

TRIAL INFORMATION



Gateway Agility Club of Suburban St Louis

Friday, March 2, 2012
Saturday, March 3, 2012
Sunday, March 4, 2012

The Sports Academy
 101 The Game Dr
 Glen Carbon, IL 62234

Trials will be held indoors on soccer turf
 Two 85' x 110' rings

Trial Secretary

Carolyn Johnson
 Lab Tested Secretary Services
 AKC Annually Licensed Agility Trial Secretary



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Veterinarian On Call

Horseshoe Lake Animal Hospital
 5230 Horseshoe Lake Rd
 Collinsville, IL 62234
 618-344-7949

Thursday 8 am - 8 pm, Friday 8 am - 5 pm, Saturday 8:30 am - 2 pm

Animal Emergency Center
 2005 Mall St
 Collinsville, IL 62234
 618-346-1843
 Thursday - Friday: 6 pm - 8 am
 Saturday at Noon - Monday at 8 am

Trial Chair

Frank LaFata
 6 Collins Ct, St Charles, MO 63303
 636-947-1496
 heyfj@sbcglobal.net

Event Committee

Frank LaFata	Trial Chair
Wendy Culbertson	Awards Chair
Jeri Frye	Hospitality Chair
Tricia Hogan	Volunteer Chair
John Rowe	Equipment Chair

Judges & Assignments

Christie Bowers #64762	Kitty A Bradley #53111
PO Box 320, South Prairie, WA 98385	605 Emporia Dr, Boulder, CO 80305

	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
Standard	Christie Bowers	Kitty Bradley	Christie Bowers
JWW	Kitty Bradley	Christie Bowers	Kitty Bradley
T2B 4"-16"	Christie Bowers	Christie Bowers	<i>Not offered</i>
T2B 20"-26"	Kitty Bradley	Kitty Bradley	<i>Not offered</i>

NOTE: T2B course is designed by the Standard judge each day.

NOTE: Judging Change for Saturday. In order to balance the judging load, Christie Bowers will judge all 4" and the Preferred 8" Excellent A Standard runs on Saturday. Any exhibitor whose dog is entered in the above classes/jumps may withdraw his/her entry due to this judging change and receive a refund.

Running Order

Class Order - Regular and Preferred will be run together at each height.

Friday	Ring 1: Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard
	Ring 2: Novice JWW, Open JWW, Excellent JWW, Time 2 Beat
Saturday	Ring 1: Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard
	Ring 2: Novice JWW, Open JWW, Excellent JWW, Time 2 Beat
Sunday	Ring 1: Excellent Standard, Open Standard, Novice Standard
	Ring 2: Novice JWW, Open JWW, Excellent JWW

Jump Order

Friday	26", 24", 20", 16", 12", 8", 4"
Saturday	4", 8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 26"
Sunday	26", 24", 20", 16", 12", 8", 4"

Start Times

All days	Ring 1	Walkthrough/judge's briefing	Judging starts
	Ring 2	7:30 am	8:00 am
		8:00 am	8:30 am

Motel Information

Please verify pet policy when making reservations.

1. **Motel 6**, 552 Ramada Blvd, Collinsville, IL 62234
618-345-9500, 800-466-8356
2. **Drury Inn**, 602 N Bluff Rd, Collinsville, IL 62234
800-325-0720, 618-345-7700, 800-378-7946
3. **Extended Stay Suites**, 6 Gateway Dr, Collinsville, IL 62234
618-345-0800
4. **Super 8**, 4141 Timberlake Dr, Pontoon Beach, IL 62040
618-931-8808
5. **Best Western Camelot Inn**, 305 Salem Place, Fairview Hts, IL 62208
618-624-3636
6. **Super 8**, 910 Edwardsville Rd, Troy, IL 62294
618-667-8888
7. **Super 8**, 45 Ludwig Dr, Fairview Hts, IL 62208
618-398-8338
8. **Red Roof Inn**, 2030 Formosa Rd, Troy, IL 62294
618-667-2222
9. **Holiday Inn Express**, 14 Regency Park Dr, Pontoon Beach, IL 62040
888-465-4329, 618-797-1200

RVs

RV parking is available at the trial site. Registration and payment MUST be made in advance. Fee is \$15 per night. There are NO electric hookups or dumping station at The Sports Academy. Contact Frank LaFata, 636-947-1496 or heyfj@sbcglobal.net for reservations. Reservation form is provided on next page.

