

Agility Events 2020129811 and 2020129812

# PREMIUM LIST Golden Retriever Club of Illinois

Licensed by the American Kennel Club  
**All Breed Agility Trial**  
*This Event is Accepting Entries for Dogs  
Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program*



Saturday and Sunday, July 25 – 26, 2020

All Standard, Jumpers With Weaves, Premier, FAST, and Time2Beat Classes  
*In conjunction with Lyons Township Dog Training Club  
at the same site on Friday, July 24, 2020*

**IMPORTANT:** Fees for the Lyons show on Friday must be made out to LTDTC on a separate check.

**Max McCook Athletic Center**  
4750 Vernon Ave  
McCook, IL 60525-6002  
**2 Rings 90x110 indoors on artificial turf.**  
**Site is Air Conditioned.**

Show Hours: 6:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Judging begins at 8:00 a.m.

Entries limited to 700 runs per day.

Entries will be chosen by random draw.

Entries open at 8:00 a.m. on May 1, 2020

**Opening period ends at 6:00 a.m. on June 27, 2020**

Random draw will be held at 8:00 a.m. on June 28, 2020  
at 22W462 Sycamore Dr., Glen Ellyn, IL 60137.

After-close wait list is offered. See details inside premium.

**FEO – For Exhibition Only entries accepted at this trial**

**Final closing date 8:00 p.m. on July 11, 2020**

after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted, except as provided for in Chapter 11, section 6 of the Dog Show Rules.



Certification: Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Gina M. Dinardo, Executive Secretary

## Golden Retriever Club of Illinois Officers

President: Donna Bihner  
Vice President: Miriam Zarate  
Secretary: Betty Smith, 28W085 Cantigny Dr, Winfield, IL 60190  
Treasurer: Murray Mitchneck

## Event Committee

Trial Chairperson:	Kim Mroczenski, 6916 Westview Dr, Oak Forest, IL 60452 (708) 829-8105 Kim.mroczenski@bairdwarner.com
Committee Members	Michelle Kolb Kim Mroczenski Betty Smith Robin Comp Zelles Mark Mroczenski Andie Zelles

## Trial Secretary

**Robert Olson – GRCI, 817 Ogden Ave. #3549, Lisle, IL 60532-8549  
(630) 790-8426, secretary@livetrial.net**

**ENTRY INFORMATION:** Entry fee is **\$22** for the 1<sup>st</sup> entry, **\$18** for the 2<sup>nd</sup>, **\$16** for the 3<sup>rd</sup>, **\$14** for the 4<sup>th</sup>, **\$12** for the 5<sup>th</sup>, and **\$12** for the 6<sup>th</sup> entry per dog, per day (includes \$3.50 AKC recording fee plus \$3.00 recording fee for each additional entry).

Mail all entries with fees (checks or money orders only; no starter checks please)

**payable to GRCI to:**

Robert Olson – GRCI, 817 Ogden Ave. #3549, Lisle, IL 60532-8549

A maximum of ten (10) dogs may be submitted per envelope of entries. *Entries that are incorrect, illegible, or incomplete will not be accepted and will be returned without prior notification to the exhibitor.*

**Express mail entries must waive the signature requirement or they will be refused.** Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on their entry forms. Trial secretary assumes no responsibility for incorrect entry information due to illegibility of the entry. Entries will not be accepted without proper fees and signatures. Entries must be submitted on entry forms with the AKC agreement printed on the reverse side. Entries submitted without the agreement will be returned. If any exhibitor wishes to know that he made it into the trial after the draw, he must either include a valid email address on the entry form (preferred) or include a self-addressed stamped postcard or envelope to be returned after the draw date.

**Hand delivery address:** 22W462 Sycamore Dr, Glen Ellyn, IL 60137 in the mailbox by the front door.

## JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

	<b>Gill Chapman #97743</b> 8771 Barco Ln Jacksonville, FL 32244-1054	<b>Ross Johnson #104657</b> 169 Hazy Ln Greenwood, IN 46142
<b>Saturday</b>	All Std & T2B	All JWW & FAST
<b>Sunday</b>	All JWW & FAST	All Std & T2B

*Tentative Running Order: Ring 1: T2B, Premier Std, Master/Excellent Std, Open Std, Novice Std. Ring 2: Premier JWW, Master/ Excellent JWW, Open JWW, Novice JWW, Master/ Excellent FAST, Open FAST, Novice FAST*

***If a problem occurs at the show site, please bring it to the attention of the Trial Chairperson Kim Mroczenski. Site issues should not be raised with employees of Max McCook Athletic Center.***

**MOVE-UP REGULATIONS:** Dogs may be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for an agility title, provided that the request is made in writing to the trial secretary only. Forms may be mailed to Robert Olson, 817 Ogden Ave. #3549, Lisle, IL 60532-8549 or emailed to secretary@livetrial.net. No phone move-ups.

