

NOMAD NEWS

Northern Magic Agility Dogs



JUNE

2013

NOMAD TRIAL IN STOWE JUNE 14-16

Our trial is just a week away! We have over 800 runs, an increase from last year. Competitors love our trial because it is small, friendly, and easy-going, and NOMADers tend to cheer for every run.

Our trial starts with check in at noon on Friday, with our first dog on the line at about 1:00. Saturday and Sunday have more than 300 runs and 8-9 course changes each day, so we will need to be very efficient while still maintaining our friendly atmosphere.

We need lots of volunteers to make everything run smoothly. You don't need to be entered in the trial to volunteer, and you don't need experience to volunteer even if you are running a dog for the first time. Volunteering to work at the trial is a great way to learn more about this sport we all love.

Setup Friday June 14, 8 a.m. to noon: We need setup volunteers to help load all the gear into a truck at the NOMAD Annex (Lynne von Trapp's garage) and unload it and put it together at the trial site. Volunteers will also put out signs and set up tents, tables chairs, and of course our ring. Lisa and John Marcus are in charge of setup and will provide great direction to all volunteers.

Trial Volunteers: We still need lots of volunteers to help build our courses and staff our rings. For building courses, Lisa Marcus and her team will build one half of

the ring, and John Marcus and his team will build the other half. Both Marcuses provide great direction, and it will be fun to help build all those courses. Course building takes place between classes and won't interfere with your runs.

We need at least three ring crew, a leash runner, a timer, a scribe, and a gate steward for each class. Please sign up for these jobs—we'll teach you how to do them, and you can learn a lot about agility trials by doing them. We have 9 classes Friday, 9 classes Saturday, and 8 classes Sunday, so there are plenty of opportunities to help!

Please come join the fun, whether or not you volunteer. Our trials are always a good experience for everyone there. We have a great food vendor on Saturday and Sunday, Just Delicious Catering from Elmore. And we'll have a lot of vendors offering everything from videos to massages to dog toys and leashes and natural food and natural remedies and rehab with cold laser for any sore dogs.

You can sign up to work here (copy and paste into your browser):

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/ccc?key=0AhhkIyMAt6H0dENJdExRNnVyMOR4R05RM2pzdkxLbkE#gid=0>

Or you can email Michelle Force at discoforce@yahoo.com, and she'll add you to the schedule.

BRAGS



May 31, at the Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever club in Greenwich NY,

Jill Viggiani and Strummer earned QQ #20 for his MACH (Master Agility Championship).

Not only that, he has officially qualified for the 2013 AKC agility Nationals.

CAMP NOMAD 2013

Happy Campers – photos by Judy Kessler



Lynne and Brill



Kit



Pam and Conner



John Nys and Chi

NEW MEMBERS

Patricia Dumas

Bentley, 13 m.o., male, neutered, Sheltie, taking classes for 7 months at SMTB, still missing contacts but good at the tunnel, jumps and weaves
working member: trial committees would like an agility buddy

Judy Frey has sent in an application for **Lola**, her charming 14 m.o., female, spayed cockapoo.



NOMAD's Steering Committee

Contact them if you have questions or suggestions.

President (til 2013): John Marcus john.marcus@uvm.edu

Vice-President (til 2013): Judy Frey jfrey2@yahoo.com

Treasurer (til 2015): Linda Ladd vtladds@comcast.net

Secretary (11/11 - 11/13): Sarah Albertsarah@vtlink.net

Members at Large

Joanne Lawton (11/12-11/14) joannelawton@aol.com

Marty Abair (11/12-11/14) corgitown@yahoo.com

Roberta Dumas (11/12-11/13) ilvcallie@comcast.net

<http://nomadagility.com>

BRAGS

May 4-5, Muddy Paws CPE, Westminster VT

Malia and Caroline

L5 Jackpot _____ 1st and Q
L5 Jumpers _____ Q
L4 Colors _____ 1st and Q

Cynthia Gilliland and Heather

Standard L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) 2nd and Q
Standard L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) 2nd and Q
FullHouse L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) 2nd and Q
Colors L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) ___4th and Q
Jumpers L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) 2nd and Q

Cynthia and Rosie

Jackpot L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
Wildcard L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q

LEVEL 5 WILDCARD CHAMPION TITLE

FullHouse L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
Colors L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
Jumpers L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
Snooker L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q

Cynthia and Eero

Standard L4, 16 in. _____ 1st and Q
Wildcard L4, 16 in. _____ 1st and Q
Jackpot L4, 16 in. _____ 1st and Q
FullHouse L5, 16 in. _____ 4th and Q
Colors L4, 16 in. _____ 2nd and Q
Jumpers L5, 16 in. _____ Q