Local RV Parks:

St Louis NE / Granite City KOA, 3157 W Chain of Rocks Rd, Granite City, IL 62040, 800-562-5861, 618-931-5160, www.koa.com/where/mo/13107/

All exhibitors must be responsible for cleaning up after their dogs on the motel, RV and trial grounds. Motels require that dogs be crated when unattended. Any damages to motels, RV sites or the trial site can result in disciplinary action by the Event Committee. It is expected that exhibitors will clean up immediately after their own dogs and strongly encourage others to do the same.

All owners/exhibitors should be aware that the entire motel grounds and RV sites are considered within the trial grounds. You will be responsible for all damage to your room/site and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC. Any abuse of the grounds will be brought to the attention of the trial-giving club and its Event Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel or RV facilities. This is an AKC supported measure.

Directions

From the North: Take I-55 South to I-270 West.

From the East: Take I-70 West to I-270 West.

From both directions: Proceed on 270 West to Illinois Hwy 157 at exit 9. Turn Left off I-270 and take 157 South to The Game Drive, approximately ¼ mile on the right, across from the Hampton Inn.

From the South: Take I-55 North to I-255 East/North to I-270 East.

From the West: Take I-70 East or I-44 East to I-270 North/East.

From both directions: Proceed on I-270 East to Illinois Hwy 157 at exit 9. Turn Right off I-270 and take 157 South to The Game Drive, approximately ¼ mile on the right, across from the Hampton Inn.

Live to Run Again

Gateway Agility Club of Suburban St Louis supports the **Live to Run Again** program. This program is designed to use audio books to assist the driver to remain awake during travel to and from agility trials.

The Live to Run Again Campaign was founded and launched by Tail Blazers Agility Club in memory of Jane Callaghy, one of its founding members. The Campaign is now a non-profit organization in Pennsylvania dedicated to national public education about drowsy driving.

On the afternoon of April 1, 2001, while returning from a competition, an admired agility competitor and dog enthusiast died in a tragic auto accident when the driver of her vehicle fell asleep at the wheel. Out of this terrible, and preventable, tragedy emerged the LRA Campaign, which is a volunteer-driven organization committed to raising awareness of the importance of driving alert and rested.

Audio books will be available at this trial.

To learn more about the program, visit Live to Run Again website
www.livetorunagain.org

Vendors

Vendors should contact Frank LaFata at 636-947-1496 or heyfj@sbcglobal.net . Vendor fee is \$25 per day (\$45 with electricity). All vendors must reserve space prior to the trial.

GAC VOLUNTEER WORKER FORM

Volunteers will be needed for the smooth running of this trial. To volunteer to help, please fill out the form below and return with your entry to the Trial Secretary. Volunteer workers will be gratefully acknowledged with lunch.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I can help with the following jobs during the following classes / jump divisions

Jobs	Fri	Sat	Sun	Classes	4-8-12	16	20	24-26
Course builder	___	___	___	Nov Std	___	___	___	___
Gate steward	___	___	___	Open Std	___	___	___	___
Scribe	___	___	___	Exc Std	___	___	___	___
Timer	___	___	___	Nov JWW	___	___	___	___
Combiner	___	___	___	Open JWW	___	___	___	___
Other	___	___	___	Exc JWW	___	___	___	___
				Time 2 Beat	___	___	___	___

NOTE: