



Austin K9 Xpress

March 1 – 3, 2019

Dripping Springs Ranch Park (DSRP)
1042 Event Center Dr. – Dripping
Springs, TX 78620

www.drippingspringsranchpark.com

Judge:

James Bell

Building and Ring Surface info:

Indoor Horse Arena on Packed Dirt

Contact Surface:

Rubber Contacts

Crating Set up times:

Friday: 11:30 am

Saturday & Sunday: 7 am

Briefing at:

Friday: 12:45 pm

Saturday & Sunday: 7:45 am

First dog on the line at:

Friday: 1 pm

Saturday & Sunday: 8 am

Preliminary Class Order:

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

Friday

Ring 1	Ring 2
Chances	Weavers 1 & 2
Regular 1 & 2	Jumpers

Saturday

Ring 1	Ring 2
Regular 1 & 2	Tunnelers 1 & 2
Chances 1 & 2	Hoopers 1 & 2

Sunday

Ring 1	Ring 2
Touch n Go 1 & 2	Jumpers 1 & 2
Regular 1 & 2	Barrelers 1 & 2

Check In times:

Friday: Noon

Saturday & Sunday: 7:15 am

Entries Open on:

When premium available.

Entries Close on:

Must be post marked by
February 22, 2019

Crating available:

Crating on dirt around the rings
Horse stalls available for crating

Double run or Standard format:

This will be a 1-ring trial utilizing 2 rings.

NO CONFLICTS!

Double Run Format (Walk Once & Run
Same Course 2 times!)

We are offering Swapping of classes on
Friday only (see description on page 5).

Entry Limits:

Discount-eligible entries close Friday
February 22, 2019 or when trial entry
limits of 500 runs per day are reached.
DAY OF SHOW entries will be taken as
space allows.

Move ups:

Move ups will be available for Sunday
only. Deadline for requests is 30 minutes
after the last run on Saturday.

Day of show Entries:

Day-of-show entries will be
accommodated ONLY if space available

Refunds:

No refunds will be made for entries
withdrawn after the closing date. If the
trial cannot be held for reasons beyond
the show committee's control, no refunds
will be made.

Show Committee

Chair: Jan Daley

Secretary: Kim Galusha

Facilities/CoChair: Irene Moore

Worker Raffle: Shari Kolding

Chief Course Builders: Lauren
Goldberg & Bill Cory

Confirmations:

Will be e-mailed.

Food info:

There are several fast food and dine-in
restaurants within 10 minutes of the trial
site. Our famous worker hospitality room
will have great snacks for our volunteer
workers.

Volunteer info:

Signup sheet will be e-mailed to everyone
entered. This show can't happen without
you. Thanks for volunteering.

Awards and Ribbons:

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through
4th places in all jump heights in all
classes. Rosettes will be awarded for
those finishing a title, and Qualifying
Rosettes will be awarded for those
achieving a qualifying score. There are no
placement ribbons awarded in Chances
as it is a pass/fail class. Special awards
are available to those teams achieving a
NATCH.

Equipment info:

Rubber surfaced dog walk & A-frame,
tunnels, hoops, jumps, barrels, and 24"
weave poles. Electronic timers will be
used at this trial.

Jump Height Info:

MEASURING

Measurement forms may be obtained at <http://nadac.com/Application-for-Permanent-Height-Card.htm>

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 www.nadac.com 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.
- Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. There will be a \$25.00 service charge for bank returned checks.
- Dog must be registered and have a valid registration number before entries will be accepted. <http://nadac.com/afirm/dogregfrm.asp> A copy of the current Exhibitors Handbook may be downloaded free from the NADAC web site: www.nadac.com
- 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 collars, leads, food, toys, clickers, or other aids or devices shall be permitted on the course. No, food, toys, clickers within 10 feet of the ring. Food or small toys can be in a secure container in pocket during a containerized trial.
- 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.

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Make Checks Payable to: Austin K9 Xpress

Send entries to: Austin K9Xpress Agility Club
c/o Kim Galusha
6800 West Gate Blvd, Suite 13255, Austin, Texas 78745

Questions? Contact Kim Galusha at galusha@austin.rr.com

Owner	Dog						
Name	Call Name						
Address	NADAC Reg #						
City/State/Zip	Date of Birth						
Phone	Height at Withers						
Email	Breed						
Handler, if not owner	Emergency Contact Name/Phone						
PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR DOG'S HEIGHT CARD IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ONE ON FILE.							
CATEGORY: PROFICIENT <input type="checkbox"/> SKILLED <input type="checkbox"/>							
DIVISION: STANDARD <input type="checkbox"/> VET DOG <input type="checkbox"/> VET HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR HANDLER <input type="checkbox"/>							
I WANT MY DOG TO JUMP: <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 20							
Class	Level				Day		
	Intro	Novice	Open	Elite	Friday – Swap Day	Saturday	Sunday
Regular	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Chances	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Swap <input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Jumpers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Swap <input type="checkbox"/>		Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Touch n Go	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Tunnelers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Weavers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>		
Hoopers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	
Barrelers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			Rd 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rd 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
<small>In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we certify that I/we have knowledge of, and are familiar with, and agree to abide by, the Rules and Regulations of NADAC in effect at the time of this trial, and by any additional rules and regulations as approved by NADAC for this trial. I/we certify that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. I/we further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on page 5 of this premium. Friday only: We are offering class swapping! Only 4 runs with jumps may be entered. Select a maximum of 4 runs marked in yellow.</small>							

Number of Total Runs Entered (all dogs): # _____

1- 8 Runs = \$14 each = _____

9- 20 Runs = \$12 each = _____

21 - 30 Runs = \$11 each = _____

31 or more Runs = \$10 each = _____

Junior Handler = \$7 each = _____

Day of Show (after closing) \$18 each = _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED = _____

Owner/Exhibitor: _____ Date _____

Parent or Legal Guardian of Junior Handler _____

AGREEMENT

The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

1.1. As used here "NADAC" means the North American Dog Agility Council, LLC., its members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees and agents.

1.2. Exhibitor/owner agree to abide by the rules and regulations of NADAC and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.

1.3. Exhibitor/owner certify that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.

1.4. Exhibitor/owner acknowledge all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the surface, restrooms, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fittings, show rings, parking areas and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.

1.5. Exhibitor/owner releases NADAC (including its respective officers, directors, employees, and members), **Austin K9 Xpress** (including its officers, directors, members, and event organizing committee), and Dripping Springs Ranch Park (including its officers, agents, and employees) and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, the event or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assumes sole responsibility for and agrees to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

Run Pricing Info

1- 8 Runs	\$14 each	9- 20 Runs	\$12 each
21 - 30 Runs	\$11 each	31 or more Runs	\$10 each
Junior Handler	\$7 each	Day of Show (after closing)	\$18 each

Checks not honored by the bank do not constitute a valid entry fee. A \$35 service fee will be charged for bank returned checks.

SWAPPING CLASSES

On Friday, we are offering the option of running an extra round of Chances or Jumpers, but you must give up a jumping round to do so. You can give up a round of either Regular or Jumpers to gain an extra round of Chances, or a round of either Regular or Chances to gain an extra round of Jumpers. A handler may enter no more than 2 rounds of any class per day. And no more than 4 rounds of jumping classes per day.

Valid options for the Friday jumping classes are: 2 Reg & 2 Jumpers, 2 Reg & 2 chances, 2 Chances & 2 Jumpers, or 2 Reg & 1 Jumpers & 1 Chances. Weavers may be entered in addition to the jumping classes.

VETERAN OR DISABLED HANDLER

Disabled handlers or handlers aged 60 yrs. or older may opt to enter the non-jumping classes as a Veteran Handler and receive additional standard course time. This division is for handlers only. The additional SCT is for qualifying purposes only for those who may need the additional time to negotiate the course due to physical limitations. Veteran Handlers in the non-jumping classes will be scored and placed with their standard division jump height. When entering as a Veteran/Disabled Handler, you must enter all classes and all dogs in this division for the weekend.

As of January-2014: Dogs must enter the Veterans Dog Division in all jumping classes after their 9th birthday. After their 12th birthday, dogs must enter the Skilled Category, Veterans Division for jumping classes and Skilled Category for non-jumping classes.

FOOD/TOYS IN POCKET

Food or a small noiseless toy may be carried into the ring in your pocket provided it is contained in a zip lock bag or small container such as a pill bottle. The container cannot be visible in the ring nor within 10 feet of the ring. You cannot indicate to your dog that you have this item on you i.e. patting your pocket. You are not allowed to remove the container until you are at least 10 feet outside the ring. All food and toys must be contained at the trial and none can be left lying about loose. This policy has been implemented to reduce the possibility of dogs fighting over loose food or toys, diminish dogs dragging their handlers back to their crates (or wherever they left their food), and to reduce the number of insects that gather around loose food.

LODGING INFORMATION

Camping & RV:

Dripping Springs Ranch Park RV slots are managed by DSRP and NOT the K9X Trial Committee, contact the site directly for reservations. Primitive tent camping is \$10 per day pay when arrive, no showers, bathroom only. (day is noon – noon, and per vehicle). Payment & reservations are made through the City of Dripping Springs. For more information contact DS Ranch Park at (512) 858-4725.

Area Hotels:

Sleep Inn 2720 E Hwy 290 (512)858-2400

Extended Stay America, Austin SW 5100 Hwy 290 W (512)892-4272

La Quinta 4424 S Mopac (512)899-3000

Motel 6, Austin Airport South 2707 Interregional Hwy S (512)444-5882

Red Roof Inn, Austin South 4701 South IH35 (512)448-0091

There are some dog friendly options on AirBNB.

Location and Directions

Dripping Springs Ranch Park 1042 Event Center Dr. Dripping Springs, TX 78620

The facility is located off Hwy 12, across from Dripping Springs Elementary. For more information visit: www.drippingspringsranchpark.com

Please check your dog's NADAC registration number on your trial confirmation as soon as you receive it; also, please check the copy of the results posted at the trial. You should report any errors to the Trial Secretary immediately. To contact the trial secretary, send email to Kim Galusha at galusha@austin.rr.com.