



**Friends of the Glens Falls
Kennel Club
WCRL Sanctioned Trial
October 16 – 17, 2021
Levels 1, 2, 3, Intro, Veteran**

This is a titling event under World Cynosport Rally Limited rules and regulations.
Open to all dogs of any breed and any ability – including mixed breeds and disabled dogs.
Go to www.rallydogs.com for more information.

Host and Location

**Friends of the Glens Falls Kennel Club
474 Corinth Road
Queensbury, NY 12804
Maria Barnum, Trial Secretary
518-383-8225
<mailto:gfkctrialsec@gmail.com>**

<p>Entries open September 1, 2021. 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.</p>	<p>Closing Date October 1, 2021. Day of show entries will NOT be accepted.</p>
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This is an Indoor trial on matted floor. No Indoor Crating.
The facility is heated. Restrooms available.

Trial Schedule and RUN ORDER

*Start time for Trial 2 is estimated and will begin after Trial 1 is completed,
but no earlier than **11:00 AM**.

Saturday October 16, 2021

Trial #1	Time 8:00 AM	Trial #2	Time*	To follow, no earlier than 11 AM
Level 3	Charlene Swainamer	Intro		Charlene Swainamer
Level 2	Charlene Swainamer	Veteran		Charlene Swainamer
Level 1	Charlene Swainamer	Level 1		Charlene Swainamer
Veteran	Charlene Swainamer	Level 2		Charlene Swainamer
Intro	Charlene Swainamer	Level 3		Charlene Swainamer

Sunday October 17, 2021

Trial #1	Time 8:00 AM	Trial #2	Time*	To follow, no earlier than 11 AM
Level 3	Dana Chenier	Intro		Dana Chenier
Level 2	Dana Chenier	Veteran		Dana Chenier
Level 1	Dana Chenier	Level 1		Dana Chenier
Veteran	Dana Chenier	Level 2		Dana Chenier
Intro	Dana Chenier	Level 3		Dana Chenier



Trial Committee

Trial Chair – Chris Argento – cargento@aol.com

Trial Secretary – Maria Barnum - gfkctrialsec@gmail.com

Chief Scorekeeper – Mary Clothier- auntiem_467@yahoo.com

Facility, Check-In, Crating, and Food

Doors Open at 7:00 am. Please do not arrive prior to this time. General briefing, Judge’s briefing, and walk-throughs will begin at 8:00 am each day. Indoor crating not available. Handler provided tents will be allowed outside. Entries limited to **50** runs per trial. Move-ups will be allowed between trials both in Level and in Class. Move-overs from A to B class are mandatory and will be made day-of-trial by Trial Secretary.

No more than 2 dogs (teams) will be permitted in the facility at one time. Trial Monitor will alert participants of the order for those waiting to come in. Dogs may be crated under tents outside. Be sure to bring water for your dog. Fast food is within a mile from facility.

Awards

Rosettes will be awarded for first through fifth placements in Veteran and Levels 1-3 for both A and B Classes. Rosettes will be awarded for first through fifth placements in the Intro class. Ribbons will be awarded for all qualifying scores. Rosettes will also be awarded for major titles.

Please circle any titles you think you will be achieving at this trial on the top of Page 2 of your entry form.

Accommodations

Red Roof Inn, 931 US Route 9, Queensbury, NY, 12804, Phone: 518-745-4000. Off Exit 19, I-87. Pet Friendly

Northway Inn, 543 Aviation Rd., Queensbury, NY, 12804, Phone: (518) 793-3700, Fax: (518) 793-3004. Off Exit 19, I-87. Pet Friendly. \$30/nite pet fee.

Directions to the Show Site

Directions: FROM THE SOUTH: I-87N, take Exit 18 towards Glens Falls/Corinth. Turn left onto Corinth Rd/CR 28. Proceed 1.4 miles to tan building on the right. Green sign (Glens Falls Kennel Club Training Center) out front. Please park only in designated parking areas. Door is on the left side of the building.

Directions: FROM THE NORTH: I-87 S. Take Exit 18 towards Glens Falls/Corinth. Turn right onto Corinth Rd/CR 28. Proceed 1.4 miles to tan building on the right. Green sign (Glens Falls Kennel Club Training Center) out front. Please park only in designated parking areas. Door is on the left side of the building.

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 enthusiasts by sending a message to RallyO-All-Dogssubscribe@yahoo.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.

A and B Classes

“A” classes are for dogs that have NOT earned the base title for that level (i.e., RL1, RL2, RL3, RLV). “B” classes are for dogs that have completed that base title for that level.

Intro Class

Intro class is open to dogs 6 months or older, but dogs who have earned the RLI or RL1 or higher are not eligible for placement awards, if offered, in this class. There is no separation of Intro class into A and B classes. An Intro course has 10 exercise signs, including the bonus. Please see the Official Rules & Regulations for more details on Intro class, including when rewards may be given.

Veteran Class

Veteran class is open to all dogs over the age of 8; dogs 50 pounds and less than 90 pounds may enter Veteran at age 7 years, and dogs 90 pounds or more may enter at age 6 years. A Veteran course will consist of 12-13 exercise signs from any level, which includes a bonus exercise. Veteran is an off-leash class. In Veteran class, one Additional Cue per exercise may be given without penalty. Please see the Official Rules & Regulations for more details.

