**ENTRIES OPEN:** 7/29/25, 8:00 a.m. at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

**ENTRIES CLOSE: September 6, 2025, 6:00 p.m.** after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender.

Paper entries received within 24 hrs. of the opening date & time must: 1) include postage or be metered; 2) be delivered by a multi-state or multi-national postal or carrier service, including but not limited to USPS, FedEx, UPS. If above conditions are not met, the entries are not valid and must be returned to the sender.

The Trial Secretary is not responsible for entries not received or cancelled by specified dates. Please refer to the official AKC rule books to make sure you understand the rules set forth for entering AKC Agility Trials.

Online entries through SCORESNMORE.com

## Delaware Valley German Shepherd Dog Club

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)

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**ISC ONLY** Friday, September 19, 2025 (2025048405)

AKC All-Breed Agility Trials These Events are Accepting Entries for Mixed Breed Dogs Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program

> Orchard Hills Training Center 45 Bella Vista Lane, Barto PA 19504 DO NOT ENTER PROPERTY BEFORE 7:30 AM

> > ENTRY LIMITS: Fri, 300 runs ISC STD & ISC JWW only Fri 1 ring 110 x100

Course Design by: Nicola Giraudi- Italy

Judge: Laura Kuterbach

Trial Hours: 7:30 am – to 30 minutes after the trial ends. Briefing 8:15 am, Judging 8:30 am



#### CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations. Sheila Goffe, Executive Secretary AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERN THIS AGILITY TRIAL

#### **Delaware Valley German Shepherd Dog Club**

Website: <u>www.delawarevalleygsdc.org</u>

President	Dara Conklin
Vice President	Barb Jennings
Treasurer	Gloria Sinclair
Corresponding Sec & recording Secretary	Zoe Backman
Box 51 Germansville, PA 18053	Hummingbird@seaonssojourn.com

Directors: Andrew Conklin, Sue Sacco, Marylouise Friedberg

#### Trial Committee:

Bev Melcher, Dara Conklin, Barb Jennings, Andrew Conklin, Gloria Sinclair,

Zoe Backman, Sue Sacco

#### **DVGSDC Agility Trial Chairperson**

Bev Melcher 51 Scenic Ln Barto, PA 19504 (610) 845-7022 grushtes@aol.com

#### Agility Trial Secretary

Bonnie Reifsnyder- Scores-N-More 250 Trail Rd. Hershey, PA 17033 (717-579-8296) scoresnmore@comcast.net

JUDGES

Laura Kuterbach #96663- Dubois, PA FEO will be offered

Regular and Preferred classes will run together.

Friday

Laura Kuterbach: ISC JWW (J1, J2 & J3 level) ISC STD (A1, A2 & A3 level)

DVGSDC reserves the right to change the running order to improve the efficiency of the trial. A final running order will be included in the Final Confirmation

Running Order- Tall to Small EMERGENCY SERVICES: FIRE/POLICE/AMBULANCE Dial 911

#### VETERINARY SERVICES

Perkiomen Animal Hospital 919 Gravel Pike Palm, PA 18070 215 679-7019 Quakertown Vet Clinic 2250 N Old Bethlehem Pike, Quakertown, PA 18951 215-515-8810

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

# ENTRY FEES PER DAY (Please ADD YOUR ENTRIES CORRECTLY)

First entry of each dog EACH DAY (includes a \$2.00 AKC recording fee)\$25	.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> entry same dog (includes a \$2.00 AKC recording fee)\$20.	00

#### Please make checks payable to SCORESNMORE

E-mail preliminary and final confirmations will be sent to those listing a <u>legible</u> e-mail address on the entry form.

Mail entry forms and fees to: Scoresnmore c/o Bonnie Reifsnyder, 250 Trail Rd, Hershey, PA 17033. Please make checks payable to SCORESNMORE. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax, or email. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Bonnie Reifsnyder at scoresnmore@comcast.net. No entry shall be made, and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor.

#### All Measurements Are Effective Immediately

Exception: Challenge Measurements to Permanent Jump Height Become Effective when Challenge Measurement Process is Complete (see Regulations)

• Dogs Entered in Preferred Classes Must Run in measured Height Division Must be moved up or down to proper height.

### AWARDS

Placement Ribbons will be awarded first through fourth place in each height division of each class for Standard Agility Classes and Jumpers with Weaves classes.

First Place Second Place Third Place Forth Place Blue Rosette Red Rosette Yellow Rosette White Rosette

A green qualifying ribbon will be given to all qualifying dogs. Dogs must receive a qualifying score to receive placement awards.

