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FOR THE PACU  
CHAMPIONS  
CHALLENGE CUP INFO**



Code to Agility  
Gate: 1105

Palmetto Agility Club of the Upstate  
March 20-22, 2026

T.Ed Garrison Arena  
1101 West Queen St., Pendleton, SC 29670

Trial Information

**Thursday: Set up begins at 3:00 P.M.**

**If you can help us to set up, we will be very grateful!**

### **VETERINARY SERVICES**

#### **Magnolia Veterinary Hospital**

2828 E. North Ave. Anderson, SC 29625

Phone: 864.222.2188

Appointment hours: M-F: 8 a.m.-5:40 p.m. Sat 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

#### **Emergency hours:**

M-F: 6 p.m.-midnight, Sat: Noon-midnight, Sun: 8 a.m.-midnight

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**\*\*\*\*\*For emergencies outside normal business hours\*\*\*\*\***

#### **Animal Emergency Clinic**

393 Woods Lake Rd, Greenville, SC 29607 Greenville

864-232-1878

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

### **DIRECTIONS**

**Note: Follow signs to the arena when you turn onto Queen Street. Your GPS may guide you WRONG!**

**From the South:** Take I-85 exit 14 and go left on Hwy 187 North. Proceed 5.9 miles. Turn left on Hwy 76/28 West. Go 2.1 miles. Turn LEFT on Queen St. Arena will be on your left in .5 miles. Enter at Arena Parking sign.

**From the North:** Take I-85 exit 19B (hwy 76/28 West) and go 7.7 miles. Turn LEFT on Queen St; facility will be on your left in .5 miles. Enter at Arena Parking sign.

**From Clemson:** From hwy 123, take Hwy 76/28 East and go 3.3 miles. Turn RIGHT on Queen St. Arena will be on your left in .5 miles. Enter are Arena Parking Sign

# RUNNING ORDER

FRIDAY Small to Tall	SATURDAY Tall to Small	SUNDAY Small to Tall
<b>Ring 1:</b> Darryl Warren	<b>Ring 1:</b> Joel Basa	<b>Ring 1:</b> Darryl Warren
Time 2 Beat Premier Standard Master/Exc Standard Open Standard Novice Standard	Premier Standard Master/Exc Standard Open Standard Nov Standard	Nov Standard Open Standard Premier Standard Master/Exc Standard
<b>Ring 2:</b> Joel Basa	<b>Ring 2:</b> Darryl Warren	<b>Ring 2:</b> Joel Basa
Master/Open/Nov FAST Nov JWW Open JWW Master/Exc JWW Premier JWW	Master/Open/Nov FAST Nov JWW Open JWW Master/Exc JWW Premier JWW <b>RING 1 &amp; 2 Combined</b> PACU C3 Challengers PACU C3 Finals	Time 2 Beat Nov JWW Open JWW Master/Exc JWW Premier JWW

This is the expected running order, adjustments may need to be made depending on number of entered runs, or other considerations.

WE WILL NOT BE ISSUING ARMBAND STICKERS AT THE TRIAL.

An estimated Timeline and Running Order with marked walk-through splits will be posted to the trial secretary's website

<https://sunriseagility.com/2024/10/11/march-14-16-akc-palmetto-agility-club-of-the-upstate/>

### Walk and Running Order for FAST classes :

Walk ALL levels of FAST together. Run ALL Levels of FAST combined.

#### Friday

**Ring 1 will begin running at 8:00 (walk at 7:45)-Time 2 Beat**  
**Ring 2 will begin running at 8:15 (walk at 8:00) Master/Exc FAST**

#### Saturday

**Ring 1 will begin running at 8:30 (walk at 8:15)-Premier Standard**  
**Ring 2 will begin running at 8:00 (walk at 7:45) Master/Exc FAST**

#### Sunday

**Ring 1 will begin running at 8:30 (walk at 8:15)-Premier Standard**  
**Ring 2 will begin running at 8:00 (walk at 7:45) Time 2 Beat**

**ALL SPLITS FOR WALKING THE COURSE WILL BE MARKED ON THE RUNNING ORDER THAT WILL BE POSTED BOTH ON SUNRISE AGILITY'S WEBSITE, AND IN THE ARENA.**

**SPLIT WALKS WILL ALSO BE MARKED IN THE AGILITY-GATE-APP.**

**AS ALWAYS: IF YOU HAVE A RING CONFLICT WALK WITH AN EARLIER GROUP AND WORK WITH THE GATE STEWARD TO MOVE YOU.**

**COURSE WALK-THROUGH** – Large classes will have split walk-thru. Please be sure to check the running order for your walk group.

