

SAGUARO SCRAMBLERS

NADAC AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST

Saturday and Sunday
February 17 and 18, 2018

Pima County Fairgrounds
11300 S. Houghton Rd.
Tucson, AZ 85747

Livestock Barn - indoors
Dirt horse arena

(1 judge, 2 rings running alternately)

Start time 9:00 AM both days



Mixed Trial

CLASSES OFFERED EACH DAY

Sat : 2 Regulars, 2 Jumpers, 2 TG (Double Run Format)

Sun: 2 Regulars, 2 Chances, 2 Tunnelers (Double Format)

Standard, Veterans and Junior Handlers offered in Regular, Chances and Jumpers
Standard, Veterans and Veteran Handlers offered in Special Skills classes each day

JUDGE

Kari Hammargren from Graham, WA
supervised by Roger Coor

ENTRIES WILL CLOSE 6:00 PM, February 10, 2018

The number of runs is limited to 400 runs each day
(350 with jumps)

Overnight delivery entries must be sent with **no signature** required.

CLICK2 RUN will not be available for this trial.

Additional copies of premiums and entry forms can be downloaded from the Saguaro Scramblers website at [HTTP://WWW.SCRAMBLERS.ORG](http://www.scramblers.org)

This will be a containerized trial.

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Trial Chairman: Morene Brown, 4049 N. 4th Ave., Tucson, AZ 85705
Email: moreneb@msn.com
Trial Secretary: Sheryl Katzen 4068 W. Still Canyon Pass Tucson AZ 85745 520-743-1575

(Contact for Information) wooloo@comcast.net

Chief Course Builder: Roger Coor
Chief Ring Steward: Mary Anne Coleman
Show Hospitality: Leslie Carle
Equipment: Kirsten Lake

DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE

The fairgrounds are located 17 miles east of downtown Tucson.

From I-10 take Exit 275 for **Houghton** Rd and proceed south for 1-1/4 miles to Brekke Rd. Turn west (right) on Brekke Rd and enter at the Brekke Rd entrance. Follow the signs to the livestock building. The rings will be set up inside this year. Stalls will be available to use for crating your dogs.

VETERINARIAN

Valley Animal Hospital
4984 E 22nd St
Tucson, AZ
(520) 748-0331

AWARDS:

Placement ribbons will be awarded to first through fourth place in all jump heights in all classes except Chances which is pass/fail. Qualifying rosettes will be awarded for each qualifying run. Rosettes will be awarded for those finishing a title.

The Judi Award will be presented at this trial.

There will also be a "no-qualifying" raffle each day.

All awards and prizes must be claimed the day of the trial – none will be mailed.

CLASS CHANGES

If you wish to move your dog up to a higher class you must notify the trial secretary before 6 pm, February 14. Move-ups will be allowed from day to day at the trial within 30 minutes of the end of the class.

CHECK-IN, Judges Briefing and Start Times

Check-In for measurement on Saturday and Sunday morning will be 8:15. You only need to check in once. Dogs running in Skilled and those who have a card on file with us do **NOT** need to check in. **All dogs running in Proficient without a permanent height card must be measured unless running in the 20" or 20+ jump heights or 16" Vet/JH or have a breed exempt dog.**

The General Briefing will happen after the first two rounds of elite run have finished each day. First dog on the line will be 9 A.M.

FOOD

We have a very well stocked Hospitality room. Lunch will be provided free to workers and all others for a small fee.

EQUIPMENT

We use **rubber** contact equipment and **electronic** timers with automatic eyes.

CONFIRMATIONS

Confirmations will be sent within a week of the secretary receiving your complete payment. If you do not receive one please contact the secretary. You are responsible for checking your confirmation and notifying the secretary of any necessary changes before the trial. **No** changes will be made on Saturday. Move-ups will be allowed for Sunday.

ATTN: POTENTIAL VENDORS

Anyone planning to sell merchandise or services at the site must contact the show chair, Morene Brown, well in advance to make arrangements. Morene can be reached at moreneb@msn.com

RVs

RVs may park and stay overnight at the Fairgrounds. It is now first come first served. Their fee is \$20 a night or dry camping is \$12 a night. Parking is only allowed in the designated RV area, **no overnight parking is allowed at the barn**. Failure to comply will result in being excused from the show.