Dry Camping only. Limited RV parking. Contact Mary Ellen Barry mebarry@kineticdog.com

### **Classes & Divisions**

## Classes ISC STD (A1,A2, A3) & JWW (J1,J2, J3)

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES (ISC): Purpose: The International Sweepstakes Class (ISC) is a non-regular class providing the dog and handler an opportunity to demonstrate their advanced training and handling skills on various International Style Standard and Jumpers with Weaves courses. The rules for this class are generally based on international rules. The variety in International Agility course designs is very diverse, so handlers should be prepared to meet the "Challenge of the Day" when competing in the ISC class. The total challenge level may be easier, more difficult, or simply different from what is currently allowed in Excellent / Master Class. Complete rules for the ISC are available from the AKC Website (http://www.akc.org). Eligibility: ISC classes are open to dogs that are eligible to compete in AKC agility trials. There is no Preferred Option for ISC; dogs may enter at their preferred jump height, however they will be scored against the regular division dogs jumping the same jump height.

Jump Heights: Dogs may be entered in their regular jump heights, however, only those dogs running in the 12", 16", 20" and 24" class that meet the FCI/ISC measuring cutoff (different than regular AKC cutoffs) may use their clean run toward the required gualification toward entering WTT or EOTT. Please see the 2026 EO/AWC Tryout Rules for further details. The FCI/ISC cutoffs for those heights are as follows:  $\succ$  Small (12" jump height) – for dogs measuring 13  $\frac{3}{4}$ " or less at the withers > Medium (16" jump height) – for dogs measuring more than 13 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" and up to 16 7/8" at the withers  $\succ$  Intermediate (20" jump height) – for dogs measuring more than 16 7/8 but less than 18 7/8" at the withers.  $\succ$  Large (24" jump height) – for dogs measuring over 16 7/8" at the withers ISC level description: A1 (Agility 1) and J1 (Jumping 1) are the beginning levels of FCI/ISC Courses.

# **HEIGHT DIVISIONS**

both the standard classes and the jumpers with weaves classes.

#### SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

**<u>Regular-class</u>** exhibitors may choose to enter their dog in a higher height division than required by AKC, but not in a height division lower than the AKC mandated height. <u>**Preferred**</u> exhibitors are required to jump in their proper height division.

Handlers may opt to	Handlers must run	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the		
run their dog in a their dog in their higher height proper eligible		proper height division.		
division.	height.			
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers		
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers		
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers		
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers		
24" 20"		For dogs over 22 inches at the withers		
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.		

## **COURSE FAMILIARIZATION**

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, will be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training the dog.

# **OBSTACLES AND RINGCONDITIONS**

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <u>http://www.akc.org/rules/</u>

\*\*\*\*Accepting Online Entries for This Trial: https://www.scoresnmore.com The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely. 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 an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such a case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. DVGSDC, Scores-N-More & Orchard Hills Training Center and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. DVGSDC reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the DVGSDC or any official thereof. All dogs must be on leash always attached to their handler when on trial grounds except when in designated warm-up area or competing on the course. All regulations governing the use of this facility, and all regulations and decisions of the trial committee at this trial will be strictly enforced, including, and not limited to the recorded information of this premium list. Puppies under 4 months of age are prohibited at AKC Agility Trials.

## ENTRY ELIGIBILITY

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number (in trials offering mixed breed entries), or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number (in trials allowing mixed breed entries) must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused or barred from competition by the action of the event committee.

Refunds for Bitches in Season / injured dogs/ injured handlers: A refund of entries minus a DVGSDC service fee of \$10.00 / dog/ day for bitches in season or injured dogs will be granted when a veterinarian's letter is presented as proofto

the Trial Secretary prior to the start of the 1<sup>St</sup> trial day dog is entered. Must use official Veterinary's Letter Head. Official Doctor's Letter Head must be used in the case of an injured handler.

#### Leashes

All dogs must be on leash at the trial. Retractable leashes are not allowed in the building. Dogs may only be off leash while running the course or at the practice jump.

## ROUTES TO THE TRIAL

Directions from Allentown, Harrisburg, Central New Jersey:

78 east or west to Allentown exit, Cedar Crest Blvd. South to Emmaus past hospital, at "T" turn right (Chestnut Street or Rt. 29 S) continue south on Rt.29 to Rt.100 South, continue to Hereford - 4 more miles to Bally. Middle of town is Longacre Electric (orange and blue sign) turn onto N.Church Street, go up hill approx. 1 mile. See pond on left side, turn left onto Bella Vista Lane. Continue on gravel drive until you see the buildings

### From Pa. Turnpike:

NE extension to Quakertown exit bear right onto Rt. 663 S. (heading to Pennsburg) In Pennsburg, at Wendy's Flowers, intersection of Rt. 29, turn right onto Rt. 29 N to town of Hereford (Turkey Hill convenience store and light). Turn left onto Rt.100 S to town of Bally (continue as above).

