis expressly provided through NADAC rules and regulations or guidelines established by NADAC.
- Anyone not currently in good standing with NADAC cannot enter the trial.
- Only handlers who are officially entered in the trial and have submitted an application with the handler's signature accepting "Agreement" and ESAG Policies, will be allowed to run dogs in the trial.
- All dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring. Please clean up after yourself and your dog.
- Safety shall always be the foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$25.00 service charge for bank-returned checks.
- There will be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date, or in the event a dog and/or handler is dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal.
- Refunds will be issued for bitches in season if submitted in writing BEFORE the trial date, with a statement from your veterinarian.
- No setups within 15 feet of any ring, please.

## Categories

Each class contains two categories, Proficient and Skilled. A dog may only be entered in ONE category per weekend. In the Skilled Category, dogs **must** jump 4" lower than indicated by the current jump height table. (No dog may jump less than 4").

In the Regular Agility Class, dogs may incur 5 or fewer faults, and earn a 5 point qualifying round. A qualifying round must be clean and will earn 10 points. *(Please refer to [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com) for the latest information and explanation of the Skilled and Proficient categories).*

Veteran or Disabled Handler: Handlers who are 60 years or older, or who have a disability that restricts mobility, may choose to enter classes as a Veteran Handler and receive 10% more standard course time. This option is for Veteran/Disabled handlers in ALL classes.

The Veteran/Disabled Handler division is designed for handlers who, due to age or impairment, are mobility limited and need extra time to guide their canine partners through an agility course. When entering as a Veteran/Disabled Handler, you must enter all dogs in all classes for the entire trial in this Division and must jump 4" lower than your Proficient, Standard Division jump height requires. In the non-jumping classes, dogs will be scored and placed with their Standard Division jump height.

**IMPORTANT:** Please check your dog's NADAC registration number on your trial confirmation as soon as you receive it; also, please check the copy of the results posted at the trial. You should report any errors to the Trial Secretary immediately.

NADAC records trial results as they are submitted by the host clubs/groups. The individual trial results submitted by the club are uploaded to the [www.NADACForum.com](http://www.NADACForum.com) within two weeks after the NADAC office receives them from the club. Please accept the responsibility to review those results, and check that your registration number and qualifying points, as reported by the club, are correct. You can join the Forum by going to [www.NADACForum.com](http://www.NADACForum.com) and submitting your request. If you find an error in the reporting of your dog's qualifying points or registration number, please contact the host club. The host club is responsible for correcting any errors and informing NADAC.

Levels: Points earned at a higher level of a class, prior to the completion of the lower level title, will not be recorded by NADAC for future use. If a dog earns points in a level of a class that they are not eligible to title in, those points will not be added to the dog's records.

## NADAC Jump Height Table

Height is based on measurement at dog's withers

Standard Division	11" & under	14" & under	18" & under	20" & under	Over 20"
Proficient	8"	12"	16"	20"	20"
Skilled	4"	8"	12"	16"	16"
Jr. Handler Division	11" & under	14" & under	18" & under	20" & under	Over 20"
Proficient	4"	8"	12"	16"	16"
Skilled	4"	4"	8"	12"	12"
Veterans Division	11" & under	14" & under	18" & under	20" & under	Over 20"
Proficient	4"	8"	12"	16"	16"
Skilled	4"	4"	8"	12"	12"



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Official Agility Trial Entry Form for August 17 – 19, 2018

OWNER/HANDLER INFORMATION				
Owner				
Address				
City		State		Zip
E-mail (please print clearly)				
Confirmations will be e-mailed. Please check here if you need one mailed to you. <input type="checkbox"/>				
Handler (if other than Owner)				Check here for Veteran or Disabled Handler <input type="checkbox"/>

DOG INFORMATION					
Dog's Call Name				Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Breed			Birth Date		
NADAC # (req'd)		Height at the Withers	<a href="#">PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR PERMANENT JUMP HEIGHT CARD</a>		
Category (check only one)	Proficient <input type="checkbox"/>		Skilled <input type="checkbox"/>		
<i>Enter your Standard Proficient Jump Height. The computer will automatically adjust your dog's jump height for Skilled, Veterans, and Jr. Handlers</i>		<b>STANDARD PROFICIENT Jump Height from <span style="background-color: yellow;">Highlighted</span> row on the NADAC Jump Height table on the page above:</b> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 20+ <input type="checkbox"/>			

CLASS	DIVISION				LEVEL				FRIDAY		SATURDAY		SUNDAY	
	STD	VET	JR	VH	Intro	Novice	Open	Elite	Rd 1	Rd2	Rd1	Rd2	Rd1	Rd2
Hoopers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Barrelers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Regular	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chances	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Touch n Go	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Tunnelers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Weavers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

\*We are offering the Intro Level in all of our Classes. The Intro level will be a shorter course than Novice. The only Intro level class with weaves will be Intro Weavers and it will have one set of 6 poles. No other classes will have weaves in them. The Intro level will have no tunnel/contact discriminations.

<b>COST PER RUN FOR DOGS <u>LIVING IN THE SAME HOUSEHOLD</u></b>		<b>FEE CALCULATION</b>	
1 – 6 Runs: \$12.00	19 - 30 Runs: \$9.50	Total Number of Runs _____ X Cost Per Run = \$_____	
7 – 11 Runs: \$11.00	31+ Runs: \$9.00	Example: 3 dogs from the same household with a combined total of 18 runs. 18 x \$10.00 = \$180.00	
12 – 18 Runs: \$10.00	Jr. Handler \$5.00		

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by the board of NADAC for this trial. I/We certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. I/We further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" and "Notice to Exhibitors" contained on the pages following this entry form. Note: Handlers must sign if they run a dog.

Owner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Handler Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Legal Guardian of Minor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (Entry not valid unless signed, dated, and submitted with correct fee )

**Please make checks payable to: ESAG Inc.**

**Send to: Alix Ginter, Trial Secretary ★ P.O. Box 7044 ★ Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546**

## **AGREEMENT**

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry:

1.1 As used here, "NADAC" means North American Dog Agility Council, Inc., its members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.

1.2 Exhibitor/owner agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations in the premium for this event.

1.3 Exhibitor/owner certifies that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs, or property, and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.

1.4 Exhibitor/owner acknowledges all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fittings, show rings, parking areas, and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people, exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.

1.5 Exhibitor/owner releases NADAC, ESAG (including their officers, directors, members, and event organizing committees), and the Town of Mammoth Lakes, including its officers, agents and employees, and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury damage, claims, demands, and liabilities involving the entered dog, the jury damage, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assumes sole responsibility for and agrees to indemnify and save 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 damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death 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.

## **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS**

This event will be held in accordance with the rules and regulations of the North American Dog Agility Council (NADAC).

- All dogs must be registered with NADAC to compete in a sanctioned NADAC trial. If your dog is not yet registered with NADAC, go to the NADAC website at [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com) to fill out the registration form. ALL dogs entering a NADAC trial MUST have a NADAC number.
- As of January 2014, dogs must enter the Veteran Division in all jumping classes after their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday. After their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday, dogs must enter the Skilled Category, Veteran Division for jumping classes and Skilled Category for non-jumping classes.
- This trial will utilize rubber-surfaced, slatless contact equipment, and a 5' A-Frame for all appropriate classes and levels.
- Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption List, description of classes, levels and divisions are included in the current Exhibitors Handbook.
- Through submission of entry, exhibitors acknowledge they are familiar with the rules in the current Exhibitors handbook.
- A copy of the current Exhibitors handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: [www.nadac.com](http://www.nadac.com).

### **HOTELS/MOTELS THAT ACCEPT DOGS**

#### **Town of Mammoth Lakes (10-15 minutes from field)**

Motel 6—3372 Main St. . . . (760) 934-6660  
Travel Lodge—54 Sierra Blvd. . . . (760) 934-8892  
Swiss Chalet—3776 Viewpoint Rd. . . . (760) 934-2403  
Shilo Inn—Main St. . . . (760) 934-4500  
Mammoth Reservations (condo rental) - (800) 223-3032

#### **Crowley Lake (5-7 minutes from field)**

Mono Sierra Lodge—Crowley Lake Dr. . . . (760) 935-4300  
Convict Lake Resort—Convict Lake Rd. . . . (760) 934-3800

### **RV PARKING & CAMPING**

Dry RV parking and tent camping is available at the Whitmore Ball Field. The fee for the event is \$10. Bathrooms are available, but no showers. If you need full hookup, note the facilities listed below. Please fill out the enclosed camping form and return it along with your entry.

### **OTHER RV/CAMPING FACILITIES**

Mammoth Mountain RV Park  
2667 Main St., Mammoth Lakes CA 93546  
(800) 582-4603  
[mammothrv.com](http://mammothrv.com)

McGee Creek RV Park and Campground  
74 W. Park Rd., Crowley Lake, CA 93546  
(760) 935-4233

[info@mcgeecreekrvpark-campground.com](mailto:info@mcgeecreekrvpark-campground.com)

## **DIRECTIONS TO WHITMORE BALL FIELD**

**From Reno:** Take US 395 South towards Mammoth Lakes, CA. Continue past the exit to Mammoth (CA-203) for approximately 4 miles to Benton Crossing Rd. Turn left at the Green Church on Benton Crossing Rd. Whitmore Ball Field is 3/4 mile on the left. Go to the field in the back on the left.

**From Los Angeles Area:** Take US 395 North past Crowley Lake, CA. Turn right at the Green Church on Benton Crossing Rd. Whitmore Ball Field is 3/4 mile on the left. The field is in the back.

## **EMERGENCY VET (24 Hour)**

Bishop Veterinary Hospital  
1650 N Sierra Highway (US 395)  
Bishop, CA  
(760) 873-5801

## **OVERNIGHT CAMPING RESERVATION FORM**

Whitmore Ball Field has dry RV camping and tent camping available surrounding the field for a weekend fee of \$10. Restrooms are available at the field, but no showers.

**PLEASE ENCLOSE THIS SIGNED AGREEMENT SO THAT WE HAVE AN IDEA OF HOW MANY VEHICLES AND TENTS TO EXPECT.**

## **AGREEMENT**

I (We) agree that my (our) dog(s) will not be allowed to run loose on the park grounds or in the adjacent neighborhood, will not be allowed to bark or disturb the neighborhood in any way, and that I (we) will clean up after my (our) dog(s). I (We) agree to be responsible for the actions of my (our) dog(s), and further agree to put all dog waste into a plastic bag before placing it in the trashcans provided, and will leave the park grounds in good order.

I (We) take full responsibility for my (our) dog(s), and hold harmless the Town of Mammoth Lakes, ESAG, NADAC, their agents, officers and employees, for any damages or injuries to my (our) property or dog(s).

NAME (Printed) \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

RESERVATION FOR: THURS NIGHT    FRI NIGHT    SAT NIGHT    SUN NIGHT (please circle)

VEHICLE LICENSE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF CAMPING UNIT (please circle):

TRAVEL TRAILER    CAMPER    MOTORHOME    TENT    RV SIZE \_\_\_\_\_ ft



