

ENTRY METHOD: FIRST RECEIVED

ENTRIES WILL OPEN ON Thursday December 14, 2017 at 8am at the Trial Secretary's address. All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.

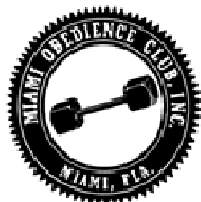
ENTRIES CLOSE ON Friday February 23, 2018 at 6pm after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Envelopes/transactions containing entries for more than the ten (10) dog maximum and/or entries received prior to the opening date shall be treated as an invalid entry and shall be returned to the sender

**PREMIUM LIST
AKC All-Breed AGILITY TRIALS**

This Event is Accepting Entries for Dogs Listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program SM

Miami Obedience Club

(Licensed by the American Kennel Club)



March 9, 2018 Event # 2018054105

March 10, 2018 Event # 2018054106

March 11, 2018 Event # 2018054107

Tropical Park Equestrian Arena

Tropical Park, 7900 SW 40th St
Miami, FL 33155

Under cover on Clay/Sand
Electronic timing will be used
Friday-Sunday starting at 8:00 am till 6:00 pm

LIMITED TO 350 ENTRIES PER DAY

1 Judge – 2 Rings

JUDGE: **Barbara Bounds**



CERTIFICATION

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

OFFICERS OF THE "MIAMI OBEDIENCE CLUB"

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Vice President..... Trina Chicvara
Corresponding Secretary Cindy Smith
(16101 SW 81st Ave, Palmetto Bay, FL 33157)
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EVENT COMMITTEE

Patti Lieb, Cecilia Armesto, Mike Lieb, Peter Liu, Wien Yu, Mylene Arza, and Debbie Russell

JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Barbara Bounds (92520) 12458 Key Lime Blvd West Palm Beach, FL 33412 razzldazl3@aol.com	Friday: ALL FAST, ALL STD, ALL JWW Saturday: ALL FAST, ALL STD, ALL JWW, PREM STD Sunday: T2B, ALL STD, ALL JWW, PREM JWW
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VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Sunset Animal Clinic (305) 271-4011 8776 Sunset Drive Miami, FL 33173	or	The Pet Emergency Room (305) 666-4142 6394 S Dixie Hwy Miami, FL (Emergency only – open 24 hrs)
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Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/Ambulance/Police
911

IMPORTANT

All entries & move-ups are acknowledged by email. If you do not get one within a reasonable time frame assume we did not receive and contact the **Trial Secretary – Lori Patterson at tsLorip@gmail.com**

CLASSES OFFERED & JUDGING TIMES

	Class Order	8 AM Ring 1	Class Order	To Follow Ring 2
FRIDAY Tall to small	1	Nov/Open FAST		
	2	Exc/Mst FAST	3	Novice JWW
	4	Open STD	5	Exc/Mst JWW
	6	Exc/Mst STD	7	Open JWW
	8	Novice STD		

	Class Order	To Follow Ring 1	Class Order	8 AM Ring 2			
SATURDAY Small to tall			1	Exc/Mst FAST			
			2	Open/Nov FAST			
	3	Premier STD	4	Novice JWW			
	5	Exc/Mst STD	6	Open JWW			
	7	Open STD	8	Exc/Mst JWW			
				9	Novice STD		

	Class Order	8 AM Ring 1	Class Order	To Follow Ring 2
SUNDAY Tall to small	1	T2B	2	Premier JWW
	3	Open STD	4	Exc/Mst JWW
	5	Exc/Mst STD	6	Open JWW
	7	Novice STD	8	Novice JWW

Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es)/height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handlers may opt to run their dog in a higher height division.	Handlers must run their dog in their proper eligible height.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11 inches and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14 inches and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18 inches and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22 inches and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22 inches at the withers
24C"	n/a	Dogs who measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter the 24-choice height division at their owner's discretion. Dogs who measure into the 24" regular jump height division may not enter 24-choice.

MEASURING and HEIGHT CARD INFORMATION

Effective January 1, 2010, exhibitors are no longer required to provide proof to Trial Secretaries that their dog has a valid jump height card as part of the check-in process. Furthermore, this change eliminates the need for a copy of the jump height card to be submitted with an entry form. Dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form may still compete; but they must be measured/wicketed by the **Judge of Record** PRIOR to running in their class and this measurement will be valid for that weekend of trials only. The exception to this requirement is a dog entered in the 24" height division. However, if a **Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO)** or an **Agility Field Rep** is present; **ALL** dogs without a valid Jump Height Card/Form must be measured at some time during the trial or cluster of trials. This does not preclude having the dog wicketed by the Judge of Record

if the VMO or Rep is not available to measure the dog **before** its first run of the trial or cluster of trials. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running and failure to do so will result in the cancellation of any qualifying scores.

NEW Simplified Jump Height Card Process

When filling out the entry form, there is a new section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog has a valid jump height card or if your dog needs to be measured. Please check the appropriate box so that the Trial Secretary knows whether to include your dog on the *Dogs To Be Measured List*. It is no longer required that you submit a copy of your dog's jump height card with your entry form or show it during day of show check-in.

DOG ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), **an AKC Canine Partners listing number**, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds.

Dogs with a Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered in order to compete. Wherever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes.

Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind shall not be eligible, and neither are bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or dogs suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Registration and Discipline Rules for the listing of registerable breeds that may participate. Puppies under four (4) months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

ENTRY FEES PER DAY

First entry of each dog (includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee)..... **\$23**
 Second entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) **\$13**
 Third or Fourth entry of same dog (includes a \$3.00 AKC recording fee)..... **\$13**

Mail entry forms and fees to: Lori Patterson, Trial Secretary, 5335 Havasu Ct, Lake Worth, FL 33467. Please make checks payable to **Miami Obedience Club**. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax or hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at the secretary's address. Inquiries may be directed to Lori Patterson at tsLorip@gmail.com. No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to the exhibitor. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a **\$30** collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

Miami Obedience Club is accepting online entries through the AKC Online System. During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries will be designated as follows: Online entries: 100 Paper entries: 250. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either the online or paper limits accordingly. No hand deliveries will be accepted in the first twenty-four hours following the opening date and time.)

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM-UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dogs, at events with multiple rings may request to walk

with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent. A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

RIBBONS, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Placement Strip ribbons will be awarded in each jump height division in each class as follows:

First Place.....*Blue*
Second Place.....*Red*
Third Place.....*Yellow*
Fourth Place.....*White*
Qualifying Score.....*Dark Green*

Dark green qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score. Each entered dog will receive a toy or a bag of treats valued at \$1.00 to \$3.00 and no prize will be awarded for placement. A bar and rosette will also be awarded for any team earning their Master Agility Championship or Preferred Agility Championship.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by downloading them from the American Kennel Club website at <http://www.akc.org/rules/>.

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place under cover on a clay/sand surface. Ring size will be 110 x 100. Rubberized contacts and table will be used.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

SAFETY, BEHAVIOR and LIABILITY

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the trial committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. The Miami Obedience Club and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Miami Obedience Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Miami Obedience Club or any official thereof.

All dogs must be on leash at all times when on trial grounds except when in the designated warm-up area or competing on the course.

REFUNDS

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. Entry fee minus \$5.00 for the first class entered and \$2.00 for each subsequent class entered per day will be refunded for bitches that come in season after the close of the trail. The Trial Secretary must receive written notification ½ hour before the start of the trial. Entry fee will not be refunded in the event that the dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee or if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of civil disturbances, fire, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

BITCHES IN SEASON are not permitted to compete in Agility Trials.

RINGSIDE

Dogs may arrive any time prior to judging if the dog has a valid temporary or permanent jump height card. Otherwise, they must be available for measuring prior to the start of their class if a VMO or AKC Field Rep is available to measure dogs. All dogs not needed for further judging will be excused.

Judges are not required to wait for dogs. The Owner of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when it is to be judged. The Club has no responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

Please note: Per the AKC Agility Trial Manual "Vehicles and Generators must be at least 50' from the ring" (this includes golf carts)

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

There are various restaurants and fast food vendors within a very short driving distance.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds.

VOLUNTEERS

All Agility trials take a lot of hard work & preparation and are staffed strictly by volunteers. As all handlers know, the more volunteers, the faster & smoother trials run. You will have fun, possibly learn new things and provide support for the clubs that work hard to provide the event & give you the opportunity to enjoy the sport you have come to love. **A workers' only raffle will be drawn every day.** Please volunteer some of your valuable time.

Sign up to work at

<https://tinyurl.com/MOC-Mar2018>

You can also contact Tracy Hanna at volunteeragility@gmail.com

HOTEL INFORMATION

La Quinta Inn Miami Airport North	La Quinta Inn & Suites Miami Airport West	Motel6
7401 North West 36th St, Miami, FL 33166 305-599-9902	8730 North West 27th St, Miami, FL 33172 305-436-0830	7330 Nw 36th Street Miami, FL 33166 (305) 592-5440 No pet fee
Continental breakfast, high speed internet access, no pet fee.	Continental breakfast, high speed internet access, no pet fee.	Use AKC corporate code CP542765 for a 10% discount

PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG AT THE HOTELS

VENDOR SPACE RESERVATION FORM

Friday 3/9 Saturday 3/10 Sunday 3/11

Contact Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Type of Product/Service to be offered: Food Video Photography Massage

Other (please specify): _____

Please mail the **completed form** and vendor fee of **\$45 per day** (payable to Miami Obedience Club) by **February 23, 2018**. A \$5 surcharge per day applies for any form received after February 23, 2017 and you will not be in the email to the competitors.

