



2 WCRL Sanctioned Trials*

Saturday, October 28, 2017

Levels 1, 2, 3, Puppy & Veteran - Both Trials

Open to all dogs of any breed and any ability – including mixed breeds and disabled dogs.

Hosted By:



Trials Location:

Pam Dennison's Positive Dogs

349 Route 31 South

Washington, NJ 07882

Limited Entry: 75 Teams per trial

Accepting Entries as of: Saturday August 5, 2017

Entries Close: Friday October 20, 2017 or when trial fills

Judges:

Sandi VerSprill

Renee Hall

Special Ribbons!

Please review our ribbons and make note of what you will be expecting to earn.

Contact/Trial Secretary: Deb Knappenberger

Email: tobychasevern@yahoo.com

Phone: 484-553-0909

*This is a titling event under World Cynosport Rally Limited/APDT rules and regulations.
Go to www.rallydogs.com for more information.

Trial Committee

Trial Secretary Deb Knappenberger 726 E Main St., Macungie PA 18062 sam@kindredcompanions.com	
Trial Chairperson Molly Sumner 37 Eighth St. Frenchtown NJ 08825 molly@kindredcompanions.com	Chief Scorekeeper Deb Knappenberger 726 E Main St., Macungie PA 18062 tobychasevern@yahoo.com

Doors open at 7:30AM. **General briefing, judge's briefing, and walk-throughs will begin at 8:30AM.**

Trial Schedule

Start time for Trial 2 is estimated and will begin after Trial 1 is completed, but no earlier than 12:00PM.

Saturday, July 12th, 2014			
Trial 1 – 8:30AM		Trial 2 – 12:00PM	
Level 1	Sandi Ver Sprill	Puppy	Renee Hall
Level 2	Sandi Ver Sprill	Veteran	Renee Hall
Level 3	Sandi Ver Sprill	Level 1	Renee Hall
Veteran	Sandi Ver Sprill	Level 2	Renee Hall
Puppy	Sandi Ver Sprill	Level 3	Renee Hall

Entries Open: Saturday, August 5, 2017 (by postmark date) Entries submitted via FedEx or Express Mail will be accepted only if the signature waiver is signed. No telephone, email, or fax entries will be accepted.	Entries Close: Friday, October 20, 2017 at 7:00pm Entries must be received no later than Friday, October 20, 2017 unless the trial is not full.
Entries submitted via FedEx or Express Mail will be accepted only if the signature waiver is signed. No telephone, email, or fax entries will be accepted.	

Important:

A member of our trial committee is dangerously allergic to peppermint.

We ask that for the safety of our committee and volunteers, that you DO NOT bring, wear or eat anything containing peppermint in or around the trial location. (Including on your dog)

We thank you for your cooperation!

Facility, Check-In, Crating, and Food

These trials will be held indoors on ¾" rubber mat flooring. The building is heated and air-conditioned but please dress according to weather. Running water is available.

Dogs may be crated in designated crating areas or you may work out of your car. Be sure to bring your own crate for your dog. **No ex-pens allowed in the building.** Volunteers and trial committee members have preference for crating in the building. Please be courteous to other exhibitors. Do not take extra space or block crates. **Please be sure to use Positive Dogs designates potty areas and make sure you clean up after your dog. Dogs must be on leash at all times, indoors and outdoors.**

Entries limited to 75 runs per trial. Any changes to entries, including cancellations, will be accepted until the closing date, October 20, 2017. Changes must be made to the Trial Secretary by e-mail or in writing. Any changes requested after October 20, 2017, up to and including the day of trial, will be subject to a \$20.00 processing fee, payable day of trial. Cancellations received after October 20, 2017, will not be eligible for a refund of fees. Initial confirmation will be sent after receipt of mailed with payment. Final confirmation, judging schedule (if changes required), and running order per trial will be sent by email after the closing date.

If known prior to the trials, level move ups must be submitted to the Trial Secretary via email, ASAP. Level move ups will be allowed between trials. Move ups from the A to B class are mandatory. Move-ups at the trials must be submitted to the Chief Scorekeeper or Trial Secretary using the Move Up Form provided at the trials.

Coffee, tea and breakfast food will be provided for everyone. Lunch will only be available for judges and volunteers but there are plenty of convenience stores/fast food restaurants close to the trials. There is a Dunkin Donuts, Burger King and Shop Rite grocery store nearby.

Awards

Placement rosettes will be awarded to the top five (5) high scoring teams in A and B classes. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to each team in A and B classes that achieve a 170 or better. **Special Qualifying Ribbons will be awarded to teams earning Double and Triple Qs.**

Level title (RL1/RL2/RL3/RLV/RLP), Individual Level Championship title (RL1X/RL2X/RL3X/RLVX/RLPX), and Combined Level Championship title (ARCH/ARCHX/ARCHEX/ARCHMX) rosettes will be awarded.

Special Rosettes will be awarded to Youngest Qualifier, Oldest Qualifier, Farthest Traveled Qualifier, and all dogs earning their First Q. There will be an NQ raffle.

Directions to the Show Site

From the east: Route 80 west to exit 26 (Budd Lake/Hackettstown). From the end of the ramp, go 7.5 miles on 46 west. At light, make a left onto 182S. Go 9/10 of a mile and at 3rd light, make right onto 57 west. Go 10 miles on 57 until you get to the corner of 31 and 57 (major intersection). Make a left onto 31 south and go exactly 1.8 miles. Make a right into the shared driveway of Dunkin' Donuts and Verizon and drive all the way to the back of the big brick building.

From the south: route 31 north. Depending on how far south you are... If you're coming off of route 78 onto 31 North, from the light at W. Main St, go 6.8 miles and make a left into the shared driveway of Dunkin' Donuts and Verizon and drive all the way to the back of the big brick building. (just past the Ford Dealer on left, after the big stand of trees). If you go past the Shop-rite (on your right), you went about 3/10 of a mile too far – turn around)

From Easton/Phillipsburg area: (from the corner of 519 and 57), turn onto 57 East. Go 9.4 miles. At corner of 57 and 31, make a left onto 31 south and go exactly 1.8 miles. Make a right into the shared driveway of Dunkin' Donuts and Verizon and drive all the way to the back of the big brick building.

From 22: – go away from Easton and where 22 meets 57, make left onto 57 East and go 9.4 miles. At corner of 57 and 31, Make a right onto 31 south and go exactly 1.8 miles. Make a right into the shared driveway of Dunkin' Donuts and Verizon and drive all the way to the back of the big brick building.

Local Accommodations

Extended Stay America 71 International Drive., S. Budd Lake NJ (973) 347-4411 - Dogs permitted w/pet fee	This place has great kitchens in every room. It is about 15 minutes from my building. When you call, tell them you want a first floor room, as close to the outside door as possible. They can't guarantee it, but at least they can try. If you tell them you're here for a dog event, you will get a discount
Courtyard by Marriot 15 Howard Blvd. Mt Arlington NJ (973) 770-2000 (small dogs only)	

Since many hotel policies change on dogs being allowed in their rooms, please check at time of booking your room for their policy. Please have your canine companions on their best behavior, so these hotels will want our business again. We recommend dogs be crated in your room when you are not there. And, as always, pick-up after your dog!

Rally Class Description

For a complete description of the Rally rules, regulations, performance guidelines, explanation of exercises, etc. go to www.rallydogs.com. To learn more and get new ideas, you can join the "All Dogs" Rally chat list and talk to other World Cynosport Rally Limited/APDT Rally enthusiasts by sending a message to RallyO-All-Dogs-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

You must be familiar with all the Rally exercise signs, as well as the Rally Rules and Guidelines prior to the event. Go to www.rallydogs.com for an explanation of each of the exercise signs and have fun practicing them with your dog.

Puppy Level

Puppy Level is open to all puppies between the ages of 6 and 12 months. A Puppy Level course will consist of 10 exercises from Level 1, plus Start, Finish, and a Bonus Exercise from Level 1. Please see the Rally Rules and Guidelines on Level Puppy for more details.

Puppy Level (along with RLP and RLPX titles) will be continued until December 31, 2017, after which it will be discontinued and replaced by Intro class. If an RLP is not earned by end of 2017, any Qs earned toward the RLP will be converted to Intro Qs in 2018.

Veteran Class Eligibility Based on Age and Weight (Effective July 1, 2017)

A Veteran Level course will consist of 12 exercises from any Level, plus Start, Finish and a Bonus Exercise from any Level. Please see the Rally Rules and Guidelines on Level Veteran for more details.

Veteran class is open to all dogs who meet the age and weight eligibility as set forth in the following table:

Dog's Weight	Dog's Minimum Age for Veteran Class
90 pounds or more	6 years
50 pounds and less than 90 pounds	7 years
Under 50 pounds	8 years

A and B Classes

A classes are for teams that have NOT yet completed their title at that level.

B classes are for teams that have already completed their title at that level.

Jump Heights (Effective July 1, 2017)

Dogs are not required to be measured the day of the trial or prior to judging. However, judges have the option to measure any dog prior to his/her performance if the dog appears to be entered in a group lower than might be indicated by his/her registered shoulder height. Jump heights may also be modified or the jump exercise excused entirely based on physical challenges (e.g. age, disability such as blindness, or use of a mobility device) that a particular dog may face.

The following table shows the recommended and minimum allowable jump heights based upon the dog's height at the withers. The selected jump height shall be indicated on the Entry Form. The "minimum allowable jump height" for each height category is the minimum height permitted without a Request for Modification being made. A handler may select a higher height at their sole discretion, but must have designated the height on the entry form.

Height at Withers	Minimum Allowable Jump Height	Recommended Jump Height
12" or less	4"	4"
16" or less	4"	8"
20" or less	8"	12"
Over 20"	12"	16"

Note: If modifying your dog's jump height lower than the minimum allowable jump height above, select the modified height on your entry. You must also submit an Exercise Modification Form to be signed by the trial judge and attached to your score sheet. An Exercise Modification Form must be completed for each trial. The Exercise Modification Form can be completed online then printed from <http://rallydogs.com/binary/files/ExerciseModifyFormFillable.pdf> or www.rallydogs.com

Notice to Competitors

Competitors, through submission of entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of WCRL/APDT rules and regulations (see www.rallydogs.com), including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:

- This trial is open to a dog at least six months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season or dogs with disabilities, injuries, or illnesses which may cause the dog pain or great discomfort, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression that threaten the safety of other dogs or humans.
- All dogs shall be shown in a flat buckle or snap collar, plain harness, or properly fitted Martingale (limited slip) collar. No choke collar, prong collars, shock collars, no-pull harnesses, Martingale leads, or head collars are allowed.
- All dogs must be registered with World Cynosport Rally Limited (or previously APDT Rally) or United States Dog Agility Association, Inc. on the day of competition. We regret we cannot accept an entry without a valid WCRL/APDT/USDAA registration number. See www.rallydogs.com to register online, or complete the form included in this premium list and submit it to the WCRL office.
- *All WCRL registration numbers are six (6) digits. If you have not logged into your WCRL account to find the WCRL registration number, contact Ann Allums at the WCRL Office (cs@rallydogs.com), or use the following conversion: If your dog's APDT # is R-08-0956, the WCRL # is 800956. If your dog's APDT # is R-13-10956, the WCRL # is 810956.*
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times. Handlers, through entry at this event, accept full responsibility for themselves and the actions of their dogs.
- The organizing committee may refuse any entry for any reason.
- THERE SHALL BE NO REFUND for entries withdrawn after the closing date or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of reason for such dismissal. A dog or handler who suffers an injury and/or illness or bitches that come into season after the closing date may be eligible for a 50% refund of their total entry fee. Written request for refund must be made to the Trial Secretary BEFORE the end of the event, **October 28, 2017**. Please provide documentation from your veterinarian/physician. There will be no refunds if the trial has to be cancelled for any reason.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. There will be a **\$35.00** service charge for returned checks. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made in cash or money order within 30 days of postmark of notice of returned check where notification is received after event date. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls must be paid prior to the start of the event or entry is cancelled without recourse by owner/handler.
- 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, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers.

- All competitors through entry at this event grant to World Cynosport Rally Limited, their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my and the dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known and waive any and all rights relative thereto.
- All dogs shall be shown in a flat buckle or snap collar, plain harness, or properly fitted martingale (limited slip) collar. No choke collar, prong collars, shock collars, no-pull harnesses, martingale leads, or head collars are allowed.
- All competitors through entry at this event grant to World Cynosport Rally Limited, their representatives, agents, and assigns, hereby release WCRL, the hosting club, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.
- Competitors shall have the right to videotape portions of this event for their personal use only. No portion of this event may be videotaped for commercial or other purposes without the express written consent of World Cynosport Rally Limited.
- Owners with disabilities are encouraged to compete. Any necessary modifications to the exercises must be provided by the handler to the judge and approved by the judge.
- Upon successful completion of a Stationary exercise, the owner may choose to briefly pet or touch the dog as a reward. The owner may also choose to give the dog food as a reward. Food may NOT be used as a lure to help the dog complete an exercise. Food rewards must be contained in pockets and only be present in the owner's hand at the completion of any Stationary exercise. Any petting, touching, or feeding that significantly interrupts the flow of performance shall be scored accordingly. Veteran and Puppy Levels allow food rewards to be used more liberally.
- Dogs must remain under control at all times whether on or off leash while on trial site grounds. Day kenneling only is permitted.
- Please pick up after your dog and yourself.

*****PLEASE NOTE*****

- **Important:** A member of our trial committee is **dangerously allergic to peppermint**. We ask that for the safety of our committee and volunteers, that you **DO NOT bring, wear or eat anything containing peppermint in or around the trial location. (Including on your dog)** We thank you for your cooperation!

Official World Cynosport Rally Limited Entry Form

Kindred Companions LLC • October 28, 2017

Entries Open: August 5, 2017

by postmark • Entries Close: October 20, 2017 unless trial does not fill

Return completed entry with check made payable to **Kindred Companions LLC** to:

Deb Knappenberger, Trial Secretary, 726 E. Main St., Macungie PA 18062

Dog Information Entry forms are per team; please submit a full 2-page entry for each team to be entered.

*WCRL/APDT/USDAA Registration # _____ or R- _____	
Dog's Name as registered with World Cynosport:	Date of Birth:
Call Name:	Height at Withers:
Breed:	^Circle Jump Height (Levels 2 & 3 only) 4" 8" 12" 16"
<i>*Dogs must have a WCRL/APDT /USDAA registration number. Entries will not be accepted or considered valid without a registration number. To register, go to www.rallydogs.com or use the Dog Registration Form in this premium. For dogs with both a WCRL/APDT and USDAA number, the WCRL/APDT number must be used to enter a WCRL event in order for the scores to be credited to the proper record. ^If modification for jump height is being submitted, please circle the <u>MODIFIED</u> jump height on entry form and bring completed Exercise Modification Form to trials for submission to the Trial Secretary.</i>	

Owner/Handler Information

Owner's Name:	Handler's Name: <small>(if different from Owner; must be an immediate family member)</small>
Address:	City: State: Zip:
Phone :	E-Mail:

Entries are accepted on a first-come-first-serve basis. E-mail confirmations will be sent out shortly after your entry has been received. Please include a valid e-mail address or self-addressed postcard with mailed entry. Entries received after closing date will be accepted only if limits have not been reached.

Trial Entry Information

Circle A or B for each class entered.

Saturday – October 28, 2017			
Trial 1 – 8:30AM		Trial 2 – 12:00PM	
Level 1	A or B	Puppy	A or B
Level 2	A or B	Veteran	A or B
Level 3	A or B	Level 1	A or B
Veteran	A or B	Level 2	A or B
Puppy	A or B	Level 3	A or B

Entry Fees

Total Number of Classes Entered: _____ All Levels: \$27 Puppy & Veteran: \$20 More than three entries with same dog: \$22.00 Make checks payable to Kindred Companions .	\$
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I anticipate earning the following title(s):				
RL1	RL2	RL3	RLP	RLV
RL1X	RL2X	RLX3	RLPX	RLVX
ARCH	ARCHX	ARCHEX	ARCHMX	

GENERAL AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that **Kindred Companions LLC** has the right to refuse this entry for any cause, which the organizing committee alone shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, of the holding of the event, and of the opportunity to have the dog participate and/or to be judged, I (we) agree to hold the organizing committee, the hosting club, World Cynosport Rally Limited, including their members, officers, directors, agents and employees, sponsors of the event, and owners of the premises upon which the event is held and their employees, harmless from any claim for loss or injury that may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or upon the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim. I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, appearance, theft, damage, or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify 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 resulting at any time there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, howsoever such injuries, death, or damage to property 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.

