

SAGUARO SCRAMBLERS

NADAC AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST

Friday, Saturday, Sunday
March 16 – March 18, 2012



Ora Mae Harn Park
13250 N Lon Adams Rd.
Marana, AZ 85718

[View on Google Maps](http://www.marana.com/index.aspx?nid=764)
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Outside - On grass
(2 rings running simultaneously)

**Starting time is 4:00 pm on Friday and
8:00 am on Sat and Sun.**

Mixed Trial CLASSES OFFERED EACH DAY

Fri: 2 Hoopers(1 Strategic, 1 Numbered), 2 Weavers

Sat and Sun: 2 Regulars, Chances, Jumpers, TG, Tunnelers

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

JUDGES

Ken Perlmutter of Sylmar, CA
Jeff Riedl of Hortonville, Wisconsin

Early-bird discount for entries received by February 18, 2012

ENTRIES WILL CLOSE 6:00 PM, March 2, 2012

The number of runs is limited to 350 runs per judge per day.

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

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: Judi Gandolfi, 2991 N. Melpomene Way, Tucson, AZ 85749, (520) 603-8156
(Contact for Information) judigandolfi@cox.net (520) 749-5921

Chief Ring Stewards: Leslie Carle with Lindsey Heins, Mary Anne Coleman with Liz Schwartz
Awards: Betsy Wolf
Show Hospitality: Carol Beagle, Jane Nichols
Chief Course Builders: Roger Coor, Jeannine Doepke
Chief Scorekeeper: Sheryl Katzen
Equipment: Chrissy and Chris Donovan

DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE

FROM THE NORTH (PHOENIX) OR THE SOUTH (TUCSON)

- Take Exit 236 at Marana, AZ
- Turn right (from Phoenix) or left (from Tucson) on N. Sandario Rd.
- Take second left at I-10 Frontage Rd (the first left is the freeway entrance).
- In 0.5 mi. turn right on N. McDuff Rd.
- In 0.2 mi. turn left at W. Grier Rd.
- In 305 ft. take right onto N. Lon Adams Rd.
- Park entrance is on the left in 0.4 mi.

VETERINARIAN

Veterinary Specialty Center
4909 N La Canada Dr, Tucson
520-795-9955
West on River Rd (about 2 miles) to La Canada, left on La Canada to address

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. Special tokens are awarded for a handler's very first qualifying run. There will also be a "no-qualifying" raffle for each level and 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, March 7. Move-ups will be allowed from day to day at the trial.

CHECK-IN, Judges Briefing and Start Times

Check-In is at 3:15 – 3:30 pm on Friday afternoon, 7:00 – 7:15 am on Saturday and Sunday. 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. Also dogs jumping 16" in the Vet or JH division and dogs listed on the Height Exemption List do not need to be measured. **All dogs running in Proficient without a permanent height card must be measured unless running in the 20" or 20+ jump heights.**

Start time for Friday evening is 4 pm. If you can not make it until 5:30 pm then sign up for Round 2 of Hoopers and Weavers. We will do our best to accommodate you making your runs including having a possible second walk-through.

The General Judges Briefing is around 7:40 am on Saturday. First dog on the line will be at 8:00 am Saturday and Sunday.

FOOD

There will be a vendor on site offering breakfast and lunch.

EQUIPMENT

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

CONFIRMATIONS AND GROUP ASSIGNMENTS

Confirmations will be sent within a week of the secretary receiving them. 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. Group assignments will be done after closing and you will be notified of yours within a week of the trial. We use NCR sheets for scribing.

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

RV PARKING

Self-contained vehicles may park overnight at the trial site. There is no charge. Please fill out the RV form on page 6 and return with your entry.

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.

Motel 6 – Tucson North	4630 W Ina Rd	(520)744-9300
Red Roof Inn – Tucson North	4940 W Ina Rd	(520)744-8199
Travelodge – Tucson	4910 W Ina Rd.	(520)744-3382
La Quinta Inn & Suites - NW	6020 W. Hospitality Rd.	(520)572-4235

ENTRY FEES INFORMATION – based on day entry is received

Individual Runs

Early bird discount \$11 per run if entry is received before **February 18**.

All classes \$12 per run if entry is received between **February 19** and **March 2 (closing)**.

Junior Handler: \$5 per run.

Vet Handler: \$9.50 per run.

Weekend (3 day) package: Early bird discount \$150 per dog if entry is received by **February 18**.

\$155 per dog if entry is received before closing.

Additional runs for other dogs \$10 each.

(4 Regular, 2 Jumpers, 2 Chances, 2 Touch N Go, 2 Tunnelers, 2 Weavers, 2 Hoopers)

Weekend (2 day) package: Early bird discount \$117 per dog if entry is received by **February 18**.

