

ENTRIES OPEN: 10:00AM Monday, February 26, 2018, 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: 11:30PM Wednesday, April 11, 2018, 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.

JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS & TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER

Judge	4-24"
Rebecca Schnulle #96651 607 Hunters Haven Lane Huger, SC 29450	FAST (all levels) Premier Standard Exc/Master Standard Open Standard Novice Standard T2B Premier JWW Exc/Master JWW Open JWW Novice JWW

VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.
23rd Annual AKC Agility Trial, Member Events – VIZSLAS ONLY

Monday, April 30, 2018



2018 VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA
Nationals
 ASHEVILLE • NORTH CAROLINA

Crowne Plaza Resort – Asheville
One Resort Drive
Asheville, NC 28806

This trial will be held outdoors on grass.
 One Ring, 100' x 100'; Electronic Timers Will Be Used,
 Accepting AKC Online Entries

ENTRIES ACCEPTED BY METHOD OF FIRST RECEIVED
 LIMITED ENTRY – 330 RUNS, DNA NUMBER REQUIRED ON ENTRY FORM

SHOW HOURS: 7:00am – 7:00pm
JUDGING WILL COMMENCE AT 8:00am
JUDGE: REBECCA SCHNULLE

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION
 Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations. Gina DiNardo, Secretary
 #2018080407



Classes Offered Each Day

Standard, JWW, FAST, and T2B (including Premier) – all levels, Regular and Preferred. Preferred classes will run with the Regular classes.

Check-in will begin at 7:30 am and judging will begin promptly at 8:00 am.

Vizsla Club of America Officers

President.....Melissa Lembke, PO Box 402, Nicollet, MN 56074
 Vice-President.....Trish Burdin, 2883 Fantasy Lane, Decatur, GA 30033
 Secretary.....Jennifer Follett, 2520 Fairfax Street, Denver, CO 80207
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Trial Chairperson

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Trial Secretary

Karen Wlodarski
 2743 Old Oak Walk
 Johns Island, SC 29455
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karen-w@msn.com

Event Committee Members

Abbie Hanson, Chair; Lindsay Fetters, Beth Kirven, Michelle Porfido, and Peggy Schmidt

VETERINARIAN (OPEN 24 HOURS)

REACH Veterinary Specialists, 677 Brevard Road, Asheville, NC 28806
 (828) 665-4399

Directions from Crowne Plaza Resort: Head south on Resort Dr. toward Expo Dr. Turn right onto Patton Ave. Use the left lane to turn slightly left. Continue straight. Merge onto I-240W/I-26E. Take exit 1B for Brevard Rd/NC-191 toward I-40E. Turn left onto NC-191S/Brevard Rd. Destination will be on the right.

HOST HOTEL

Crowne Plaza Resort Asheville (host hotel), One Resort Drive, Asheville, NC 28806. 828-254-3211. There is a possibility that, due to high demand, a reserved hotel block may be sold out. Call direct for availability, notify the Resort that you are with VCA and ask to be placed on the wait list, if necessary.

CAMPGROUNDS

Local full-service RV Parks, all pet-friendly, are within five miles of the Host Hotel. On-site RV parking is full.

Wilson's Riverfront Park
www.wilsonsrvpark.com

Bear Creek RV Park & Campground
www.ashevillebearcreek.com

DIRECTIONS TO HOST HOTEL - <http://ashevillecp.com>

From North (Johnson City, TN) – Travel south on Hwy 19/23 (also known as I-26E), merge onto I-240W. Stay in the right lane as you merge, marked as an “Exit Only” for Exit 3-B (labeled Westgate and Resort Dr). Merge into the right lane as you pass the Westgate Shopping Center. Resort driveway is IMMEDIATELY as you round the curve to your right.

