



The Agility Association of Canada
and
Agility In Manitoba
proudly present



2024

AAC REGIONAL AGILITY CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR SASKATCHEWAN, MANITOBA & NUNAVUT

June 21, 22 & 23, 2024

Show Site: Backyard Agility Dogs, Petersfield, MB
Held outdoors on grass, enclosed field. This event will proceed rain or shine.

Opening Date – March 8, 2024

Entries postmarked prior to the opening date will not be accepted

Closing Dates –Early Bird: March 29, 2024, Regular: Friday, April 26, 2024

Entries received after April 26, 2024 will not be accepted.

No refunds, cancellations or changes after closing date without a veterinarian's or doctor's note.

**Our Distinguished Judge:
Craig Peters, Narol, MB**

AIM Website: [Agility in Manitoba \(AIM\) \(weebly.com\)](https://agilityinmanitoba.com)

These Regional Championships will be held under AAC Regional Rules and Guidelines, which can be found at:
<https://aac.ca/en/node/718>



Trial Chair:
Nicole Langdale

Trial Secretary
Glenda McLarty - aimregionals2024@gmail.com

Class Descriptions:

Regular Classes:

Regular classes are open to those dogs that will be jumping their regular measured height or one jump height higher.

Specials Classes:

These classes are open to those dogs that wish to jump one jump height lower. A dog may no longer compete in the Regular class after it has competed in Specials.

Veterans Classes:

These classes are open to those dogs that are seven years of age or older, or Specials class dogs that are five years of age that have competed in Specials for a minimum of one calendar year. Veterans may jump one height (single drop) or two heights (double drop) lower than the registered height assigned on their AAC ID card.

Equipment: All equipment conforms to AAC specifications. Electronic timing and a breakaway tire will be used.

Benching/Crating: Crating will be available in designated areas around the ring. Competitors may also crate out of their vehicles. Although the parking area is close, it is out of view of the ring area. The site has ample natural shade, which can be augmented with shade screens. Shade tents will be permitted in a designated area. Please respect physical distancing when setting up and within your shade tent.

Camping: There is no camping on-site. There are a number of campgrounds within a half hour drive of the site.

Equipment Familiarization:

Equipment familiarization will be offered Friday, June 21, 2024 from 2 to 5 p.m., at a cost of \$5.00 per run for 60 seconds. No jumps/levels. Tunnels, contacts and weaves only. Please sign up for your equipment familiarization runs on the entry form. NOTE: Equipment familiarization is open only to dogs competing in the Regionals.

Steeplechase:

This game demonstrates the dog's ability to run and jump at high speeds while maintaining control on the A-frame and weave poles. This class is open to all dogs eligible to compete in other AAC qualifying events at the Starters, Advanced or Masters Level. A Steeplechase run will be offered on Friday, June 21, 2024 beginning at 6 p.m., judged by Craig Peters. This Steeplechase is open to all eligible AAC-registered dogs, as well as those competing in the Regionals Championships. Please sign up for Steeplechase on the entry form.

Prizes and Awards:

Trophies will be awarded for 1st place and placement rosettes for 2nd thru 6th place for the two-day aggregate, as well as Nationals qualifying ribbons. In addition, AIM will be offering Saturday and Sunday placement awards for each event/class. Qualifying and placement ribbons will also be available for Steeplechase.

Special Awards:

If you are interested in sponsoring a special award for these Regional Championships, please email Dona Gould at dr_gould@hotmail.com with details. If it is a memorial award, please consider writing a few lines and including a small photo.

Veterinary Clinic On Call:

Bridgewater Veterinary Hospital – 100-350 North Town Road, Winnipeg (204)452-0911

Pembina Emergency Animal Hospital – 400 Pembina Highway, Winnipeg (204)452-9427

Site Security:

There will be no on-site security. Competitors are allowed to leave non-food items on site, but encouraged to take edibles and belongings of value with them.

Abuse in any form of the volunteers, competitors, judges or dogs, will not be tolerated. Anyone disrupting the trial due to poor sportsmanship or abusive behaviour will be dismissed from the trial; no fees will be refunded and any Regional points earned to that point will be cancelled.