**COURSE MAPS** - for each day will be posted each morning at the trial site. Course maps will also be posted on Agility Gate with the daily running order. NO INDIVIDUAL PAPER MAPS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR COMPETITORS.

**CHECK-IN - USE AGILITY GATE ON YOUR PHONE TO CHECK YOURSELF IN.  
ONLY THE GATE-STEWARD CAN CHECK IN DOGS AT THE PHYSICAL GATE. ON THE IPAD**

We will use the **Agility Gate App** for check-in. There will be no physical check in sheets. To use the app, you will need to download the free app from the Appstore or Google Play. <https://agilitygate.com/> If you can't use the app, you can check your dog in with the gate steward when you get ready to walk. Running orders will be posted ringside and on the trial secretary's website for you to monitor your place in line.

Walk-through breaks will be marked on the running order posted in the arena and in Agility Gate.  
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From the Agility Gate app, you can:

- Check in your dog; Mark your dog absent; Mark Conflict; Mark FEO
- Follow in real time where we are in the running order. On the app you can see as the gate-steward marks each dog on the line the same way you normally see it on the gate-board. The dog will have a line through the name once it steps on the line. You will see the whole gate-sheet(s) and see who is up; how many dogs until you can line up and go inside; how many dogs left to run in the height etc.
- Find your course maps. (Open the class you are running in, the course map icon is in the upper right-hand corner.
- **Set a "Marker Dog", make sure to allow for notifications. The Marker Dog could be a specific number of dogs ahead of your run. It could also be the last dog (or a few dogs before last dog) in a class or height, to alert you that you will be walking, or get ready to volunteer, soon. To set Marker Dog: Touch and Hold (long press) down on the dog and then click "ok".**

Please visit <https://agilitygate.com/> before the trial to see how it works and there is also a video that you can watch. You can check in from 6 am each trial day.

### **MEASURING**

All dogs needing to be measured MUST be measured BEFORE their first run.

We are happy to announce that we have a VMO, our judge Darryl Warren. Judges have limited time to measure dogs, so try to arrive before the first class he is judging each day to have your dog measured. He may be able to measure dogs when the next course is being built, but remember he also has to check the catalog and sign off on the results during his break.

Remember: Our Volunteer Measuring Officials are VOLUNTEERS, they either are judging, or signing off on paperwork, so please arrive in plenty of time to have your dog measured. And don't forget to thank your VMO!

Fill out your form provided at the measuring table, before bringing your dog to be measured.

**DON'T FORGET TO HAVE YOUR DOG'S REGISTRATION NUMBER AND D.O.B. HANDY.**

The score table crew including the trial secretary is fully occupied entering your Qs--and possibly NQ's, but as long as we had fun right... 😊 — we just don't have time to look up your information. Make a note in your phone of your dog's registration number and date of birth before you leave! (This tip is free of charge!)

### **SCORING**

There will be monitors available to check your scores/placement near the scoring table. Please be respectful of others around the monitors and provide for distancing when checking for results.

**RESULTS** will be posted by the ribbons. The Move Up-sheet will also be by the ribbons.

**RIBBONS** - will be available for pick-up at the trial. We ask that you maintain social distancing when collecting your ribbons.

This is how it works: After the judge has reviewed all scribe sheets and catalog pages for your class (or height group for Masters/Excellent) we will release individual printed ribbon labels. You will then be able to come to the Awards area and make your own ribbon(s) using these printed labels. We will try to have the labels out as soon as we can, but please be patient -- remember that the AKC requires extensive review of the results by judges before ribbons can be made available to competitors.

**TITLE RIBBONS** - In addition to rosettes for placements and qualifying flat ribbons, we will have new title ribbons and MACH/PACH AGCH ribbons and bars.

