#### PREMIUM LIST

AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS

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

**ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED** 

ENTRIES FOR ALL DOGS OPEN Wednesday October 30, 2024, at Noon (Eastern ST) at Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent "No Signature Required" waiver signed. ENTRIES CLOSE ON Wednesday December 18th

**2024**, at 6pm (Eastern ST) after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Withdrawn entries are subject to a refund as allowed in Chapter 1, Section 9 and/or Chapter 1, Section 14 of the Regulations for entries are subject to a refund as allowed in Chapter 1, Section 9 and/or Chapter 1, Section 14 of the Regulations for prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.



# Souhegan Kennel Club

American K9 Country (Indoors – Air Conditioned)
336 Rt. 101, Amherst, NH 03031
GPS Address: 336 Horace Greeley Highway
ENTRY LIMITS
350 runs each day

320 Feel The Rush online entries. 30 Mail In entries

Ring Size: 76' x 105.5' - Indoors on Agility Turf Trial Hours: All days – 6:00am to 6:00pm

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# CERTIFICATION

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

Gina M. DiNardo, Executive Secretary

#### OFFICERS OF SKC

President Linda Michael
Vice President Ed Moses
Treasurer Dianne Tyree
Secretary Susan Colcord
PO Box 67
Brookline NH

souhegankcsecretary@gmail.com

### TRIAL CHAIRPERSON

Amber McCune – Souhegan Kennel Club 207 County Rd Bedford NH 03110 (603) 672-8448 amk9country@aol.com

# **EVENT COMMITTEE**

Amber McCune, Celeste Meade Maurer, Ann Trembly, Joe Juza, Allison Kiah, Morgan LaBelle, Cheryl Schunk and all club members of SKC

### TRIAL SECRETARY

Guylaine Doyon – Feel The Rush 5 Pepperbush Way, South Windsor, CT 06074 860-214-8311 bebedoyon@gmail.com www.feeltherushtrials.com

#### JUDGE

Steve Tochtrop (113095) Wright City MO

All classes Standard, JWW, FAST, T2B, Premier STD & JWW

# **VETERINARIAN ON CALL**

**Veterinary Emergency Center of Manchester (24 Emergency Care)** 

2743 Brown Road, Manchester, NH 603-666-6677 1-800-974-6688 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

# CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES Judging starts on at 8:00 am

All classes include Regular & Preferred.

Friday 4 – 24C
Ring 1 8:00am
FAST E/M, OPEN, NOVICE
PREMIER STD
EX/M STD
OPEN STD
NOVICE STD
PREMIER JWW
EX/M JWW
OPEN JWW
NOVICE JWW

\*\* ALL DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER PREMIER \*\*

Effective June 1, 2018 - Dogs eligible to enter Novice, Open, Excellent or

Master level classes may enter Premier Class

Please consult the *AKC Regulations for Agility Trials* for a complete description & eligibility for entry into these classes. Exhibitor is fully responsible for entering dog in correct class/height divisions. Dogs running in lower or higher height divisions than eligible will be eliminated. **AKC Regulations for Agility Trials** - All exhibitors should obtain a copy by contacting American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate drive — Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390, by phone 919-233-9767, by email info@akc.org, or on their website at www.akc.org.

# ENTRY FEES PER DAY (includes AKC recording fees of \$3.50 per run)

First entry each dog - \$25 Second entry same dog/same day - \$20 Third thru Fifth Run same dog/same day - \$20 Junior Handler Fee - \$10

Mail entry forms and fees to **Guylaine Doyon, Trial Secretary, 5 Pepperbush Way, South Windsor, CT 06074** 

Please make checks or money order payable to Feel the Rush Trials No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail & overnight entries must include a signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. All questions and inquiries may be directed to Guylaine Doyon / bebedoyon@gmail.com / phone 860-214-8311.

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 \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each check.

# **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 indoors on Agility Turf. Ring size will be 76' x 105.5'

# **REFUNDS - After closing date but prior to start of trial:**

Refund requests for bitches in season. These must include a veterinarian's or doctor's note and be received by the trial secretary before the first run on the first day of the trial. After the close of entries, \$7.00 per run will be withheld from

**refunds.** Requests for refunds received after the start of the trial will not be given for any reason. There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date (except for the reasons and conditions listed above) or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for such dismissal. No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any cause beyond control of 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.

# **DOGS 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, Purebreed Alternative Listing /Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), or AKC Canine Partners listing number, approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate. Dogs with a Purebreed 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 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 four months of age are strictly prohibited from trial grounds.

# COURSE WALK-THROUGHS 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 one regulation agility jump for each ring, may be provided for exhibitors. Warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

### **HEIGHT DIVISIONS**

Dog's Height at Withers	REGULAR_	PREFERR	<u>ED</u>
11 inches and under	8"	4"	
14 inches and under	12"	8"	
18 inches and under at the withers	s 16"	12"	
22 inches and under at the withers	s 20"	16"	
Over 22 inches	24"	20"	
Entered at owner's discretion	24C"		N/A

# 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 needs to be officially measured. Please check the 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. For more information, please visit http://www.akc.org/ events/agility/jump\_height\_card.cfm

# **NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS - SAFETY, BEHAVIOR & LIABILITY**

Safety of dogs is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with 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 behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of event committee, be asked to leave show

site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. SKC, Feel The Rush Agility Trial Secretary Services 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. SKC 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 ACNH 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.

# SKC - RIBBONS, AWARDS AND PRIZES

Rosettes 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 Ribbon

All dogs earning a new title at the SKC will receive a New Title rosette. All dogs earning a MACH or PACH will receive a commemorative rosette/bar. ALL PRIZES, AWARDS, ROSETTES, AND RIBBONS MUST BE CLAIMED DAY OF TRIAL. NO PRIZES WILL BE MAILED

# ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

SKC and American K9 Country will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

# NO Food vendor at this trial

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 Event 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 site.

### WAIT LIST INFORMATION

SKC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 150 entries will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to Wednesday December 18th at 6PM EST. Any withdrawn entries that are received by Wednesday December 18th at 6PM EST that are replaced by a wait list entry will receive a full refund for the withdrawn entry. Any waitlisted entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by Monday December 23rd, 2024, 6pm EST will receive a full refund. (Trial Secretary will destroy entry and check).

# HOTEL INFORMATION

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may be required. Please check with hotels for policies and restrictions.

\*\*\* Ask for American K9 Country corporate rate at all listed below \*\*\*

Please note when using a debit card, the hotel may put a hold on additional funds. It may be 2 days or more for these funds to be released. Check with hotel to determine its policy.

**Holiday Inn Express Near Airport** – 2280 Brown Ave, Manchester, NH 03103 603 669-6800 / \$90 per night / No pet fee / Free breakfast CODE:100322829 is the corporate ID code for AK9C.

All Hotels below are local that accept pets, but no special rate with AK9C

- <u>Extended Stay</u> 2 Executive Park DR. Merrimack NH
- <u>Hampton Inn</u> 8 Hawthorne Dr. Bedford, NH
- EVEN Hotel 55 John Devine Dr. Manchester, NH
- Country Inn & Suites 250 S. River Rd. Bedford, NH
- <u>Friendly Beaver Campground</u>-RV FULL Hook Ups
- <u>Field & Stream RV Park</u> RV FULL Hook Ups

\*Note: Rates are set by each Hotel individually. Hotels may change these rates at any time- AK9C has no influence on these hotel rates. Rates are subject to change AT ANY TIME- Please inquire with the hotel directly for the CURRENT rate.

#### **RV PARKING AT AK9C**

First come, first serve. 11 spot available for dry camping. 40' gavel pads with artificial k9 turf w/sand underneath. Email Amber at info@americank9country.com to reserve your spot

#### **AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM**

Do not send this form to AKC. Send / Email to the Trial Secretary USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE - American K9 Country 336 Rt. 101, Amherst, NH 03031 / GPS: 336 Horace Greeley Highway

**FROM THE SOUTH (Nashua) -** Everett Turnpike North to Manchester / I-293/101 West. Follow signs towards Rt 101 West (Bedford-Milford) / AK9C is located on Rt. 101, approximately 6 miles from the Rt. 114 interchange. \*\*\* AK9C is on the right - 2 miles after Murphy's Taproom, across from Camp Road at the blinking yellow light.

**FROM THE SOUTH (Boston)** - North to Manchester I-293 to 101 West / Follow signs towards 101 West (Bedford-Milford). See \*\*\* above.