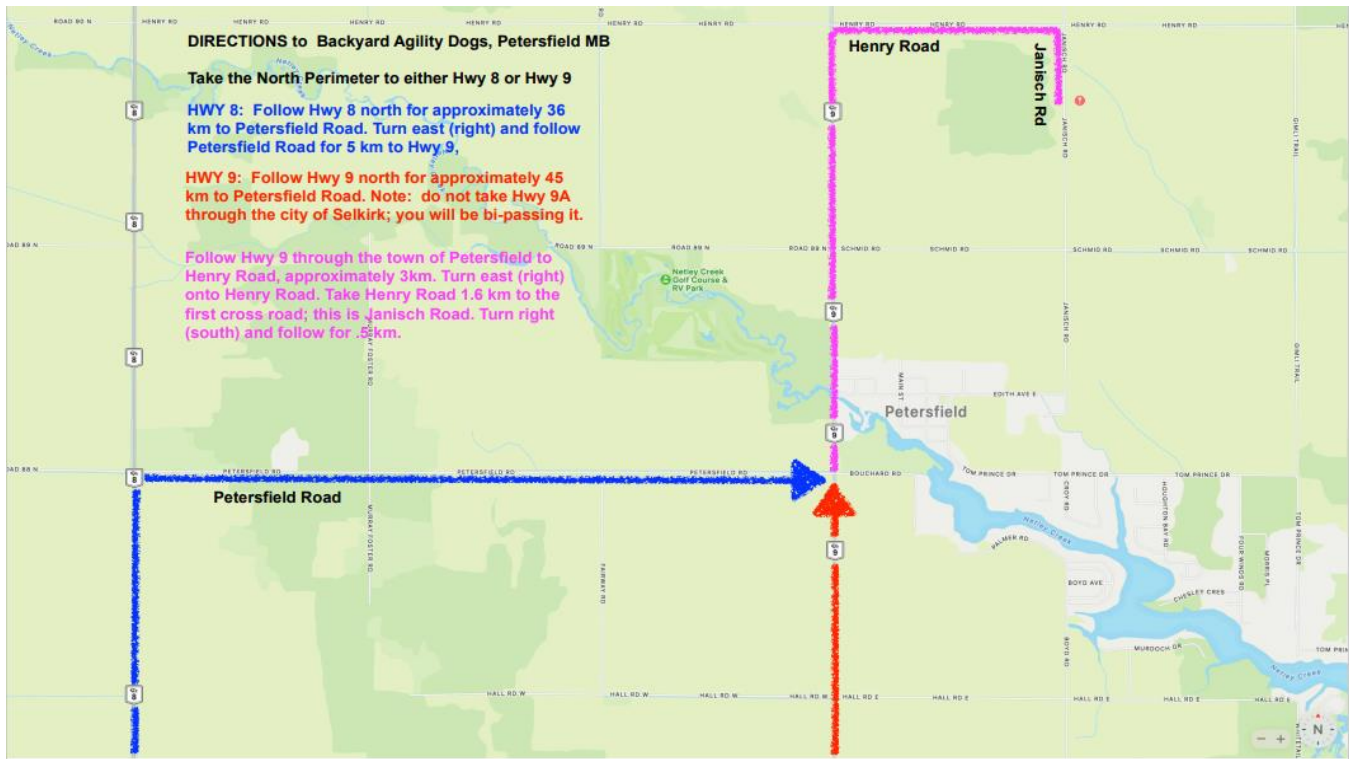
Site Food:

Jen's Café will be on site from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on both Saturday and Sunday to provide a variety of items and beverages. Vegetarian/Vegan options will be available. A menu will be made available to attendees closer to the event.

Directions to the Site:

From any direction, when you get to Winnipeg, take the Perimeter Highway (#101) North. From there, access either Highway 8 or Highway 9, whichever is closest to the direction you are coming from. After that, follow the directions written and shown below.

Petersfield is a small town located north of Winnipeg, and Backyard Dogs is located just two miles north of Petersfield. Parking at the site will be clearly marked at a driveway past the one leading to the house. Please follow the directions below to get to the yard site.



Accommodations That Accept Dogs

The following establishments may accept guests with dogs. Please help ensure we will have continued acceptance by keeping your dogs under control and cleaning up after them at all times. **Dogs should not be left unattended in the rooms.** Please contact hotels and campsites for terms and conditions as many hotels charge a fee for having a dog in the room and only allow pets in certain rooms.

HOTELS:

Canalta Hotel – Approximately 16 minutes to event site.