Pretrial moveups (for any trial day) must be received by the trial secretary by 6:00 p.m. Monday, July 20, 2020. Day to day moveups are offered, and must be completed at the show site by the time the last ribbon is awarded on the trial day.

Dogs so moved up will be entered at the end of the running order, and every effort will be made to accommodate handlers running multiple dogs the same class. *A dog which has been entered in a Novice "A" class for which it is not eligible to be entered in due to class restrictions on the dog or handler may be moved to the Novice "B" class under the following conditions: The request for the move must be in writing and presented to the superintendent or trial secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of each trial. The request must state the reason and justification for the move from a Novice "A" class to the Novice "B" class.*

**AKC AGILITY MOVE-UP FORM**

Move-ups must be made in writing - verbal requests will not be accepted. Email move-ups are acceptable. Return forms to the Trial Secretary only.

*Notice to exhibitors using email:* if you do not receive an acknowledgement from me, I did not receive your message! I am not responsible for misdirected email, and unfortunately cannot make allowances for it.

AKC Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed/Variety: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the appropriate selection(s):

<b>PROGRAM:</b>	Regular	Preferred					
<b>CLASS:</b>	Standard	JWW	FAST				
<b>DAY:</b>	Friday	Saturday	Sunday				
<b>ENTERED IN:</b>	Nov	Nov A	Nov B	Open	Excellent		
<b>MOVE TO:</b>	Open	Excellent	Master				
<b>JUMP HEIGHT:</b>	4	8	12	16	20	24	24C

**NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:**

*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 unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.*

An exercise area will be provided. All handlers must pick up after their dogs. Anyone not cleaning up after his or her dog will be excused from the trial with no refunds for entry fees.

The owner/handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when the class is to be judged. Please help your fellow competitors, the trial workers, and the judge by checking in with the gate steward well ahead of your run, and being prompt at the line when your turn comes to run. Conflicts between the rings should be discussed with the gate steward prior to the start of the class.

**AFTER CLOSE WAIT LIST:** The clubs are offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 50 entries per day will be placed on the clubs' wait list. All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by the Trial Secretary prior to closing at 6:00 pm, July 11, 2020. Any entries withdrawn that are received by 6:00 pm on Monday, July 20, 2020 will be replaced by a wait listed entry if any are available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by 6:00 pm on July 20, 2020 will not be charged.

**REFUNDS:** Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, excused, disqualified or barred from the competition by action of the Show Committee. No entry fees will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond control of the organizing committee. Entry fees will not be returned after the closing date for any reason with the following exceptions: bitches in season will receive a refund, less an \$8.00 per day administrative fee. Injured dogs may receive a refund, less an \$8.00 per day administrative fee; these will be handled on a case by case basis. For both bitches in season and injured dogs a signed statement from a veterinarian must be sent or presented to the trial secretary at least 1/2 hour before judging begins

**PRIZES AND AWARDS:** Dogs must qualify to receive awards. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. Placement rosettes will be rewarded for 1st through 4th place in each class in each height division. New Title ribbons will be available if requested. Grand Champion, MACH, PACH, and PAX Ribbons and bars will be awarded. Each exhibitor will receive a dog-related thank you gift. Each Golden Retriever entered will receive a dog-related gift. All prizes must be claimed at the trial; none will be mailed.

**CATALOGS:** Catalogs will be available by presale. If you would like a catalog, check the catalog box on your entry form and include \$12.00 in addition to your entry fees. A limited number of catalogs will be available for purchase at the trial for \$15.00 each.

**VETERINARIAN (on call)**  
 VCA Berwyn Animal Hospital  
 2845 South Harlem Ave  
 Berwyn, IL 60402  
 (708) 749-4200

*Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations. Illinois law requires proof of rabies vaccination.*

**HEIGHT DIVISIONS:** Owners are responsible for entering the proper height divisions. Handlers may opt to run in a higher height division in the Regular program, but not in a lower division than their proper height division. Handlers must run in their proper height division in the Preferred program.

Regular	Preferred	
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.
		Regular Dogs may not be entered in this height if they are 22 inches and under.
24C"	N/A	Dogs may be entered at this height at their owner's discretion if their measurement is 22 inches and under at the withers. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

**Dogs that run in a height division lower than their proper division will be eliminated.**

It is your responsibility to have your dog measured if he does not have a height card. If you need to be measured at the trial, please check the "My dog needs to be measured" box on the entry form.

**DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER:** 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, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds are eligible to participate, except bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Mixed breed dogs that have been listed with AKC Canine Partners may participate provided their listing number has been recorded on the entry form.

**SAFETY:** The safety of the dogs 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.

**COURSE FAMILIARIZATION/OBSTACLES:** Handlers are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. A walk-through period will be held prior to each class. The walk-through may be split at the judges discretion. The judges briefing will outline the course and answer handler questions. Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the regulations for Agility Trials. **There will be no contact familiarization for Novice dogs at any of these trials.**

**ELECTRONIC TIMERS:** This trial will be using electronic timers in all rings.

Single copies of the latest edition of the rules may be obtained without charge from the AKC at 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390. Also available online at [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org)

**RV PARKING:** RV parking is available across Vernon Avenue from the show site.

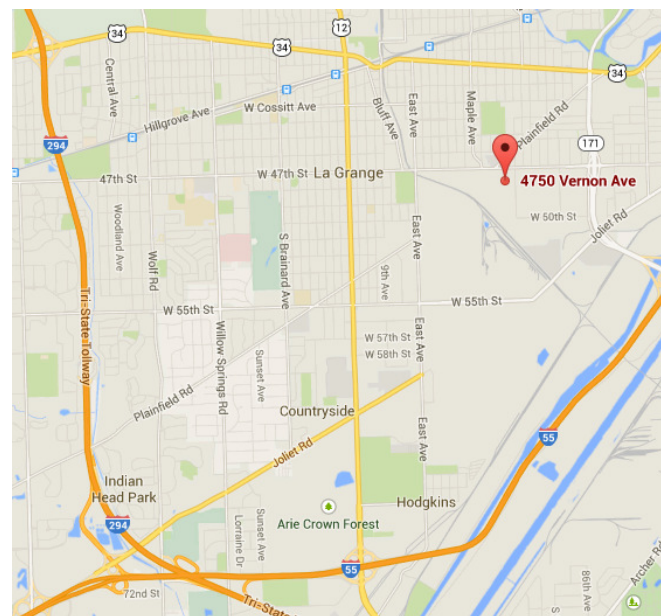
**DIRECTIONS:**

*From I-294:* Exit I-294 at Ogden Avenue East. Continue East on Ogden Avenue for 2.6 miles to East Avenue. Go RIGHT (South) on East Avenue for 0.8 miles. Go LEFT (East) onto 47th Street. Go East on 47th Street for 0.8 miles to Vernon. Turn RIGHT (South) onto Vernon to MAX.

*From I-55:* Exit I-55 at IL-171 North. Continue North on IL-171 for 1.2 miles. Take the 47th Street Ramp exit and turn LEFT (West) onto 47th Street. Continue on 47th Street for 0.6 miles to Vernon. Turn LEFT (South) onto Vernon to MAX.

**HOTEL INFORMATION:** The following hotels have graciously agreed to accept guests with dogs, however we must rely on your assistance in keeping this privilege available for future events, so please keep the hotel rooms and grounds clean. As always, please verify that your chosen hotel's policy has not changed.

- Motel 6: 9625 S. 76th Avenue, Bridgeview, IL (708) 430-1818
- Extended Stay: 15 W. 122nd South Frontage Road, Burr Ridge, IL (630) 323-6630
- Red Roof Inn: 7325 Kingery Hwy (IL Rt. 83), Willowbrook, IL (630) 323-8811
- Red Roof Inn: 1113 Butterfield Road (IL Rt. 56), Downers Grove, IL (630) 963-4205



# Volunteer Sign-up Form

**We need your help!**

We can guarantee entry spots for 65 workers in the random draw for this trial.

Please fill in the information below, include this form with your entry, and write WORKER on the outside of your entry envelope. Please note that returning this form will not guarantee entry into the trial. Job notifications will be made by the Chairman or Worker Coordinator as soon as possible. Morning refreshments and lunch will be provided for workers.

Workers will also receive a Thank You gift!

Worker Coordinator: Andie Zelles, zellesa@aol.com

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the jobs you would be willing to do, cross out the jobs you do not want to do. Blank jobs will be assumed to be circled.

Leash Runner          Sheet Runner          Timer          Scribe

Course Builder          Bar Setter          Scribe Assistant

Gate Steward

*Exhibitors helping to tear down the show site and load the trailer on Sunday, July 29, after the show will receive \$5 vouchers for the next GRCI Agility Trial.*

Thank you so much for helping us run an efficient and enjoyable trial!!