\$120 per dog if entry is received before closing.

Additional runs for other dogs \$10 each.

(4 Regular, 2 Jumpers, 2 Chances, 2 Touch N Go, 2 Tunnelers)

Late Entries

Will only be accepted if there is room.

All classes \$14 per run if entry is received after **closing** and only if permitted.

All classes \$15 per run if day of show entries are permitted.

No package rate and must be in real money (no show bucks, etc)

\$7 per run must be in real money; the rest can be in show bucks, ribbon coupons, etc.

Note: Checks are not deposited until after closing (March 2).

In order to run a stress-free trial for both the handlers and volunteer workers we will divide up into two groups, A and B. Each handler with all of his/her dogs will be assigned to one group. So only one dog from group A will run at a time and only one from group B will run at a time. There will be no conflicts.

Tentative Run Order

Friday – Ring 1	Friday – Ring 2
Hoopers 1(Strategic) – Elite – B	Weavers 1 – Elite - A
Hoopers 1(Strategic) – Elite - A	Weavers 1 – Elite - B
Hoopers 1(Strategic) – Open - A	Weavers 1 – Open B
Hoopers 1(Strategic) - Open - B	Weavers 1 – Open A
Hoopers 1(Strategic) – Novice - B	Weavers 1 – Novice – A
Hoopers 1(Strategic) – Novice - A	Weavers 1 – Novice - B
Hoopers 2(Numbered) – Elite - A	Weavers 2 – Elite - B
Hoopers 2(Numbered) – Elite - B	Weavers 2 – Elite - A
Hoopers 2(Numbered)- Open - B	Weavers 2 – Open - A
Hoopers 2(Numbered) – Open - A	Weavers 2 – Open - B
Hoopers 2(Numbered) – Novice - A	Weavers 2 – Novice - B
Hoopers 2(Numbered) – Novice - B	Weavers 2- Novice - A

Saturday – Ring 1	Saturday – Ring 2
Jumpers - Elite – B	Tunnelers – Elite – A
Jumpers - Elite – A	Tunnelers – Elite – B
Jumpers – Open – A	Tunnelers – Open – B
Jumpers – Open – B	Tunnelers – Open – A
Jumpers – Novice – B	Tunnelers – Novice – A
Jumpers – Novice – A	Tunnelers – Novice – B
Chances – Elite - A	TG – Elite – B
Chances – Elite – B	TG – Elite – A
Chances – Open - B	TG – Open – A
Chances – Open - A	TG – Open – B
Chances – Novice - A	TG – Novice – B
Chances – Novice - B	TG – Novice - A
Reg 1 Elite – B	Reg 2 Elite – A
Reg 1 Elite – A	Reg 2 Elite – B
Reg 2 Open – A	Reg 1 Open – B
Reg 2 Open – B	Reg 1 Open – A
Reg 1 Novice – B	Reg 2 Novice – A
Reg 1 Novice – A	Reg 2 Novice – B

Sunday – Ring 1	Sunday – Ring 2
Reg 3 Elite – A	Reg 4 – Elite – B
Reg 3 – Elite – B	Reg 4 – Elite – A
Reg 3 – Open – B	Reg 4 – Open – A
Reg 3 – Open – A	Reg 4 – Open – B
Reg 3 – Novice – A	Reg 4 – Novice – B
Reg 3 – Novice – B	Reg 4 – Novice – A
Chances - Elite – B	TG – Elite – A
Chances – Elite – A	TG – Elite – B
Chances - Open – A	TG – Open – B
Chances – Open - B	TG – Open – A
Chances - Novice – B	TG – Novice – A
Chances – Novice – A	TG – Novice – B
Jumpers – Elite – A	Tunnelers – Elite – B
Jumpers – Elite – B	Tunnelers – Elite – A
Jumpers – Open – B	Tunnelers – Open – A
Jumpers – Open – A	Tunnelers – Open B
Jumpers – Novice – A	Tunnelers – Novice – B
Jumpers – Novice – B	Tunnelers – Novice – A

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 NADACagility@yahogroups.com list within two weeks after the NADAC office receives them from the club. The trial results will remain on the list for at least thirty (30) days. Please accept the responsibility to review those results, and check that your registration number and qualifying points, as reported by the club, are correct. You can join the www.NADACagility@yahogroups.com list and set your settings to "no mail". You will be able to view trial results and check for any possible discrepancies, without receiving list mail. 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 Skilled may qualify with 5 points or less faults. A dog may only be entered in one category for the trial.