From South (Asheville Regional Airport; Greenville/Spartanburg, SC; Columbia, SC) – Travel west on I-26, follow signs for I-240 to Asheville. Merge into the left lane and take exit 3-A which will merge you onto Patton Ave. At the second light, make a right onto Regent Park Blvd (between Denny's and Pizza Hut). The road will bear right and the Resort entrance will be immediately on the left (before entering Sam's Club parking lot). Follow Resort road past the golf course to the main entrance.

From East (Hickory, Winston-Salem, Greensboro, Raleigh, NC) – Travel west on I-40, take exit 53-B onto I-240W towards downtown Asheville. As you cross the “French Broad River Bridge”, merge into the far right lane, marked as an “Exit Only” for Exit 3-B (labeled Westgate and Resort Dr). Merge into the right lane as you pass the Westgate Shopping Center. Resort driveway is IMMEDIATELY as you round the curve to your right.

From West (Knoxville, TN) – Travel east on I-40, follow signs for I-240E towards Asheville (left exit). Merge into the left lane and take exit 3-A which will merge you onto Patton Ave. At the second light, make a right onto Regent Park Blvd (between Denny's and Pizza Hut). The road will bear right and the Resort entrance will be immediately on the left (before entering Sam's Club parking lot). Follow Resort road past the golf course to the main entrance.

SITE INFORMATION

The agility trial will be held at the Crowne Plaza Resort Asheville, on the lawn adjacent to the Exhibition Center. Parking is available in a large lot next to the Exhibition Center. A crating area will be provided adjacent to the Exhibition Center. There is plenty of room for fans and visitors to cheer on their favorite teams on the lawn near the agility ring. Site is open for set-up at 7am on day of trial.

FOOD: Lunch will be provided for workers, and there will also be food available for purchase.

Entry fees: \$38 first entry of each dog (Jr handler \$19)
\$28 second and third entries of same dog (Jr handler \$14)
\$20 fourth and fifth entries of same dog (Jr handler \$10)

(includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee for first entry and \$3 AKC recording fee for subsequent entries of each dog per trial)

Make checks and money orders payable to VCA. Returned check fee is \$25.00 (does not constitute a valid entry). No third party checks accepted. IT IS THE EXHIBITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENTER THE CORRECT CLASS.

Send entries with fees to: Karen Wlodarski, Trial Secretary
2743 Old Oak Walk
Johns Island, SC 29455

All express mail must be able to be left at the Secretary's address with no acceptance signature required. Hand deliveries will not be accepted during the first 24 hours following the trial's opening. **PLEASE do not staple** your check to the entry form. Entry form changes, additions, corrections and cancellations **MUST be received in writing** prior to the April 11, 2018, closing date, be legible and include the AKC number, or no refund will be issued. No telephone changes accepted.

YOU CAN NOW ENTER THE TRIAL VIA AKC'S ONLINE ENTRY SERVICES

Go to AKC Agility Online Entry Services at www.akc.org/AgilityEntry and follow the instructions there to use your 'My AKC' account to enter this event online. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online or paper will be as follows: 40% online entries (132 runs) and 60% paper entries (198 runs) per trial. If either form of entry (paper or online) has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either one accordingly.

PRIZES AND AWARDS: Only qualifying scores are eligible for awards. Rosettes will be awarded to first through fourth place in each height division in each class. A green rosette will be awarded for each qualifying score. Rosettes will be awarded for each new title. MACH and PACH rosettes and bars will be presented to dogs completing those titles. If you and your dog are close to a MACH or PACH, please notify a member of the trial committee. All ribbons and prizes must be claimed the day of the show; none will be mailed.

HIGH IN MASTER AGILITY – Director Chair
FIRST PLACE IN AGILITY – Soft-side Cooler
SECOND THROUGH FOURTH PLACE IN AGILITY – Slip Lead

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER: These trials are open to all Vizslas 15 months of age or older, that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have obtained AKC ILP or PAL Listing numbers. Dogs with a PAL/ILP or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are not eligible to participate. For copies of the Regulations for Agility Trials, or the Dog Show Rules, write AKC, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 or call (919) 233-9767. The safety of the 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. Puppies under 4 months of age are strictly prohibited from the grounds.

