

**DMOTC AGILITY COURSE TEST (ACT) 1 & 2 on Wednesday, June 13, 2018 at 6:30pm.**

The Agility Course Test (ACT) is an entry-level agility event to introduce beginning dogs and handlers to the sport of agility and the AKC agility program. Dogs may be entered at ANY of the following jump height divisions: 4, 8, 12, 16, 20 or 24 inches. There is no Regular or Preferred distinction in the ACT program, and a measurement and/or jump height card is not required to enter an ACT event.

- Entry Fee(s): \$10.00 for each run.\*
- Classes Offered: ACT 1 and ACT 2 (Two Rounds of Each)
- Entry Limit: 60 total runs per day
- Entry Method(s): First Received (mail and hand delivery accepted.)
- Opening Date for Pre-Entries: May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 at 8am
- Closing Date for Pre-Entries: June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 8pm
- “Day of” entries will be accepted provided entry limit has not been reached.
- DMOTC Building Hours: 5:45 pm – 9:00 pm
- ACT Evaluators: Helena Lloyd, Sherry Bennett and Karri Higgins
- Check In/Volunteer Sign Up Will Begin at 6:00 pm
- Briefing/Walkthroughs Will Begin at 6:30 pm. Plan on arriving no later than 6:15 pm so you have time to exercise your dog, set up your crate and be in the ring for the briefing at 6:30.

**Running Order/Jump Heights:**

ACT 1 – Round 1: 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24  
Round 2: 24, 20, 16, 12, 8, 4

ACT 2 – Round 1: 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24  
Round 2: 24, 20, 16, 12, 8, 4

(Entries for the ACT 2 tests will also be accepted following the ACT 1 tests if the entry limit has not already been reached.)

Make checks payable to **DMOTC**. Mail or hand-deliver entries and payment to:  
Karri Higgins, 1925 35<sup>th</sup> Street, Des Moines, IA 50310

Trial Site: DMOTC Facility, 1423 Army Post Road, Des Moines, IA 50315

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### **Other Important Info:**

All dogs must be on a short leash in the building (no flexis) and/or securely crated when not in the ring. At the handler's option, dogs may run a course with or without an approved collar. The only collars allowed when running a course are flat buckle or rolled leather collars, with no attachments (tags or other) allowed.

Bring a crate with you so your dog has a place to relax while you walk the course (dogs are not allowed on course during walk-thru). If you don't have a crate, please bring someone with you to hold your dog. Bring a copy of your AKC registration if you have one. AKC registration is required to receive the ACT 1 and ACT 2 titles from the AKC, but is NOT required to participate in the event. Dogs who do not have AKC registration paperwork are still eligible to compete. Details on alternative registration will be covered at the event. Remember - this is an opportunity to learn how you can compete further in AKC events if you choose! Either way, qualifying certificates and/or ribbons will be awarded.

In order to acquire the title certificate and have the title added to a dog's record, the dog must be registered/listed with the AKC. Canine Partner applications may be accepted at the test by the judge/evaluator and submitted with test results. Dogs that are not AKC registered/listed may participate and their performance will be recorded by the AKC under a temporary recording number. This temporary recording number will be e-mailed to the owner and must be used when entering subsequent ACT events and when the owner registers/lists the dog. (Note: Temporary recording numbers may only be used to enter ACT events.)

A dog must receive two qualifying scores in ACT1 to receive the ACT1 title, and two qualifying scores in ACT2 to receive the ACT2 title. A dog does not need to have the ACT1 titles in order to compete in ACT2.

All applicable regulations in Regulations for Agility Trials will govern the conduct of ACT events. They will apply to any person and dog entered. For more information, see: <http://images.akc.org/pdf/rulebooks/REAGIL.pdf>. All dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older may enter provided they have not earned any AKC Agility Titles. Dogs must be physically sound as described in Chapter 1, Section 3, Paragraph 7 of the Regulations for Agility Trials.

\*(\$.1.00 of entry goes to admission per exhibitor per trial.)

Questions?

Please contact Karri Higgins: [gotterv@mac.com](mailto:gotterv@mac.com)



Des Moines Obedience Training Club (DMOTC)
1423 Army Post Road, Des Moines, Iowa 50315

Trial Date: 06/13/18 Open Date: 05/23/18 Pre-Entry Closing Date: 06/11/18
(Day-of entries accepted if entry level of 60 runs has not been reached).

Send to: Karri Higgins, 1925 35th Street, Des Moines, IA 50310-4437

Entry Fee: \$10.00 per run. Make checks payable to DMOTC.

IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED
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Agility Course Test (ACT)

Check one jump height

4" 8" 12" 16" 20" 24"

Checkmark one or both rounds of a class level (ACT 1 or ACT 2)

ACT 1 (Round 1)

ACT 2 (Round 1)

ACT 1 (Round 2)

ACT 2 (Round 2)

BREED SEX HEIGHT AT WITHERS
VARIETY CALL NAME

AKC® NAME

AKC NO. Enter Complete Registration # below (If applicable for) DATE OF BIRTH
PAL/ILP NO. Pending PLACE OF BIRTH (List Country)
FOREIGN REG. NO.

BREEDER

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS NEW ADDRESS

CITY State Zipcode + 4

HANDLER (Junior Handler see back) If Junior Handler, Please enter # Below FEE ENCLOSED

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, and any additional rules and regulations published for this event and any decision made in accord with them and further agree to be bound by this Agreement. I (we) agree that the club or ACT Evaluator, holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club or ACT Evaluator shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents, event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge or ACT Evaluator, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. 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, 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, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) OR ACT EVALUATOR AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

INSTRUCTIONS

Dogs may be entered in any jump height. There is no Regular or Preferred distinction at AKC's ACT events.

In order to acquire the ACT1 or ACT2 title certificate and have the title added to a dog's record, the dog must be registered/listed with the American Kennel Club. AKC Canine PartnersSM applications may be accepted at the event and submitted to AKC with the event's results.

Dogs that are not AKC registered/listed may be registered at a later date and receive their ACT title at that time.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine PartnersSM program 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. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

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 #:

EXHIBITOR / OWNER MUST READ AND SIGN THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM.