

Fall 2018: Organized Practice at Arthur Pack Park Annex

Arthur Pack Park Annex. Located off Hardy and Thornydale. West on Hardy from Thornydale, on the north side of Hardy. (Follow these directions; not a navigation app!)

Arthur Pack Park Annex has three full size baseball fields. The three fields are enclosed. During part of the season, the Park installs a 4 foot tall chain link fence that mostly separates the middle field that we use from the east field. The chain link fence is about 10 feet short of completely separating the fields, but attendees can use the snow fencing in the equipment MobileMini to block the 10 foot gap so handlers can practice on the east field while other handlers are running their course.

Parking: along Hardy. There is access to the park from a gate on Hardy, on the east side of the park. You cannot park in the Tortolita Middle School Parking Lot; if the west gate of the park is open, you **cannot** park inside the fence or along that road.

Be prepared to haul any personal/dog stuff the length of a baseball field!

Dates: We have reserved APP field for the following dates, however, we have tentatively planned special events for some of these dates, so check with Steve (steve@jedidog.com) and/or watch for the weekly email to confirm if that Sunday will be a special event or regular practice.

Sept 16, Sept 23, Sept 30 (NADAC VT), Oct 7, Oct 14, Nov 4, Nov 11, Nov 25, Dec 16, Dec 23

Times: Set up starts at 7:00 a.m. Practice begins when all the equipment is set up. Participants must help set up and take down the equipment. We will practice for 60-90 minutes. We will likely shift the time to a little later in the morning, when the weather cools down.

Organized Practice: We will set up a standard type course (i.e. Standard, Grand Prix, Steeplechase). If you want a “do-over” from a trial you have attended, just email Steve (steve@jedidog.com) the course map; although no promises, we will make every effort to set up your proposed “do-over.”

Additionally, if there is a piece of equipment that is not part of one of the courses (i.e. broad jump, chute, etc), feel free to pull it out and work on it.

If you have a reactive or unfocused dog, let us know and we can have all handlers crate their dogs to minimize distractions. We want to make your practice as productive as we can.

Fees : Club Member – \$10 for 1st dog, and \$5 for each additional dog, up to 3 dogs per handler.

Non-Member – \$15 for 1st dog, and \$5 for an additional dog

Up to \$5 in scrip. We will take checks, made out to SSAC.

Here’s a reminder of what you’ll need to register for this session:

- Completed **Registration Form** and signed waiver of liability -- ONLY IF YOU HAVE NOT GIVEN ME ONE PREVIOUSLY (OR PREVIOUSLY REVOKED YOUR LIABILITY WAIVER)
- Review **Agility Field Rules** (online)
- **Payment**

We’re looking forward to seeing you and your canine partner on the agility field.

SAGUARO SCRAMBLERS AGILITY CLUB, INC. TUCSON, ARIZONA

REGISTRATION AND WAIVER FORM

Organized Practice Sessions

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If you have not filled out this registration form previously or you are running a new dog, Please complete one for each dog

Handler's name _____ Age (if minor) _____

Owner's name (if different from Handler) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home phone _____ Email address _____

Work phone _____ Cell phone _____

Dog's name _____ Dog's Age _____ Breed _____

Sex _____ Neutered/Spayed? Yes _____ No _____ Dog's Shoulder height _____

If you are a new member, or a visiting handler or if your dog is new to organized practice at an open field, please complete the following questions.

Has you or your dog had any agility training or experience? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please describe _____

Please describe your dog's agility experience on contacts (dogwalk, A-frame, teeter) (how many times has your dog been on these pieces of equipment, what kind of handler assistance does the dog need to perform the contact equipment, etc)? _____

My dog will: _____ come _____ sit _____ down _____ stay on command.

Can you call your dog to you reliably when he or she is off leash and: _____ sees other dogs playing

_____ playing with other dogs _____ playing with other people _____ chasing something?

What is your dog's attitude toward strangers: _____ lick them to death _____ reserved _____ shy
_____ may bite _____ will bite Other _____

What is your dog's attitude toward other dogs (on or off leash) _____ very friendly _____ friendly

_____ reserved _____ aggressive Other _____

*******IF YOU HAVE NOT PREVIOUSLY SIGNED A LIABILITY WAIVER PLEASE REMEMBER TO SIGN THE LIABILITY WAIVER *******

**SIGNED WAIVER MUST BE INCLUDED WITH YOUR REGISTRATION FORM
STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

I, the undersigned, hereby agree to hold Saguaro Scramblers Dog Agility Club Inc., its members, directors and officers, and Pima County (Arthur Pack Park) and/or City of Tucson (Reid Park) harmless from any claim for damage, loss, or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of my dog(s) while participating in any Saguaro Scrambler club sponsored activity. I hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, sustained by any person or persons, including myself or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my participation during training.

I understand that agility training is an activity that is held in the presence of other dogs and their owners. I understand that participation in agility training will require some physical activity on my part and on the part of my dog. I also understand that this activity will involve running, jumping, and the use of obstacles such as teeters, A-frames, tunnels, scaling planks, jumps and tires and other obstacles which could result in injury to me, to my dog, or to others.

I represent that I am in good health and my dog is in good health; that my dog(s) is friendly and not a hazard to other persons or dogs; that I will examine the equipment provided for the class, along with the premises, prior to permitting my dog to engage in agility activities, and that I will participate at my own risk.

I also hereby confirm that any dog that I bring to any Saguaro Scramblers Club sponsored activity is current on all vaccinations and has no communicable diseases.

Signature of handler: _____

Signature of owner if different from handler: _____

Signature of parent of guardian if handler is a minor:

(Minors are required to be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times.)

Date: _____

Release for dog less than 15 months of age.

Dogs should be at least 15 months old due to growth plate development, attention and lack of obedience control. If the dog is less than 15 months of age, a release must be signed by the owner and submitted to the club.

I understand that my dog is less than 15 months of age, and I will not hold Saguaro Scramblers Agility Club responsible for any injuries incurred or any future injuries resulting from jumping or obstacle execution at a young age as a result of using the club's agility equipment.

Signature of owner. Must be 18 years or older to sign.

Date