**FROM THE NORTH (Concord) -** South to I-293 toward 101 West. Follow signs towards 101 West (Bedford-Milford). See \*\*\* above.

**FROM THE EAST COAST -** West towards Manchester/Bedford / Follow Rt. 101 West (Bedford-Milford) AK9C is located on Rt. 101, approximately 6 miles from the Rt. 114 interchange. See \*\*\* above.

**FROM THE WEST** - 101 East towards Manchester/Bedford. Watch for Salzburg Square Shopping Complex. AK9C is approximately 1 mile on the left, passed Salzburg Square, across from Camp Road at blinking yellow light.

# FOR EXHIBITION ONLY (FEO)

FEO allows exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is offered ALL AKC classes. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying. FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (STD, JWW, Prem Std, Prem JWW, T2B and/or FAST) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.

- > Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.
- Dogs may be entered in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.
- > The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).
- > Toys are allowed in the ring. Toys must be non-audible and may not leave the handler's hand. Toys that roll freely may not be used.
- Food/treats are not allowed in the ring
- FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as punitive correction. Harsh verbal and/or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.
- > A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time.

### **FIX AND GO ON**

FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score. Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the run.

### **MOVE UP**

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of owner as a result of dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for a day-to-day move-up must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than 30 minutes past the last run 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 Refer to Chapter 1, S move-up requiremen (email acceptable) by acknowledge receip Date:	moved- Section 2 ts. Move y <b>Mond</b> a	up will be e 20 of the Ro e ups prior ay Decemb <i>move-up</i> s	entered at egulations to trial dat oer 23rd, 2	the 6 for e, m 2024	end o Agility nust b	f the y Tria e rec e <i>tria</i>	runni Ils for eived <i>I sec</i>	ng or addi d in w <b>retar</b>	der. tional riting
Dog's AKC Registr	ation N	ame:							
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Regular Standard	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C
Regular JWW	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C
Regular FAST	Open	Excellent	Master	8"	12"	16"	20"	24"	24C
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Preferred JWW	Open	Excellen	t Master	4	" 8"	12"	16'	' 20	"
Preferred FAST	Oper	n Excellen	t Master	4"	' 8"	12"	16"	20'	,
Owners Name:									
Handlers Name:									
Signature of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry.									
Signature of Trial Secretary If Approved									

Time Received Date



#### OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

# SOUHEGAN KENNEL CLUB - Amherst, NH

Fri December 27 STD□ JWW□ Prem STD□ Prem JWW□ FAST□

1st Run-\$25 / 2<sup>nd</sup> Run \$20/ 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Run \$20/Junior-\$10/per run

Checks payable to: FEEL THE RUSH TRIALS

**REGULAR** Classes

20"

**ENTRY FEE** 

**PREFERRED** Classes

20"

Entries open October 30, 2024 at Noon EST /Entries close December 18 2024 at 6pm EST

Mail to: Guylaine Doyon, 5 Pepperbush Way, South Windsor, CT 06074

IMPORTANT Entry must include Agreement Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height / Circle class selections / Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

STD Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master Premier JWW Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master Premier FAST Nov A Nov B Open Exc Master -T2B T2B	JWW NovP	OpenP E	xcP MasterP PremierP xcP MasterP PremierP xcP MasterP	
ISC Jump Height – choose 1: ☐ regular AKC he☐ FCI/ISC 12" ☐ FCI/ISC 16" ☐ FCI/ISC 20"	eight (above)  ☐ FCI/ISC	, or 24"		
This Dog Needs To Be Measured ☐ Yes ☐ No	SEX		HEIGHT AT WITHERS	
BREED BREED	VARIETY		CALL NAME	
AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)			<u> </u>	
AKC® NO ☐ Enter Complete Registra	ation # below:	DATE OF BIRTI	н	
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FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY BREEDER				
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ACTUAL OWNERS				
OWNERS ADDRESS			☐ NEW ADDRESS	
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4				
HANDLER			ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable	
Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.				

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

#### **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, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event 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, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (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 resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. 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. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS. RULES. REGULATIONS. PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

**INSTRUCTIONS.** Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice. 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. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners ProgramSM 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. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

SIGN HERE X	
Telephone Number:	
Email Address:	□ New Email
In Case of Emergency - Name:	