Ribbons will NOT be mailed to you after the trial; you must pick them up by Sunday or they will be recycled.

**VOLUNTEERS**

Volunteers needed! Please sign up using this link\*:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1yYox-de-9Xx8pQxK9ExHHv9bD1epA97EMEro4piK98g/edit?usp=sharing>

**\*NOTE** VOLUNTEER PRE-SIGN UP WILL CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY March 12 AT 5 p.m..  
IF YOU HAVEN'T SIGNED UP BY THEN, JUST SIGN UP AT THE TRIAL.  
WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS NO MATTER WHEN YOU SIGN UP!

You can also sign up in the volunteer area on site.

Water and Snacks will be provided for our volunteers.

Volunteers will receive Vouchers good for \$\$ of future PACU entries and for lunch at the concession stand.

Workers earning multiple vouchers over the weekend can turn in their individual vouchers for a “summary voucher” before leaving the trial site. The ring captains or Volunteer coordinator can direct you to where to get your summary voucher.

**CONCESSIONS:** The arena concession stand will be open all three days for breakfast and lunch.

**VENDORS (see Sunrise Agility website for links)**

- Photographer: Jenn Rast, <https://jennrastphotography.photorelect.com/store/store.aspx>
- Sacred Dancer Canine Massage, Sheila Wideman, <http://www.sacreddancerem.booksy.com/>
- Lynn Hurley, Canine Massage <https://calendly.com/waggingtailsmassage/pacu-trial-pendleton>
- Blue Collie Studios Merchandise
- Just 4 Barks A Treatery For Pets Tina Long, Treats, T-shirts and more

**HOTELS/CAMPING/RV** - see premium

**No charging electric vehicles in RV spots without paying the hook up fee.**

**REMEMBER:**

- ❖ PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOGS.
- ❖ NO SMOKING WITHIN 50 FEET OF THE BUILDING
- ❖ NO PARKING INSIDE THE RING OF THE COVERED ARENA
- ❖ VOLUNTEER VOUCHERS CAN BE USED FOR ENTRIES OR CONCESSIONS ONLY

**Good Luck and May All Your Runs Be Fun!**

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Palmetto Agility Club of the Upstate presents

**PACU**  
**Champions Challenge Cup**  
**“The Ripple Cup”**

Featuring Challengers Round and Finals Round

**Tournament description and classes**

**Friday: Three** Tournament Classes:

**(1) Master/Exc Standard, (2) Master/Exc JWW and (3) Time 2 Beat.**

Exhibitors must enter all 3 classes for a chance to compete in the Challenger and/or Finals. (Same dog and same handler all 3 classes. Dogs must be eligible to be entered in the Master/Excellent level for Standard and JWW entry)

**Saturday: Challengers Round and Finals Round**

- Dogs with three clean runs in Friday’s tournament classes (clean runs, fastest combined time) in each height are automatically qualified for the Finals on Saturday
- Dogs with minimal faults will get into finals up to 8 dogs per height max.
- All other teams who have run all three tournament courses are entered into the Challenger round.
- The top 2 finishers in the Challengers round move onto the Finals round.
- 1st(gold), 2nd(silver), and 3rd(bronze) winners in each height will receive cash prizes.

**IF YOU ARE ENTERED IN MASTER/EXCELLENT STANDARD, MASTER/EXCELLENT JWW, AND IN TIME 2 BEAT ON FRIDAY, BUT DIDN’T ENTER THE CUP, YOU MAY ADD A CUP ENTRY UNTIL 7:30 A.M. ON FRIDAY. BRING FILLED OUT FORM AND PAYMENT TO THE TRIAL. (CHECK OR CASH, ONLY NO VOUCHERS) (You must already have entered the runs before the trial closed).**

Entry fee for the Tournament: \$25.00 per dog/handler team.

**You must already be entered in the 3 qualifying runs on Friday.**

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**Tournament Entry Form**

Fill out and bring to trial secretary with **check made out to PACU** for \$25.00 (no vouchers)

Dog\_\_\_\_\_

Handler\_\_\_\_\_

Height entered in trial:\_\_\_\_\_

(Reg and Pref will run combined in the Challengers and Finals rounds **in height entered in the trial.**

Music to play, if you make finals\_\_\_\_\_