### From Philadelphia:

Rt. 422 or 73 to Rt. 100 N to town of Bally. At Longacre's Electric, turn left onto North Church Street. Go approx. 1 mile, on left you'll see a pond, turn left on Bella Vista Lane. Continue on gravel drive until you see the buildings

## Street Address for GPS:

45 Bella Vista Lane Barto, PA - or put in "Orchard Hills Training Center"

## BEST WESTERN PLUS – POTTSTOWN Website - Best Western Pottstown Plus

1600 Industrial Highway Pottstown, PA 19464, (610) 327-3300 25 minutes, under new ownership and now "pet friendly"

# CAB MOTEL

http://www.cabmotel.com Route 29 Palm, PA (215) 679-5955 10 minutes / No Pet Fee / Mention KineticDog

#### BUDGET HOST MOTEL Website - Budget Host Motel

5 Spring Garden Drive New Berlinville, PA 19545, (610) 367-2626 6 miles from Orchard Hills / \$10 per pet, additional discounts for 3+p

# MOTEL 6

http://motel6-pottstown-pa.com

78 Robinson Street Pottstown, PA 19464, (610) 819-1288 25 minutes

COMFORT INN LEHIGH VALLEY WEST Website - Comfort Inn Lehigh Valley West 7625 Imperial Way Allentown, Pa 18106 (877) 424- 6423 35 minutes

# QUALITY INN & SUITES Website - Quality Inn Quakertown

1905 John Fries Hwy Quakertown, PA (855) 809 3506 25 minutes

# RED ROOF INN ALLENTOWN SOUTH

https://www.redroof.com/property/PA/Allentown/RRI845 2650 Moravian Avenue Allentown PA (855) 873-6562 25 minutes / pets free

# MOTEL 6

Website - Motel 6 KOP 815 W Dekalb Pike King of Prussia PA (833) 435-0470 45 minutes / limited grass areas

These hotels have graciously agreed to accept our well-mannered dogs. A pet deposit may berequired. Please check with hotels for pet policies and rest

Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)

• For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is allowed in all classes. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

• FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler will declare the day of the show.

• Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.

• Dogs may be entered at any level (Novice, Open Excellent or Masters) in FAST, JWW, Standard or Premier classes. If the dog is not eligible for the level entered, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. Day of show level changes are not allowed.

• The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out to the scribe and the judge.

• Course time for FEO in Time 2 Beat, JWW, Standard, Premier and ISC will be 45 seconds. FAST courses times for each class/height are as noted in the Regulations. "Anyone in violation of a restriction pursuant to AKC rules or policies, or the law can be asked to leave the grounds. If the person fails to leave, the local authorities will be contacted. In addition, if the club believes laws, restrictions, or conditions of release are being violated by an individual's attendance or participation in AKC events, the local authorities will be contacted immediately as they have the authority of enforcement."



#### OFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

#### AGREEMENT

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AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB       Delaware Valley German Shepherd Club         Opens: 7/29/25 @8am: • Closes 9/6/25			erd Club	I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event, form and any definite the acceptance of the right to right the rules.	
9/19/25 🗆 ISC STD					event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a
					hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, he event-giving
	01		20		club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the
Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$25; 2 <sup>nd</sup> run \$20. Make checks payable to: Scoresnmore; Mail to: Bonnie Reifsnyder, 250 Trail Rd., Hershey, PA 17033				aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage	
IMPORTANT: Caref	IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!         ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED			OSED	to this dog.
					Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any
Cho	Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes				of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in
	Circle one jump height   Circle class selections   Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)			ier allowed)	consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and
	LAR Classes 20" 24" 24C"	I 4"	PREFERRED Classes           8"         12"         16"	s <b>20"</b>	whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR
STD NovA NovB	<del>Open Exc Master Pren</del>	nier <b>STD</b> Nov	P OpenP ExcP MasterP	PremierP	ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND
JWW NovA NovB Open Exc Master Premier JWW NovP OpenP ExcP MasterP PremierP			P OpenP ExcP MasterP	<u>PremierP</u>	EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC
FAST NovA NovB	<del>Open Exc Master</del>	FAST Nov	P OpenP ExcP MasterP		BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.
<b>T2B</b> T2B		<b>T2B</b> <u>T2</u> B	<u>P</u>		INSTRUCTIONS
Non-Regular Classes	Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes STD JWW FRI				Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs who measure into
This Dog Needs To Be Measured     Yes     No     HEIGHT AT WITHERS			the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice. Dogs entered in the <b>Preferred</b> classes <b>must</b> compete at the required jump height and <b>may not</b> compete in a jump height division <b>higher or lower</b> than their proper height division.		
BREED VARIETY CALL NAME			CALL NAME		All dogs that have not been officially measured for an <b>Agility Jump Height Card</b> may still compete; however, they must be measured by <i>a</i> Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by
AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES OF	ILY)				the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.
	Enter Complete F	Registration # below	DATE OF BIRTH		<ul> <li>Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners<sup>SM</sup> program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.</li> </ul>
	Enter Complete 1				_ Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler
ILP NO.  PALNO.  PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY) FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY					number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?
BREEDER					- 
SIRE					<b>SIGNATURE</b> of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.
DAM				- SIGN HERE X	
ACTUAL OWNERS					Telephone Number:
OWNERS ADDRESS			0	NEW ADDRESS	Email Address:
CITY, STATE ZIP + 4				- In Case of Emergency - Name: Phone#:-	
HANDLER ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable					

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.