1061 Manitoba Avenue, Selkirk, MB

1-844-484-7474 or 204-482-7474

At time of posting, 5 pet friendly rooms were available

Lakeview Hotel – Approximately 30 minutes to event site.

10 Centre Street, Gimli, MB

1-877-355-3500 or 204-642-8565

Mainstay Suites – Approximately 46 minutes to event site.

670 King Edward Street, Winnipeg, MB

204-594-0500

At time of posting, 5 pet friendly rooms were available

Sandman Hotel & Suites, Winnipeg Airport – Approximately 47 minutes to event site.

1750 Sargent Avenue, Winnipeg, MB

204-775-7263 Reservations toll free: 1-800-726-3626

At time of posting, 15 pet friendly rooms were available

Victoria Inn Hotel & Convention Centre – Approximately 46 minutes to event site.

1808 Wellington Avenue, Winnipeg, MB

204-786-4801 or Toll Free: 1-877-842-4667

At time of posting, the number of pet friendly rooms was unavailable

CAMPING:

Netley Creek RV Park Approximately 10 minutes to event site.

Petersfield, MB

1-204-738-4653

<https://netleycreekgolf.com/rv-park/>

Birds Hill Provincial Park – Approximately 35 minutes to event site.

Highway 206, Oakbank, MB

<https://gov.mb.ca/sd/parks/prs/index.html>

Winnipeg Beach Provincial Park – Approximately 15 minutes to event site.

Off Highway #9, Winnipeg Beach, MB

1-888-482-2267

<https://gov.mb.ca/sd/parks/prs/index.html>

Selkirk Park Campground – Approximately 19 minutes to event site.

490 Eveline Street, Selkirk, MB

1-204-485-6197

<https://www.myselkirk.ca/parksandpathways/selkirk-park/>

Teulon Rockwood Green Acres Campground – Approximately 23 minutes to event site.

Main Street, Teulon, MB (off Highway #7)

1-204-886-0505

teulonrockwoodrec@gmail.com

<https://www.greenacresparkcampground.com>

Note: A Provincial Park pass would be required for the campgrounds located within Provincial Parks. Current Rates (2023) – Annual Pass \$44.50, Casual Pass \$16.50 (valid for 3 consecutive days), and Daily Pass \$9.50 (valid until midnight on the date of purchase)

<https://www.manitobaicensing.ca/privilegepos.page>

SATURDAY EVENING SUPPER

Relax with friends at our Regionals Championship site (you won't have to worry about your dogs!).

Our Saturday evening supper will be a buffet catered by Danny's Whole Hog BBQ and Smokehouse. Vegetarian/Vegan options will be available. If you are planning on attending, please note it on the entry form as well as advising if you require a Vegetarian or Vegan meal.

SUNDAY EVENING BARBEQUE

AIM will provide a free barbeque meal after the last class on Sunday. Visit with your friends and enjoy the meal while we tally up all the scores before award presentations!

Please indicate on your entry form if you plan on attending the Barbeque!.

2024 REGIONALS CLOTHING

We are very excited for you to see the clothing collection for the 2024 Regional Championships! The Clothing Catalogue will be available soon. Please watch the event Facebook Group for more information.

BITCHES IN SEASON

Bitches in Season (BIS) are allowed to compete at Regionals. Owners of BIS and other competitors need to familiarize themselves with the rules applying to them, that notwithstanding, below are the highlights of the rules applying to BIS at AAC trials:

- Handlers must notify the Trial Secretary that they will be running a BIS as soon as it is known to them;
- Handlers must minimize exposure of their BIS to other dogs and limit their movement about the grounds;
- Handlers with a BIS may still opt to receive a refund of their entries and not compete;
- Competitors will be notified that there is a BIS on site;
- Competitors will provide a protective mat for use at the start line;
- BIS will run at the end of the class (in a group if there is more than one);
- "BIS" will be noted next to the dog's name on the gate sheet so that other competitors, the judge and the ring crew are aware;
- BIS will be provided and expected to use a separate potty area;
- BIS must wear protective panties at all times (including running on course), except when they are within the designated relief area.

JUNIOR HANDLERS

"Junior Handler" at the Regionals refers to a handler that is 18 years of age or younger as of December 2024. At Regional competitions, Junior Handlers will have a reduced number of points necessary to qualify for Nationals. The points are the same as for senior/disabled handlers. Instead of 350 points, a Junior Handler will only require a total of 300 points to qualify for Nationals. There is no change to scoring or judging, only the total points needed.

