



Paws to Consider

March 6,7,8 2021 Victoria Park, Military Drive, Ballarat, Victoria

Judge:

Wendy Napier

Double run or Single Run or Mixed Trial format:

Double Run

Building and Ring Surface info:

Outdoor – on grass

Contact Surface:

NADAC Approved rubber

Crating Set up times:

6.30am

Briefing at:

Physical Distanced Judge's Briefing at 7.40am

First dog on the line at:

8.00am

Preliminary Class Order:

May change depending on weather, judge's preference, time or number of entries

Friday

Class:	Double Run	Single Run

Saturday

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Class:	Double Run	Single Run
Regular	2	
Gamblers	2	
Chances	2	
Hoopers	2	

Sunday

Class:	Double Run	Single Run	
Jumpers	2		
Weavers	2		
Regular	2		

Monday

Class:	Double Run	Single Run
Tunnelers	2	
Touch N Go	2	
Barrelers	2	

Entries Open on:

31 January 2021

Entries Close on:

Friday 26 Feb 2021 at Midnight. Any entry received after that time will attract Day of Show entry fees.

Crating available:

Ringside gazebos recommended for crating. It is possible to work from car (weather permitting)

Entry Limits:

May be subject to COVID Restrictions at the time of the trial. Please refer to the Calendar page listing for updates. If there are no COVD restrictions entry limits will be 450 runs per day

Move ups:

Move ups for Sunday is permitted in Regular Agility, if a title is earnt on the Saturday.

Day of show Entries:

Available after closing if trial not full and COVID restrictions allow – please refer to entry limits. Day of show entry must be submitted via the online entry process and Health Declaration and Waiver form completed online. If you need help to do this (i.e. internet access – please see the trial Secretary on trial day).

Refunds:

Full Refund available if withdrawal requested prior to entry close. Partial refund or trial credit 75% if requested after entry close and prior to trial day if your dog is ill or injured or your Bitch comes into season — a vet certificate is required No refund available on trial days.

Show Committee

Shirlene Clark – Trial Secretary

Confirmations:

Entry confirmations will be emailed to exhibitors

Food info:

Catering is not provided

Volunteer info:

PTC relies on help from exhibitors. Exhibitors are rostered a small number of jobs such as timer, scribe, leash walker and pole setters

Awards and Ribbons:

Ribbons Awarded from 1st to 4th place for all classes in each height group in Standard Division. Ribbons Awarded from 1st to 4th place for all classes in each height group in combined Junior Handler, Veteran Dog and Veteran Handler Division. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded for all qualifying runs.

Exhibitors may elect to have trial credits in lieu of ribbons - \$1.00 per Q and 40 Cents per place – this option is made available at the time of entry.

Highest in Trial will awarded for each level (Intro, Novice, Open, Elite) in the following three jump height groupings 4 and 8 inches, 12 inches, 16 and 20 inches.

Equipment info:

All equipment in accordance with NADAC specifications. NADAC approved rubber surfaced contacts. PVC Jumps are used.

Jump Height Info:

MEASURING

Measurement forms may be obtained at:

https://www.nadac.com/WPsite/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/HeightCardForm.pdf

Dogs which require measuring:

Dogs in the Proficient Category, Novice, Open or Elite jumping 4", 8", 12" or 16"

Dogs which do not need to be measured:

Dogs jumping 16" in the Veteran or Junior Handler Division

Dogs jumping 20"

Dogs in the Skilled Category

Dogs with a permanent height card

Dogs listed on the Height Exemption List

JUMP HEIGHTS

There are four Standard Division-Proficient jump heights: 8", 12", 16", and 20".

There are four Standard Division-Skilled jump heights: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

There are four jump heights for the Veterans and Junior Handler divisions: 4", 8", 12", and 16".

Please see the NADAC Rulebook for the full jump height table

Brief Summary of Rules:

Please refer to <u>www.nadacaustralia.com</u> for a full explanation of all NADAC rules and up to date information

- Please note that NADAC trials should provide a safe and fun environment for both exhibitors and their dogs.
- Aggressive dogs will not be tolerated and will be excused from the trial.
- The show committee has the right to refuse any entry. Anyone not currently in good standing with NADAC will not be allowed to enter this trial.
- Exhibitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of NADAC rules and regulations, and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil
 disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause
 beyond the control of the organizing committee.
- Cheques not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$35.00 service charge for bank returned cheques.
- Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted.
 https://www.nadacaustralia.com/nadac-dog-registration/ A copy of the current Exhibitors
 Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadacaustralia.com for free.
- 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.
- No food, clickers, or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course or within 10 feet of the ring. Food or a small non-audible toy can be in a secure container (ziplock bag is acceptable) in your pocket during your run but it cannot be used during your run, nor can you indicate to the dog it is there. In all levels handlers my bring a non-audible toy into the ring for training purposes. They cannot earn a Qualifying score and must declare to the judge they are training before they commence their run. Please read the Exhibitor's Handbook for more information about toys and training in the ring.
- The sponsoring clubs will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for
 the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result be accident or other cause. It is distinctly
 understood that every dog at this event is in the care and control of his owner or handler during
 the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

ALL ENTRIES ARE LODGED ELECTRONICALLY FOR THIS TRIAL:

A link to the entry form will be made available on the <u>event page of the NADAC Australia</u> website

The entry form once submitted will take you to the mandatory Health Declaration and Risk waiver form. The trial Secretary will invoice you for your entr and that invoice must be paid by the due date.

If you need assistance due to lack of internet service, please contact the trial secretary.

Run Pricing Information

\$9.00 per run if entered by midnight Friday 26 February 2021

Day of Show entry fees apply if your entry is received after midnight Friday 26 February 2021 **Day of Show fee is \$12.00 per run.**

All entries are electronically date & time stamped to determine entry lodgment time & date.

All PayPal payments are electronically date & time stamped to determine payment time & date.

If you pay via direct deposit, please send a copy of your payment receipt to ensure your payment time and date is deemed prior to entry closing date and time.

COVID Safe plan.

NADAC Australia has a COVID safe plan which is followed for all NADAC trials in Australia. Information relating to COVID can be found on our COVID-19 page on the website.

Directions:

https://goo.gl/maps/SwCSXguXveRmQZS88

On arrival to the ground please park responsibly along the log fence (tail or nose first) and do not obstruct the ground access gates.

Lodgings:

Shady Acres Caravan Park - Ballarat

Calambeen Caravan Park – Creswick

Lake Burrumbeet Caravan Park – Lake Burrumbeet

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