Veteran/Disabled Handlers:

CLASSES – VETERAN OR DISABLED HANDLER

Handlers who are 60 years or older, or who have a disability that restricts mobility, may choose to enter the nonjumping classes as a Veteran Handler and receive 10% more standard course time. This option is for Veteran/Disabled handlers in the nonjumping classes only.

The Veteran/Disabled Handler division is designed for handlers who, due to age or impairment, are mobility limited and need extra time to guide their canine partners through an agility course.

When entering as a Veteran/Disabled Handler, you must enter all dogs in all classes for the entire trial in this Division and must jump 4" lower than your Proficient, Standard Division jump height requires. In the nonjumping classes, dogs will be scored and placed with their Standard Division jump height.

We have a Vet Handler discount of \$9.50 per run.

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)	

RV Parking Reservation

Self-contained vehicles may park overnight at the trial site.

Please check the dates needed.

Friday, March 16 _____ Saturday, March 17 _____

Vehicle Description _____

License Plate # _____ State _____ Drivers license # _____

Name: _____

Address _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Return with your trial entry.

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
- Exhibitors may request a hard copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook by sending \$5.00 to:
North American Dog Agility Council, PO Box 1206, Colbert, OK 74733
Info@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, food, 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.
- 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 will be eligible for a refund up to 75% of the total entry fee paid. A veterinarian's notice of injury or illness will be required for a refund. Bitches which come in season after the closing date will be eligible for a refund up to 75% of the total entry fee paid.
- 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.
- This will be a containerized trial: no one may leave treats or toys around loose, either at ringside or at their set up.

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 (Applies to Special Skills Classes and special fee)

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, Inc., 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 Marana, AZ (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 (from page 9)	
See page 3 for daily fees and package rates Total amount due	
Scrambler Dollars/ Ribbon Coupons/ Special Coupons	—
Total Enclosed (Checks payable to SSAC) (Minimum \$7 per run by check or cash to cover trial expenses)	

Mail entries to: Judi Gandolfi, Trial Secretary, 2991 N. Melpomene Way, Tucson, AZ 85749

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			TOTAL Runs
	JH	VET	STD	Novice	Open	Elite	FRI	SAT	SUN	
Chances										
Jumpers										
Regular 1										
Regular 2										
TouchNGo	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Tunnelers	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Hoopers 1(Strategic)	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Hoopers 2(Numbered)	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Weavers 1	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Weavers 2	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Total Number of Runs										

Make sure you sign the agreement and complete the fee table on page 8

Dog Information (for second dog)

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			TOTAL Runs
	JH	VET	STD	Novice	Open	Elite	FRI	SAT	SUN	
Chances										
Jumpers										
Regular 1										
Regular 2										
TouchNGo	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Tunnelers	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Hoopers 1(Strategic)	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Hoopers 2(Numbered)	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Weavers 1	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Weavers 2	<input type="checkbox"/> VH		<input type="checkbox"/> Std							
Total Number of Runs										

Please Help With Our Trial!

Listed below are several ways you can help us with our trial. Please complete the form and return it with your entry. Thanks in advance for your help.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____

CHECK CLASSES IN WHICH YOUR DOGS ARE ENTERED:

	Friday			Saturday			Sunday			Your Dog(s) Jump Height(s)
	Elite	Open	Novice	Elite	Open	Novice	Elite	Open	Novice	
Regular 1										
Regular 2										
Chances										
Jumpers										
Touch 'N Go										
Tunnelers										
Hoopers 1(Strategic)										
Hoopers 2(Numbered)										
Weavers 1										
Weavers 2										

Please check days and positions with which you are willing to help:

Fri	Sat	Sun	Description
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	ANYTHING. Person who is familiar with OR willing to learn any of the jobs below.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	TIMEKEEPER. Person who uses stopwatch to time each dog for an entire class.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	SCRIBE. Person who watches the judge and marks faults on the scribe sheet.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	GATE STEWARD. Person who maintains running order of dogs and keeps dogs moving in timely, orderly fashion.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	RING STEWARD(aka Pole Setter). Person who adjusts bar heights, resets dropped bars, straightens chutes, etc.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	COURSE BUILDER. Person who assists the Chief Course Builder(s) to build courses.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	SCRIBE RUNNER. Person who takes scribe sheets from scribe to score table.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	LEASH RUNNER. Person who takes leashes from the start line to the finish line.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	SCORE TABLE ASST. Person who assists Chief Scorer with calculating and or posting scores.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	SET-UP ASST. Person who helps set up the rings initially the afternoon/evening before. (Fri)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	TAKE-DOWN ASST. Person who helps take down the rings and load the trailer at the end of the trial. (Sun)