May 10-13 NAE NADAC Trial, Stephentown, NY

Cynthia Gilliland and Heather

Elite Jumpers, 12 in. Skilled Vet_ 1st and Q
Elite Touch N Go, 16 in. Skilled _ 1st and Q
Novice Tunnelers, 16 in. Skilled _ 1st and Q

Cynthia and Rosie

Novice Weavers, 8 in. Skilled Vet 2nd and Q
TITLE- SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE IN NOVICE WEAVERS

Cynthia and Eero

Novice Jumpers, 16 in. skilled ___ 1st and Q
Open Regular, 16 in. Skilled ___ 1st and Q
Open Weavers, 16 in. Skilled ___ 2nd and Q
Elite Tunnelers, 16 in. Skilled ___ 2nd and Q

May 12, AARF USDAA Trial, American K9 Country, Amherst, NH

Judy K. and Monte

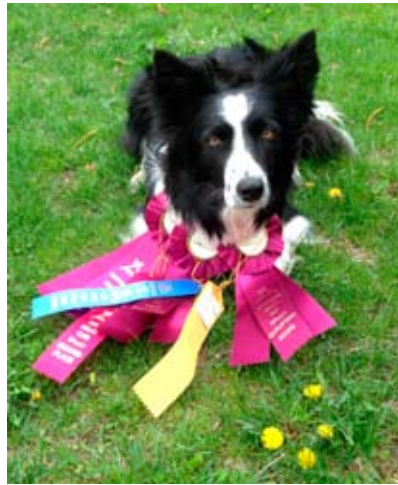
22" PI Gamblers _____ 2nd and Q

Lynne von Trapp and Brill

Starters Gamblers _____ 3rd and Q
Starters Snooker _____ 2nd and Q
Starters Pairs _____ 1st and Q

With Barbara Dreska and Huck

Starters Jumpers _____ 1st and NQ
the best of the worst. Everyone else E'd.



Brill after AARF

Marty and Maggie

8" P2 Jumpers _____ 1st and Q
P2 JUMPERS TITLE!

Marty and Kirby

8" P1 Standard _____ 1st and NQ
missed Q by 0.25 second!

May 25 - 27, USDAA Riverside, Wide World of Indoor Sports No. Kingstown, RI

Judy Kessler and Monte

22" PII Pairs _____ 1st and Q
22" PII Snooker _____ 2nd & Q

PIIS TITLE

On to the PIII Snooker ring and even more excitement.

Lynne von Trapp and Brill

22" Starters Pairs _____ 1st and Q
22" Starters Snooker _____ 1st & Q
22" Starters Jumpers _____ 1st & Q
22" Starters Pairs _____ 1st & Q and SR title
22" Starters Gamblers 1st & Q and SG title
22" Starters Snooker 1st and Q and SS title
22" Starters Standard _____ 1st & Q
22" Starters Jumpers _____ 1st & Q

Don and Maggie

Masters Snooker _____ 2nd, Q
SCH-S TITLE

Performance GP _____ 3rd, Q
Masters Gambler _____ 1st, Q
Performance Speed Jumping _____ 3rd, Q

May 25-26; Classic Toy Dog Club Of Western Massachusetts AKC trial; Fitchburg, MA

Ashley Fischer and Daphne

8" Excellent Preferred JWW _____ 1st and Q

Ashley Fischer and Chloe

4" Novice Preferred JWW _____ 1st and Q

25-26 May, MEMASC CPE, Westminster VT

Malia and Caroline

L5 Jackpot _____ 1st and Q
L5 Snooker _____ 1st and Q
L4 Colors _____ 1st and Q

Cynthia Gilliland and Heather

Standard L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) 2nd and Q
Wildcard L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) 2nd and Q
FullHouse L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) _____ Q
Colors L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) ___4th and Q
Jumpers L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) ___4th and Q
Snooker L5, 16 in. (12 in. vet) ___3rd and Q

Cynthia and Rosie

Jackpot L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 2nd and Q
Wildcard L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
FullHouse L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
SChFH - Level 5 FullHouse Champion title
Colors L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 3rd and Q

CS-ATCH2

Jumpers L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q
Snooker L5, 8 in. Specialist _____ 1st and Q

Cynthia and Eero

Standard L4, 16 in. _____ 1st and Q
Jackpot L4, 16 in. _____ 2nd and Q
FullHouse L5, 16 in. _____ Q
Colors L4, 16 in. _____ 3rd and Q
Jumpers L5, 16 in. _____ 3rd and Q



CS-ATCH2 ROSIE

NOMAD COMING EVENTS CALENDAR

Compiled by Erica Ferland as of 6/4/2013

	Venue	Club	Location	Runs	Opens	Closes	Secretary	Web/email
June 2013								
31-2	AKC	Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Ret	Greenwich, NY	400	4/10	5/10	Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
31-2	USDAA	Contact Agility Club	Hamden, CT			5/20	George Bennett	geosas@gmail.com
1-2	CPE	Stockade Agility	Glenville, NY	375		5/20	Cassi Isachsen	agilitypugs@nycap-rr.com
1-2	AKC	Norwegian Elkhound Association	Westford, MA	660	4/3	5/11	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
7-9	CPE	Agility Dogs of the Adirondacks	Westport, NY	300		5/24	Billie Marsh	marshb@westelcom.com
7-9	AKC	Southern Berkshire Golden	Tolland, CT	660	4/3	5/18	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
7-9	USDAA	CATS	Keene, NH			5/15	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
10-11	AKC	Mayflower Pembroke Corgi	Amherst, NH	330	4/17	5/25	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
14-16	USDAA	NOMAD	Stowe, VT			5/31	Kim Ingraham	paws4funvt@gmail.com
14-16	AKC	Cape Cod Kennel Club	East Falmouth, MA	660	4/17	5/25	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
15-16	NADAC	Northeast Agility Enthusiasts	Dummerston, VT				Erin Wajda	nae@northeastagility.com
15-17	AKC	Southern Adirondack Agility Club	Greenwich, NY	330	4/17	5/25	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
21-23	USDAA	Stockade Agility	Glenville, NY			6/3	Kara Kingsbury	Aussiegirls77@hotmail.com
21-23	CPE	Paws N Effect	Hamden, CT	375		6/13	Bonnie Collins	bl.collins@snet.net
21-23	CPE	Bo-Gee Agility	Deerfield, NH			6/5	Judy Davis	tss@trialsecretary.com
21-23	AKC	Nutmeg Border Collie Club	Tolland, CT	660	5/8	6/3	Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
21-23	AKC	Collie Club of Maine	Scarborough, ME	660	5/1	6/1	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
28-30	CPE	Muddy Paws Agility Club	Westminister, VT	375		5/28	Doreen Lucius	fleabegon@yahoo.com
29-30	AKC	Albany Obedience Club	Glenmont, NY	660	5/1	6/8	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
29-30	AKC	Agility Club of NH	Amherst, NH	330	5/15	6/10	Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
29-30	USDAA	All Dogs Gym	Manchester, NH			6/14	Kim Tees	itees1@maine.rr.com
29-30	NADAC	CATS	Swanzey, NH				Donna Allen	donnaa6546@gmail.com
July 2013								
5	USDAA	Agile Dogs Agility Training	Stephentown, NY			6/24	Trisha Stall	Trisha@agiledogs.net
5-7	CPE	Southern CT Agility Team	Hamden, CT	375		6/21	Janet Nolan	janlabs@aol.com
5-7	CPE	Sugar Bush Farm	Stephentown, NY	375		6/21	Barb Fribourg	blfribourg@gmail.com
5-7	NADAC	Northeast Agility Enthusiasts	Dummerston, VT				Erin Wajda	www.northeastagility.com
6-7	USDAA	Agile Dogs Agility Training	Stephentown, NY			6/24	Trisha Stall	Trisha@agiledogs.net
6-7	AKC	Colonial Shetland Sheepdog	N. Smithfield, RI	660	5/15	6/15	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
12-14	USDAA	Riverside Canine Center	N. Kingstown, RI			6/20	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
13-14	AKC	Yankee Golden Retriever Club	N. Smithfield, RI	660	5/15	6/22	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
19-21	USDAA	Bark! NH	Manchester, NH			7/3	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
20-21	AKC	Collie Club of New England	N. Smithfield, RI	660	5/29	6/29	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
25-28	AKC	Green Mountain Golden/BOTC	Shelburne, VT	330	5/29	7/6	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
26-28	USDAA	Stockade Agility	Glenville, NY			7/8	Kara Kingsbury	Aussiegirls77@hotmail.com
26-28	CPE	Bo-Gee Agility	Deerfield, NH	375		7/3	Judy Davis	tss@trialsecretary.com
27-28	AKC	American Lhasa Apso Club	Amherst, NH	330	5/29	7/6	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
August 2013								
1-4	AKC	Central NY Sheltie	Brewerton, NY	660	6/12	7/13	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
2	USDAA	Agile Dogs Agility Training	Stephentown, NY			7/15		
2-4	CPE	Muddy Paws Agility Club	Westminister, VT	375		7/9	Doreen Lucius	fleabegon@yahoo.com
3-4	AKC	Agility Club of NH	Amherst, NH	330			Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
3-4	AKC	Talcott Mountain Agility Club	Hamden, CT	330	6/12	7/14	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
9-11	CPE	All Dogs Gym	Manchester, NH	400		7/19	Sue Fontaine	miniawussies5@comcast.net
9-11	USDAA	Riverside Canine Center	N. Smithfield, RI			7/23	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
9-11	NADAC	Northeast Agility Enthusiasts	Dummerston, VT				Erin Wajda	www.northeastagility.com
10-11	AKC	Nutmeg Border Collie Club	Hamden, CT	330	7/3	8/7	Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
10-11	AKC	Tartan Gordon Setter Club	Amherst, NH	330	6/12	7/20	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
16-18	AKC	American Eskimo Dog Club	Amherst, NH	330	6/12	7/27	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
17-18	NADAC	NOMAD	Stowe, VT				Erin Wajda	www.northeastagility.com
23-25	AKC	Susque Nango Kennel Club	CheNango Forks, NY	660	6/26	8/3	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
23-25	AKC	Tri-State Sheltie	Hamden, CT	330	7/24	8/7	Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
24-25	AKC	Yankee Golden Retriever Club	Amherst, NH	330	6/26	8/3	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
24-25	AKC	Southern Adirondack Agility Club	Greenfield, MA	330	6/26	8/3	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
24-25	CPE	Gemini Dogs	Littleton, MA	375		8/14	Michelle Boreilli	www.geminidogs.com
31-2	AKC	Eastern English Springer	N. Smithfield, RI	660	6/26	8/10	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
31-1	AKC	Granite State Sheltie	Manchester, NH	330	6/26	8/10	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
31-1	USDAA	ARFF Agility Club	Westfield, MA			8/15	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
30-1	CPE	Sugar Bush Farm	Stephentown, NY	375		8/16	Barb Fribourg	www.sugarbushfarm.net
September 2013								
6-7	AKC	Skyline Agility Club	Middletown, NY	400	7/10	8/17	Robin Ohrt	www.4pawrule.com
6-8	CPE	Paws N Effect	Hamden, CT	375		8/19	Bonnie Collins	bl.collins@snet.net
6-8	USDAA	Y Agility	TBD			8/19	TBD	TBD
7-8	AKC	Old Colony Agility Club	Amherst, NH	330	7/10	8/17	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
7-8	CPE	Agility Dogs of Schenectady	Stephentown, NY	375		8/20	Debbie Wlodarski	gabysam@juno.com
13-15	USDAA	Riverside Canine Center	N. Smithfield, RI			8/22	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
14-15	AKC	Pioneer Valley Kennel Club	Westfield, MA	660	7/10	8/24	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
14-15	CPE	CATS	Keene, NH	375		8/28	Nancy Obara	www.canineagility.org
20-22	AKC	Wachusett Kennel Club	Amherst, NH	330	7/10	8/31	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
21-22	USDAA	Playing Agility with Style	Greenfield, MA			8/27	Valori Duff	valwaussies@comcast.net
21-22	AKC	Tri-County Collie Club	Hamden, CT	330	7/10	8/31	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
26-29	AKC	Wine Country Circuit	Romulus, NY	660	7/24	9/7	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
27-29	CPE	Bo-Gee Agility	Amherst, NH	375		9/4	Judy Davis	tss@trialsecretary.com
28-29	AKC	TMAC	Tolland, CT	660	7/24	9/7	Noreen Bennett	www.pawprinttrials.com
28-29	USDAA	All Dogs Gym	Manchester, NH			9/13	Kim Tees	itees1@maine.rr.com