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 unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Vizsla Club of America, Inc., Crowne Plaza Resort Asheville, and the Trial Secretary, their agents, members, etc. assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children.

Entry fees for bitches that come into season after the closing date will be refunded (minus \$10 administrative fee per run) if a veterinarian's certificate is presented to the Trial Secretary prior to the start of judging. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Trial Committee. 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.

Up to 25 exhibitor entries may be wait-listed per trial following the closing date. Full refunds will be made to exhibitors whose entries are replaced by wait-listed entries prior to the final closing date of April 23, 2018, at 6:00 pm.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run.

Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of "Regulations for Agility Trials". A warm up area consisting of a regulation jump will be provided for all exhibitors, who may not use the warm up area to relieve their dogs.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on their entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries will not be accepted. All entries must be made on official AKC Entry Forms or copies and must include the signed Agreement. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance.

MOVE-UPS: Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner as a result of an agility title earned after closing, however move-up requests must be made in writing and must be received by the Trial Secretary no later than Monday, April 23, 2018, at 6pm. They may be e-mailed to karen-w@msn.com. Provide dog's call name, owner's name, original class entered and new class requested. Dogs moved up will generally be placed at the end of the running order.

CONFIRMATIONS: If you provide a valid, legible, unblocked email address, your entries will be acknowledged via email when received. Final confirmation and a judging schedule will also be sent via email—you will NOT receive a confirmation via US mail. If you do not provide an email address, your confirmation of entry and judging schedule will be mailed to the address provided on your entry form. If you have not received a copy of your confirmation five days before the show, please contact the Trial Secretary.

MEASURING: Effective 1-1-2010, 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" 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. Judging will not be held up or interrupted for measuring!

Owners are responsible for entering the proper height divisions. Handlers of dogs in Regular Classes may opt to run in a higher height division, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred Classes **MUST** jump in their measured division and are not allowed to jump higher or lower.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT
8 inches	4 inches	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12 inches	8 inches	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16 inches	12 inches	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20 inches	16 inches	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24 inches	20 inches	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers. Regular dogs may not be entered in this height if they are 22 inches and under
		Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches or under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height may not enter 24-choice.
24C	N/A	

VOLUNTEERS ARE APPRECIATED!

Workers will be provided with snacks, lunch, and drinks. Please include the worker form below with your entry.

I will volunteer to help at the trial (no conflicts with your runs):
Preferred trial jobs _____
Name _____



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

VIZSLA CLUB OF AMERICA AGILITY TRIAL

Circle classes entered: STD PREM STD JWW PREM JWW FAST T2B

DNA NUMBER (REQUIRED) _____

First entry - \$38 (Jr handler - \$19); second and third entries (same dog) - \$28
Jr handler - \$14); fourth and fifth entries (same dog) - \$20 (Jr handler - \$10)

Mail form, with appropriate fees payable to VCA, to the Trial Secretary:
Karen Wlodarski, 2743 Old Oak Walk, Johns Island, SC 29455
Entries open 10:00 am February 26, 2018. Entries close 11:30 pm April 11, 2018.
All entries must be able to be left at Trial Secretary's address without recipient's
signature required.

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height, and circle class selections :: Only one selection per class (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B)

Table with columns for Regular and Preferred classes and rows for STD, JWW, FAST, T2B with sub-rows for height and class options.

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes [] STD [] JWW

Form fields for dog information: SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME

Form fields for registration: AKC NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH

Form fields for lineage: SIRE, DAM

Form field for ACTUAL OWNERS

Form field for OWNERS ADDRESS with NEW ADDRESS checkbox

Form field for CITY, STATE ZIP + 4

Form fields for HANDLER and ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

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

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.

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 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. 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?

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 #: _____