MOTELS THAT ACCEPT WELL-BEHAVED DOGS

Pet policies at local hotels allowing dogs vary considerably. Please, be sure to confirm details with the hotel when making reservations. We highly recommend you do not stay at a hotel south of I-10, since it is a high crime rate area, unless it is at the airport. These come from <http://hotels.petswelcome.com/arizona/tucson/>

- La Quinta Inn, Tucson East, 6404 E Broadway, (520)747-1414
- La Quinta Inn, Tucson Airport, 7001 S. Tucson Blvd., (520)573-3333
- Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites, 4550 S. Palo Verde Rd., 1-877-865-6578
- Holiday Inn Express, Tucson Airport, 2548 Medina Rd., 877-929-0818
- Quality Inn, Airport North, 5251 S. Julian Dr., 855-738-5257
- TownePlace Suites, Airport, 6595 S. Bay Colony Dr.

ENTRY FEES INFORMATION

CLICK2RUN is NOT available for this trial. Paper entries only.

Cost per run: \$14 or \$15 on Day of Show.

You may pay 20% of your entry with scrip (rounded to the nearest dollar)

The computer program adjusts your amount owed if you don't pay enough in real money per run. If you do use scrip or choose to mail your payment, the secretary must receive your full payment through the mail before you are officially entered in the trial.

Note: Checks are not deposited until after closing (February 10).

Tentative Run Order

Saturday – Ring 1 - Double Run Format	Saturday – Ring 2 - Double Run Format
Reg 1,2 (E-E-O-O-N-N-I-I)	
	Jumpers 1,2 (E-E-O-O-N-N-I-I)
TG 1,2 (E-E-O-O-N-N-I-I)	

Sunday – Ring 1 - Double Run Format	Sunday – Ring 2 - Double Run Format
Reg 3,4 (E-E-O-O-N-N-I-I)	
	Tunnelers 1,2 (E-E-O-O-N-N-I-I)
Chances 1,2 (E-E-O-O-N-N-I-I)	

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 files section of the (<http://www.nadacforum.com>) list 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. 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 banked 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.

Proficient/ Skilled Categories:

Each class will be split into two categories: Proficient and Skilled. In the Skilled category a dog **must** be entered at a jump height 4" lower than indicated by the current jump height table. There is no 20" jump height in the Skilled Division. No dog may be entered at less than 4". This will enable a dog to receive a higher SCT if a dog moves from large dog time to medium or from medium to small dog time. In the Regular class a dog entered in both Skilled and Proficient may qualify with 5 points or less faults. A dog may only be entered in one category for the trial.

Veteran/Disabled Handlers:

Handlers that are 60 years or older or disabled may enter their dogs at the Vet division. This will give the dog 10% more in SCT. You must enter all classes and all dogs as a Vet Handler.

Containerized Trial

This will be a containerized trial: no one may leave treats or toys around loose, either at ringside or at their set up. You may carry treats in a container in your zippered pocket when you run. You may not indicate to the dog that you have them nor treat the dog until you are at least 10 feet from the ring.

Double Run Format

The same course is used for both rounds. There is only one walk-through before the first round. As soon as the first round is finished the second round is run immediately.

Jump Heights

Dogs entered in the Proficient Category must jump at the minimum jump height specified by the following table. Dogs entering the Skilled Category must jump one jump height lower than the heights listed in the table and they will run against the Standard Course Time of that jump height and will be placed with those dogs.

	Small Dogs		Medium Dogs	Large Dogs	
Standard Division	Withers 11" & under jump 8"	Withers 14" & under jump 12"	Withers 18" & under jump 16"	Withers 20" & under jump 20"	Withers over 20" are in the 20+ class & jump 20"
Junior Handler Division	Withers 11" & under jump 4"	Withers 14" & under jump 8"	Withers 18" & under jump 12"	Withers over 18" jump 16" (may NOT jump higher in this division)	
Veterans Division	Withers 11" & under jump 4"	Withers 14" & under jump 8"	Withers 18" & under jump 12"	Withers over 18" jump 16" (may NOT jump higher in this division)	