The above listed events are in the following states within a reasonable driving distance for most of us: New England and New York. Please note for some events full information is not yet available. Please contact Erica Ferland (erferland@pagesculptor.com) with any corrections of the events. Sources include www.akc.org, usdaa.com, k9cpe.com, nadac.com, www.4pawrule.com, www.pawprinttrials.com and various other sources.

NOMAD NADAC Trial Save the Date.

Aug. 17-18, at the Topnotch Meadow field in Stowe, VT. Look for the premium, it will be coming out in June. Come and join the fun!

Karen & Cynthia, co-chairs

Summer Practice Schedule

For a schedule and directions to the practice site, please visit www.nomadagility.com and click on Practice Opportunities.

A social hour follows practice. BYOBeverage and a snack to share.

Practice Formats

Course Practice: One team trains at a time.

Sequences and Course Practice: Two or three teams train on separate sequences simultaneously. During the full course, one team is on course at a time.

The first practice of each month is for Novice dogs and/or handlers. Courses will be Novice, with lowered contacts and channel weaves. One dog at a time is on course. Advanced dogs are welcome.

June

- 4 Novice
- 11 Sequences and Course Practice
- 18 Course Practice
- 25 Sequences and Course Practice

July

- 2 Novice
- 9 Sequences and Course Practice
- 16 Course Practice
- 23 Sequences and Course Practice
- 30 TBD

August

- 6 Novice
- 13 Sequences and Course Practice
- 20 Course Practice
- 27 Sequences and Course Practice

September

- 3 Novice
- 10 Sequences and Course Practice
- 17 Course Practice
- 24 Sequences and Course Practice