Important Note to Steeplechase Competitors: We will need all competitors in the Steeplechase Class to also volunteer to work a portion of that class. Please fill out the volunteer form and indicate what position you are able to volunteer in for Friday's Steeplechase class. Please also indicate that you will be running a dog in that event so that we can separate those sheets from our other volunteer positions. Thank you!



Agility in Manitoba – AAC – June 21, 22, & 23, 2024

We are encouraging electronic entries. Forward e-transfer and completed form to aimregionals2024@gmail.com
 Password is AIM2024

Or make cheques payable to “Agility in Manitoba” Mail entry to: AIM, c/o G. McLarty, 31127 Zora Road, Cooks Creek, MB R5M 0G8

Opening Date: Friday, March 8 2024 **Closing Date:** Friday, April 26, 2024; **Early Bird closes** Friday, March 29, 2024.

Postdated cheques will NOT be accepted. To be considered a valid entry we must receive your completed entry, the signed General Agreement, Release, and the proper fees by the closing date. After the closing date no cancellations, alterations or other changes will be accepted.

Dog ID Cards must either be presented upon check-in, or submitted electronically with entry form. If submitted electronically, the card must be opened to show both sides on one page.

Owner's Name:		Handler Name (if different from owner):		AAC #	
Address:			City:		
Prov/State:		Postal/Zip Code:		Phone:	
				Email address:	
Senior/Disabled (for fewer pts. to qualify for Nats.) <input type="checkbox"/>			Junior Handler (for JH scoring Steeplechase & reduced Nats. Qualifying points): <input type="checkbox"/>		
Dog Information		Dog 1		Dog 2	
Dog's Call Name					
AAC ID #					
Birth Date (mm/dd/yy)					
Breed					
Dog's Height					
Jump Height at Trial		<input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12		<input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 24		<input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 24	
Class you will compete in at Regionals		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran	
		<input type="checkbox"/> DD Vet		<input type="checkbox"/> DD Vet	
Classes Entry (Enter # of Dogs in Each)					
Event				Total	
Early Bird Entry before March 30 th with AAC Membership		# of Dogs x \$135.00			
Early Bird Entry before March 30 th without AAC Membership		# of Dogs x \$150.00			
Entry after Early Bird period with AAC Membership		# of Dogs x \$150.00			
Entry after Early Bird period without AAC Membership		# of Dogs x \$165.00			
Familiarization Runs on Friday		# of Runs x \$5.00			
Steeplechase Friday Evening. Do you want music playing during your run? (yes/no) Do you have a specific song you want?		# of Dogs x \$15.00			
Saturday Evening Buffet (indicate #) <input type="checkbox"/> Regular <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian <input type="checkbox"/> Vegan		Total # of Meals x \$30.00			
Sunday Barbeque		Total # of Meals		Free	
Total					

**Agility Association of Canada ("AAC")
Participation Waiver and Release**

Handler Name: *(please print)*

Dog Name: (the "Dog")

AAC Dog ID #:

Dog Name: (the "Dog")

AAC Dog ID #:

Dog Name: (the "Dog")

AAC Dog ID #:

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry by AAC and Agility in Manitoba (the "**Organizing Club**") and the opportunity to have the Dog participate, compete in and/or be judged at this event or trial (the "**Event**"), I, the undersigned, agree as follows:

- 1) I certify that I am the actual owner of the Dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner of the Dog and that the Dog is not a hazard to persons, property or other dogs.
- 2) I agree that AAC or the Organizing Club for the Event may refuse my entry for any reason that it deems to be sufficient.
- 3) I understand and acknowledge that participating in the Event carries certain risks, including, but not limited to injuries (including serious injuries and death) to myself, the Dog, another dog under my control or persons attending as my guests (my "**Related Parties**"), damage to property and other losses. I waive any and all claims that I have or may have in the future against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue AAC, the Organizing Club or any of the directors, executives, committees, representatives, employees, volunteers or agents of either AAC or the Organizing Club (the "**Personnel**") for any injury, death, property damage or other loss that I or my Related Parties sustain due to any cause whatsoever, including negligence, breach of contract, breach of duty, statutory or otherwise, or mistakes or errors of judgement of any kind.
- 4) I assume full responsibility for the conduct of myself and my Related Parties during the entirety of the Event. I agree to indemnify and save harmless AAC, the Organizing Club and the Personnel from and against any and all claims that may be made against them or costs, fees, expenses or liability (including, without limitation, lawyers' fees on a solicitor and own client basis) incurred by AAC, the Organizing Club or the Personnel that may arise due to:
 - (a) Any act or omission of myself, my Related Parties or any party for whom I am liable at law; or
 - (b) Aggressive behaviour by the Dog or any other dog under my control.
- 5) I have read, and do understand the rules of competition and the additional rules (if any) appearing in the trial schedule for the Event, as well as the policies of AAC pertaining to discipline (collectively, the "**Rules**"). I agree to abide by the Rules and to conduct myself and the Dog in accordance with the Rules. I understand that myself and/or the Dog may be subject to disciplinary procedures or sanctions for breach of the Rules and agree to respect and be bound by any disciplinary decision made by AAC.
- 6) I understand that AAC and/or the Organizing Club may, in the course of administering the Event or conducting its activities generally, collect, use or disclose my personal information and that any personal information collected, used or disclosed by AAC and/or the Organizing Club will be treated in accordance with AAC policy and applicable privacy and personal information laws. I hereby consent to the collection, use and disclosure by AAC and/or the Organizing Club of my personal information.
- 7) I have been given the opportunity to read and understand the terms of this Agreement before signing it, and have in fact done so. I understand that by signing this Agreement, I am restricting my legal rights and I sign this Agreement voluntarily and of my own free will.

The Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA) requires that consent be obtained for the collection and use of personal information. The information collected by Agility In Manitoba will be used for: registering and listing competitors in agility events, submitting results, as required by the sanctioning body, and contacting competitors by email, mail or phone for future agility events such as trials and seminars. The information will be retained by Agility In Manitoba for a period of two years and disposed of in a manner that ensures information protection.

Signature:

Parent or Guardian must sign if the Handler is under 18 years of age.

Date: (mm/dd/yy)

Entry not valid unless signed, dated and submitted with correct fees by closing date

Please also include this release document with your entry (electronic signature is acceptable for both releases):

AIM: Waiver of Liability and Informed Consent

Hereafter, Agility In Manitoba will be referred to as AIM. Hereafter, Backyard Agility Dog's site will be referred to as Site.

• I agree that I am attending this AIM event entirely at my own risk and assume all risk and full responsibility for my own health, well-being, and safety during this class or event. I hereby waive and release AIM, the Executive, volunteers and Backyard Agility Dogs from any and all liability for damages or personal injury to me, my dogs or my property.

• Further, I hereby indemnify and hold harmless AIM, the Executive, volunteers, and Backyard Agility Dogs from any and all claims by or liability to any third party arising out of my participation in the event. Any liability to anyone for any incident involving myself, the location, or those pets or actions of other participants and spectators will be my sole responsibility and I assume all financial liability and will also assume all and any financial costs associated with my actions.

Name: (print clearly)	
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Signature:	
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Date:	
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AIM is thrilled to have award winning photographer Candice Daum as our official event photographer! You will be able to book your photos directly with Candice shortly! Keep watching our Facebook event page for updates and more information!



PHOTO PACKAGE

Pre-Order

THREE PACKAGES TO CHOOSE FROM...

\$125 TOP DOG - PRINT & DIGITAL PACKAGE

- 10 Professionally edited digital images (one dog)
- Print Size files (3000px) no logo
- Social Sharing Sized files (1000px) w/logo
- Priority Posting (see your images first)
- Commemorative collage with event date
- 8 x 10 print credit (\$45 value)

\$165 - 14 images (up to 2 Dogs, one collage)

\$195 - 18 images (up to 3 Dogs, one collage)

\$225 - 24 images (up to 4 Dogs, one collage)

\$95 CANDID CANINE - DIGITAL PACKAGE

- 8 Professionally edited digital images (one dog)
- Social Sharing Sized files (1000px) w/logo

\$65 BARE BONES - DIGITAL PACKAGE

- 4 Professionally edited digital images (one dog)
- Social Sharing Sized files (1000px) w/logo



*All images are hand-picked by the photographer.

To see photos from this event, please choose a photo package for purchase. Once your order is received, photographer will begin the process of categorizing, selecting, and editing the best images to fulfil the package requirements.

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