As of January-2014: Dogs must enter the Veterans Division in all jumping classes after their 9th birthday. After their 12th birthday, dogs must enter the Skilled Category, Veterans Division for jumping classes and Skilled Category for non-jumping classes.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- Exhibitors through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations including, but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:
- Current Jump Height Table, Breed Exemption List, description of classes, levels, and divisions are included in the current Exhibitors Handbook.
- A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadac.com
- Bitches in heat, lame, or blind dogs are ineligible for entry, as is any dog with a deformity which may cause a judge to not be able to reasonably assess the dog's ability to function and perform agility obstacles safely, and in a manner that is in the best interest, health and welfare of the dog.
- Any dog which demonstrates aggression towards any person or any dog, whether inside the ring or outside the ring, must be excused from the agility trial. Any dog which the judge feels is not in enough control to perform all obstacles in a safe manner will be excused from the agility trial.
- This trial is open to any dog at least eighteen months of age, including purebred and non-purebred.
- No leads, collars, toys, or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course or within 10 feet of the ring entrance. The only exception to this rule is leading your dog on leash to the start, then handing the leash to a ring steward.
- **All dogs must be on leash when not competing in the ring**, and must be contained unless being prepared to run or using the designated practice area. They must not be allowed to bother the horses!
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- Only one dog may be off leash in the ring at all times. Handlers will be given permission to start from the judge after the previous dog is leashed. At that time the handler may then take off the dog's leash.
- The organizing committee may 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 or Saguaro Scramblers will not be allowed entry into the trial.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- There shall be no refunds for entries in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal.
- A withdrawal from the trial after closing date due to an injury and/or illness to the dog and/or handler will be eligible for a refund up to 75% of the total entry fee paid. Bitches which come in season after the closing date will be eligible for a refund up to 75% of the total entry fee paid. A veterinarian's or doctor's notice of injury or illness will be required for a refund.
- 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 organizing committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no fees shall be refunded.
- There will be a \$20.00 service charge for any returned check. Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee.
- All crates and exercise pens are to be setup only in designated areas. Each exhibitor is responsible for cleaning up his own setup.
- All handlers for a given class should be present at ring side at least 30 minutes prior to the start of scheduled classes for walk through and briefing. Any dog and handler not present when called will be ineligible to run.
- Any dog that fouls the ring more than once will be excused from the remainder of the competition for that day.
- No drinking of alcoholic beverages or swearing is permitted.
- No harsh handling of dogs is permitted.

Your dog MUST be registered with NADAC to compete in this trial.

Go to www.nadac.com to register your dog.

SAGUARO SCRAMBLERS AGILITY CLUB

Owner/Handler Information

Name: _____ **Address:** _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____ **Phone:** _____

E-MAIL: _____

(Please print legibly)

Vet (Senior – 60 or over or Disabled) Handler

AGREEMENT

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

1.1 As used here, "NADAC" means the North American Dog Agility Council, LLC., its affiliate clubs and each of their members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.

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

1.3 Exhibitor/owner certify 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 dogs 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 thereof, 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 release NADAC (including NADAC officers, directors employees and members), Saguaro Scramblers Agility Club (including Saguaro Scramblers Agility Club officers, directors, and members, and event organizing committee), and Pima County (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 event or event premises.

Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for and agree 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.

I have read, understood, and acknowledge the above Agreement

Signature of Owner / Exhibitor Date

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian (if Minor) Date

Total Number of Runs for all dogs – same family (from page 8)	
Cost per run: \$14 or \$15 on Day of Show (You may pay 20% of your entry with scrip rounded to the nearest dollar) Total amount due	
Total Enclosed (Checks payable to SSAC)	

Mail entries to: Sheryl Katzen, SSAC Show Secretary, 4068 W. Still Canyon Pass, Tucson, AZ 85745

Dog Information

CALL NAME: _____ NADAC #: _____

SEX: _____ BREED: _____ BIRTHDATE: _____

Handler, if not owner: _____ DOG'S HEIGHT: _____

Category entered: **PROFICIENT or SKILLED** Height you actually want your dog to jump _____

Event	Division				Level				Days		# of Runs
	Std	Vet D	VH	JH	Intro	Nov	Open	Elite	Sat	Sun	
Regular 1											
Regular 2											
Chances 1											
Chances 2											
Jumpers 1											
Jumpers 2											
TouchNGo 1											
TouchNGo 2											
Tunnelers 1											
Tunnelers 2											
										Total Runs	