**Come Join the Fun With  
GRCI for our Annual Non-Regular Agility Runs!  
Friday, July 24, 2020**

**\$5 per Run  
Proceeds will be donated to the Golden Retriever Lifetime  
Study – Morris Animal Foundation.**

**A perfect time and place for your team to run  
in a show environment with the ability  
to reward and have tons of fun.**

**Pretend Judge included!**

There will be two rings: a Standard (contacts) ring and a Jumpers ring.  
Each Ring will hold 50 Runs – One run per dog per ring  
Entries Accepted at start of Friday's Trial  
Sign up at the Exhibitor Hospitality Table from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm  
Course Walks will begin 30 minutes after conclusion  
of first ring of Friday's LTDTTC Trial  
All Dogs 15 months of Age and Older Are Allowed to Enter  
No Bitches in Season or Injured Canines Allowed to Enter  
**Only Toys Are Permitted in the Rings – NO FOOD**

The four teams in each height and course that complete the sequence with  
the least amount of errors and fastest times  
will be awarded a prize!  
For further details on the Non-Regular Agility Runs,  
please see the link below:

<http://rdolson.org/GRCIFunRun>

**Hope to See You and Your Pup There!**

## **Class Changes Effective January 1, 2020**

### **Entering a Mixture of Regular and Preferred Classes Within the Same Trial Weekend – Multiple Jump Heights Within the Same Trial Day**

Effective January 1, 2020, exhibitors may enter a mixture of both Regular and Preferred classes on the same trial day and/or during a trial weekend. Any mixture of Regular and Preferred classes is allowed. Please note that if a dog qualifies in Regular Master Standard and Preferred Master JWW (or vice versa) on the same trial day, then NO Double Q shall be earned toward either the MACH or PACH title. The Double Q still requires that Standard Agility and Jumpers With Weaves be either both Regular OR both Preferred on the same trial day.

Additionally, within the same Regular or Preferred classes, a dog may now be entered in multiple jump heights within the same trial day. For example, the same dog may now be entered in 20-inch Master STD/JWW while also entered in 24C-inch Premier STD/JWW on the same trial day.

A separate entry form must be submitted when the same dog is being entered in a mixture of Regular and Preferred and/or different jump heights within the same trial weekend thereby clearly indicating which class(es) and/or jump heights belong together for each trial day of the weekend.

### **Fix and Go On (FNG)**

As of January 1, 2020, Fix and Go On will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on course when the dog's performance of an obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using FNG will result in a non-qualifying score.

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run.

## **Entering For Exhibition Only (FEO)**

As of January 1, 2020, For Exhibition Only may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will be offered on a one-year pilot basis in order to give AKC time to evaluate its impact. FEO will allow exhibitors to work with their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is only allowed in the Time 2 Beat and FAST classes. FEO will be of value to new exhibitors or exhibitors that are having difficulty with a specific obstacle and/or ring environment. Competitors must enter in T2B and/or FAST. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.

- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) (T2B and/or FAST) 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 in any level of FAST (Novice, Open, Excellent, Master). 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. FEO may be declared earlier (ex. when checking in at the gate board).
- Toys are allowed in the ring
  - Toys must be non-audible
  - Toys may not leave the handler's hand
  - Toys that roll freely cannot be used
- Food/treats are not allowed in the ring
- FEO should be utilized for the benefit of the dog and not as a punitive correction. Harsh verbal and /or physical corrections shall not be tolerated. Any determination of harshness by the judge shall be immediately whistled and the handler will be dismissed from the ring.
- A judge must monitor the entire run. Judges can stop a run at any time



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

Golden Retriever Club of Illinois July 25 – 26, 2020

Opens: 5/1/2020 • Draw Closes 6/27/20 • Closes: 7/11/2020

Table with 7 columns: Date, STD, JWW, FAST, T2B, PremSTD, PremJWW. Rows for Sat 7/25/20 and Sun 7/26/20.

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$22, 2nd run \$18, 3rd run \$16, 4th run \$14, 5th & 6th runs \$12

Make checks payable to: GRCl; Mail to: Robert Olson – GRCl, 817 Ogden Ave #3549, Lisle, IL 60532

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table with 2 main columns: REGULAR Classes and PREFERRED Classes. Sub-columns for jump heights (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and class types (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B).

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes  STD  JWW

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured (Yes/No), BREED, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, VARIETY, CALL NAME, AKC® NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields: AKC® NO, ILP NO, PAL NO, FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY, BREEDER, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY), Enter Complete Registration # below

Form fields: SIRE, DAM, ACTUAL OWNERS

Form fields: OWNERS ADDRESS, CITY, STATE ZIP + 4,  NEW ADDRESS

Form fields: HANDLER, ENTER JR. HANDLER # if applicable

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

AGREEMENT

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...

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 of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom...

INSTRUCTIONS

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.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine PartnersSM 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.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767.

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  New Email

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_