

AKC ACT PREMIUM LIST

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

Opening Date: January 27, 2025

Day of Entries allowed (contact trial secretary for more info) Mail entries to Kathy Routten, Trial Secretary, 4736 Schooner Blvd., Suffolk, VA 23435

AGILITY COURSE TESTS (ACT)

DATE: March 8, 2025

The building opens at 8:00 am, briefing at 9:00 am.
First walk-thru to immediately follow the briefing.

Running Order:

ACT 1 (round 1-2), ACT 2 (round 1-2), ACT 1 Jumpers (round 1-2),
ACT 2 Jumpers (round 1-2)

Limited to a maximum of 100 runs

Evaluator:

Jeff Foster



Location:

Merrimac Dog Training Club, 15 Newsome Pl, Hampton, VA
Indoors, Rubber Matting, Climate
Controlled

ENTRY FEES: \$18 per run (includes \$5 AKC recording fee)

Email confirmation will be sent to those listing an email address on the entry form. PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY. Make checks payable to

MDTC. DO NOT MAIL CASH.

Participants are not required to complete ACT 1 or ACT 1J before completing ACT 2 or ACT 2J, although titling in ACT 2 or ACT 2J prohibits participants from competing in ACT 1 or ACT 1J; ACT and ACT Jumpers operate separately (you can compete in ACT 1 and ACT 2J at the same time, or vice versa).

Nearby Emergency Veterinarian:

Animal Emergency Center
2025 George Washington Memorial Hwy
757-234-0461

Directions to Test Site:

From Monitor-Merrimac Tunnel – take Powhatan Parkway/Power Plant exit. Go right at the end of the exit and take the first left onto Salters Creek Rd. Go approximately 0.6 miles and turn right on Newsome Place. Merrimac Dog Training will be on the right.

From 64 E or W, take 664 exit. Take exit 2 Powhatan Parkway/Power Plant and go left at the end of the ramp. Take the 2nd left turn lane onto Salter Creek Rd. Go 0.6 miles and turn right on Newsome Place. Merrimac Dog Training will be on the right.

ENTRIES:

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Email: pugtrainer@yahoo.com

The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone or need help, please call 800. 656.HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors.

REFUNDS:

After the close of entries, refunds minus a \$10 processing fee may be allowed on a case-by-case basis (bitch in season, injury to the dog would be valid reasons to request a refund) if a request is made via email to Kathy Routten, pugtrainer@yahoo.com, by 7 am on the day of the test. No refunds after 7 am on the day of the test.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS:

For the ACT Program, dogs may participate at any jump height determined by the owner. There are no Regular/Preferred splits for ACTs.

AWARDS:

A dark green qualifying ribbon will be awarded to all qualifying dogs at the end of the test. New title ribbons will be awarded to those who qualify. All ribbons will be awarded at the end of the day, none will be mailed.

TEST INFORMATION:

Handlers will be permitted to walk the course, without the dog, during a walk-through period held before the start of the class.

We are asking participants to volunteer to help in the ring to learn the jobs at the test and to help other participants. The tests run more smoothly when there is a lot of help.

ELIGIBILITY OF DOGS:

All dogs 15 months or older may enter a test. Bitches in season, aggressive, blind, or deaf dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are ineligible to participate. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached for medical purposes.

ACT is an entry-level test that is open to all dogs that have not earned a title in any AKC Agility class and that meet the age and physical requirements for a regular AKC agility trial.

Section 15. Obstacles for ACT1 and ACT2.

OBSTACLES	ACT1	ACT2
Dog walk	N	A
A-frame	R(1) set at 5' for all heights	R(1) set at 5' for all heights
Seesaw	N	R (1)
Pause table	R (1)	R (1)
Weaves poles	N	R (1) 6 poles
Open tunnel	R Max (3)	R Max (3)
Bar jump	A	A
Double Bar Jump	N	A (1)**
Panel Jump	A	A
Tire Jump	A	R
Broad Jump	N	A (1)**
Triple Bar Jump	N	A (1) **
Ascending Double Bar Jump	N	A(1)**
One Bar Jump	R	R
Qty of Obstacles	10-12	11-13

R = Required Obstacles

A = Allowed Obstacles

N = Not Allowed

**A maximum of one spread jump is required on the course.

Section 16. Obstacles for ACT1J and ACT2J.

OBSTACLES	ACT1J	ACT2J
Weaves poles	N	R (1) 6 poles
Open tunnel	A Max (3)	A Max (3)
Bar jump	A	A
Double Bar Jump	N	A (1)**
Panel Jump	A	A
Tire Jump	A	A
Broad Jump	N	A (1)**
Triple Bar Jump	N	A (1)**
One Bar Jump	R	R
Qty of Obstacles	10-12	11-13

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OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

Merrimac Dog Training Club ACT

Opens: January 27, 2025

Entry Fee: \$18/run

Checks Payable to **MDTC—DO NOT MAIL CASH**

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Suffolk, VA 23435

IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY READ INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED
\$

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 Jumpers (Round 1) ☐ ACT 2 Jumpers (Round 1)
☐ ACT 1 (Round 2) ☐ ACT 2 (Round 2) ☐ ACT 1 Jumpers (Round 2) ☐ ACT 2 Jumpers (Round 2)

BREED	SEX	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
	VARIETY	CALL NAME
AKC® NAME		

<input type="checkbox"/> AKC NO.	Enter Complete Registration# below (If applicable for)	DATE OF BIRTH
<input type="checkbox"/> PAL/ILP NO.		PLACE OF BIRTH (List Country)
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN REG. NO.		<input type="checkbox"/> Pending

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 Partners**™ 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 Partners**™ 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.