I (we) further acknowledge that I (we) have read, understand, and will abide by the Official Rally Rules and Regulations of World Cynosport Rally Limited and the provisions for entry as set forth in the Rally Test Schedule of which this entry form is a part. I (we) acknowledge and represent that the information supplied by me (us) herein is correct to the best of my (our) knowledge; if any portion of this information is found to be invalid or insufficient to establish the validity of my (our) entry, such finding shall render my (our) entry invalid in its entirety, for which there shall be no refund of fees paid. Further, I (we) represent that I am (we are) the owner(s) of the dog listed hereon, or that I (we) am are a family member of the dog’s owner as stated and allowed in the World Cynosport Rally/APDT Rally rules, and that I (we) shall hold the hosting club and WCRL, including their officers, directors, employees and agents and their sponsors, harmless from any liability or claim made by dog’s owner.

Further, I (we) hereby grant to World Cynosport Rally Limited, **Kindred Companions LLC, Positive Dogs** their representatives, agents, and assigns, all rights and permissions to use or appropriate my and the dog’s name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia or identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission, or distribution in any format or media now known or hereafter to become known. I (we) hereby release WCRL, the hosting club, their representatives, agents, and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of personality, or any similar right.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

↓Parent or Legal Guardian signature for junior or minor entries:

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

This signed and dated Agreement must accompany your entry form. Entries must also be received with correct fees by the closing date at the address provided. Entries will be accepted by overnight mail only if the signature requirement has been waived



Dog and Junior Handler Registration Form

FEES: \$30 per Dog Registration or Junior Registration

SAVE 20% by registering online at www.rallydogs.com through your Competitor Account

Dogs must be registered with World Cynosport Rally Limited or USDAA to earn WCRL awards and titles. There is a one-time registration fee for each dog/handler team. Through registration of a dog, you grant us permission to mail information to you via the email address provided below. An email with your dog's registration number will be sent to you when your application has been processed. For questions, send an email to cs@rallydogs.com or call 972-487-2200 x103.

APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Owner's Name:	<i>Note: Register co-owner(s), if any, online at www.rallydogs.com</i>	
Owner's Mailing Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP:
Phone:	Email:	
Junior Handler Name (if any):		Junior Handler Date of Birth:
Have you previously registered a dog with APDT Rally, World Cynosport Rally Limited, or USDAA? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
DOG INFORMATION		
Dog's Call Name:	Dog's Height at the Withers: (round up to nearest ¼ inch)	
Dog's Registered Name (if different from above): (as it should appear on award certificates)		
Owner/Person's Name(s): (as it should appear on award certificates)		
Breed:	Dog's Date of Birth: (estimate if unknown)	
<input type="checkbox"/> This dog will also compete in USDAA agility with this registration number. Please send a height card.		
PAYMENT METHOD		
<input type="checkbox"/> Enclosed is my check or money order for \$ <u>30.00</u> made payable to "WCRL" in U.S. funds		
<input type="checkbox"/> I am paying \$ <u>30.00</u> by the credit card information below.		
Cardholder Name:		
Account Number:	CVC/CVVC:	Expiration:
Billing Address: (<input type="checkbox"/> Same as Mailing Address above)		
City:	State:	ZIP:
Signature:		Date:
<p style="text-align: center;">Please send this form with payment via US Mail or Fax to:</p> <p>World Cynosport Rally Office P.O. Box 850955 Richardson, TX 75085-0955</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fax: 972-231-9700 Phone: 972-487-2200 x103</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">OFFICE USE</p> <p>Date Received: Amount Paid: Reg #:</p>

*This form is to register your dog for a WCRL registration number, for which there is a one-time registration fee.
To enter a trial, please see the Entry Form in the premium of the trial you would like to enter.*