Food and Touch Rewards

Rewards of food and touch may be given in all classes following the conclusion of any stationary exercise, except when performing shared stations, in which the reward may only be given at the conclusion of the final stationary exercise of a shared station. Handler's delivery of the reward must be completed before the team moves forward on the course to the next exercise. Use of the reward to induce a desired behavior is considered luring and is prohibited. Rewards may be given in the ring before beginning and after completion of the course performance. A handler shall not otherwise feed or touch their dog during the course performance. Please see the Official Rules & Regulations for more details on the rules for rewards.

Bonus Exercise

A Bonus is an exercise through which additional points may be earned. A bonus exercise is offered on all courses in the regular classes, and it shall be clearly marked with a "Bonus" placard. The bonus exercise shall be in course sequence, at judge's discretion, and shall be performed in the normal flow of the timed course at handler's option. The following rules shall apply for all bonus exercises, whether the bonus exercise has one or two signs: If the bonus exercise is attempted, 10 bonus points are awarded, with point deductions assessed for incorrect performance of the exercise; point deductions on the bonus shall not exceed 10 points. The bonus exercise may be retried one time. If the bonus exercise results in a change of direction, the handler shall perform an additional basic turn as needed following the bonus in order to continue to the next station. If the team opts to bypass the bonus, the team shall heel by the bonus station to the next station; there is no penalty for bypassing the bonus. Please see the Official Rules & Regulations for details on the bonus exercise, including the list of exercises from which the bonus is selected for each class.

Jump Heights

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"

Time Standards

Each course in all classes has a Maximum Course Time or "MCT". Should this limitation be reached, the course performance is over and the team's score will be marked zero. The following table sets forth the MCT for each class:

	Intro	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Veteran
MCT	3:00.00 minutes (180 seconds)	3:00.00 minutes (180 seconds)	3:30.00 minutes (210 seconds)	4:00.00 minutes (240 seconds)	4:00.00 minutes (240 seconds)



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.
- In the event a dog's or competitor's disabilities prevent the team from performing a course or exercise as described, the competitor shall obtain a Request for Modification form ("RFM") from the Trial Host, completing the form with a written description of how the competitor intends to perform the course or its exercises that must be modified to accommodate the dog's or competitor's particular disability. The form must be submitted to the judge prior to the start of the class, and the modified performance shall approximate as closely as possible the original course and its exercises.
- 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/USDAA registration number. See www.rallydogs.com to register online, or complete the "Dog and Junior Handler Registration" form included in this premium list and submit it to the WCRL office as indicated at the bottom of the form.
- 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 16, 2021**. 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 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.
- 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.

WCRL Official Entry Form

Friends of the Glens Falls Kennel Club • October 16-17, 2021

Entries Open: September 1, 2021

Entries Close: October 1, 2021, unless the trial does not fill.

**Return completed entry and payment to: Maria Barnum/Trial Secretary,
96 Gloucester St., Clifton Park, NY 12065**

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

Call Name:	Height at withers:	WCRL or USDAA Registration #
Breed:	Dog's Date of Birth:	Circle Jump Height (Levels 2 & 3 only) 4" 8" 12" 16"
*Dogs must have a WCRL/APDT or USDAA registration number. Entries will not be accepted or considered valid without a registration number. To register, go to www.rallydoqs.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.		

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 Day: Evening:	E-Mail:		

Entries are accepted on a first-come-first-served basis. E-mail confirmations will be sent out as soon as your entry has been received. Please include a valid E-mail address, or self-addressed postcard. Entries received after closing date or day of show if permitted will be accepted only if limits have not been reached.

Trial Entry Information: Circle class selection(s) A or B

Saturday, October 16, 2021			
Trial # 1 (Start time: 8:00 AM)		Trial # 2 (Time: 11 AM or later)	
Level 3	A or B	Intro	
Level 2	A or B	Level Veteran	A or B
Level 1	A or B	Level 1	A or B
Level Veteran	A or B	Level 2	A or B
Intro		Level 3	A or B

Sunday, October 17, 2021			
Trial # 1 (Start time: 8:00 AM)		Trial # 2 (Time: 11 AM or later)	
Level 3	A or B	Intro	
Level 2	A or B	Level Veteran	A or B
Level 1	A or B	Level 1	A or B
Level Veteran	A or B	Level 2	A or B
Intro		Level 3	A or B

*If entering Intro: a) Has the Intro title been earned? Yes No b) Indicate highest title earned: _____

Entry Fees:

Total number of classes entered: _____ Entry Fees Submitted \$ _____

Entry Fees: **\$25.00 per class.** Junior Discount: \$22.00 per class.

Weekend Special: 12 classes for \$275.00 - you may combine entries for all dogs registered to same owner. **Make Checks Payable to The Glens Falls Kennel Club (GFKC)**

Please circle the appropriate title(s) you anticipate earning at this trial: RL1 RL2 RL3
RL1X RL2X RL3X RLV RLVX ARCH ARCHX ARCHX ARCHMX

GENERAL AGREEMENT

I (we) agree that The Friends of the Glens Falls Kennel Club 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, The Friends of the Glens Falls Kennel Club, 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:

_____ 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.