Note: The club reserves the right to reject vendors setting up at trial site.

Send to: Wien Yu, 12771 SW 147 Street, Miami, FL 33186
[\(305\) 238-2881](tel:3052382881) email: wyu@miami.edu

DIRECTIONS TO TROPICAL PARK

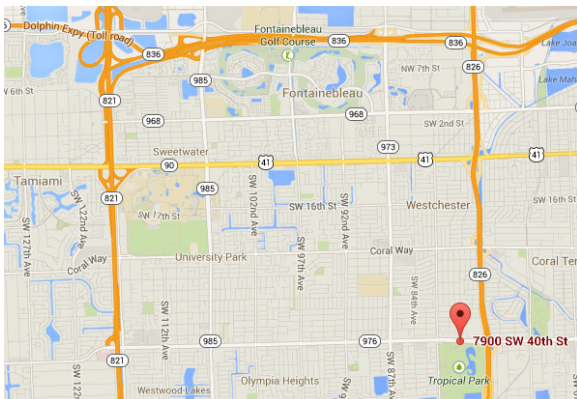
Tropical Park, 7900 SW 40th St, Miami, FL 33155

From the Palmetto Expressway (SR 826) or the Don Shula Expressway (SR 874):

Take the Bird Road Exit (SW 40th Street) and head west to third stoplight at SW 79th Ave (opposite McDonald's.) Turn left into the park & take two immediate lefts so that you are now heading back towards the expressway. Follow this Road into the Equestrian Center.

From the Florida Turnpike - Homestead Extension:

Take the Bird Road (SW 40th/42nd Street) exit and head east four miles to the SW 79th Avenue stoplight (opposite McDonald's - about 2 blocks before the Palmetto Expressway overpass.) Turn right at this light & take 2 immediate lefts so that you are again heading east towards the Palmetto Expressway. Follow this road into the Equestrian Center.



RV INFORMATION

On-site RV parking and camping is available with a limited number of water and electric hook-ups. Parking onsite will incur full charge with or without full hookup (site rules) will cost **\$25.00 per night – pre-registration ONLY**. The water will require that you bring a "Y" connector so that the water service can be shared. The electric could require "Adapters" so that you can connect to 30 AMP or 20 AMP only. **Reservations must be received by February 9, 2018**. Parking assignments will be based on locations available for the size of your unit and day/time of arrival. A final email with parking assignment will be sent before the closing of the trial. Priority will be given to competitors travelling from out-of-state and those requesting four nights. **Important Note: Check-in time is 12:00 PM. If you hook up to water or electric before 12:00 PM, Tropical Park will charge for the previous day.**

MARCH 2018 RV RESERVATION FORM

Any reservations not received by the February 9, 2018 deadline will result in a \$10/night late fee, if parking is available

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please provide an estimate time of your arrival: ____:____ am or pm

Reservations for which **nights**: Thursday 3/8 _____ Friday 3/9 _____ Saturday 3/10 _____

30 AMP ELECTRIC ONLY

Type & length of unit _____ Total remitted: \$ _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE FOR **ENTIRE** RV RESERVATION TO: **Miami Obedience Club**
SEND TO: Cecilia Armesto – 230 Springs Ave., Miami Springs, FL 33166

Any questions please contact Cecilia at 305-308-5245 or k9tropics@gmail.com



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB AGILITY ENTRY FORM

MIAMI OBEDIENCE CLUB

Opens: December 23, 2017 • Closes: February 23, 2018

PLEASE DO NOT STAPLE OR TAPE ANYTHING TO THE ENTRY FORMS

Table with columns: STD, JWW, FAST, T2B, PREM JWW, PREM STD and rows for Friday, March 9, 2018.

Daily Entry Fee: 1st run \$23; \$13 each additional run

Make checks payable to: MOC Mail to: Lori Patterson, Trial Secretary, 5335 Havasu Ct, Lake Worth, FL 33467

IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out! ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED

Choose Either Regular OR Preferred Classes

Circle one jump height | Circle class selections | Only one selection per class (both Master & Premier allowed)

Table with columns: REGULAR Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 24C") and PREFERRED Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20").

Non-Regular Classes International Sweepstakes []STD []JWW

Form fields: This Dog Needs To Be Measured []Yes []No, SEX, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, BREED, VARIETY, CALL NAME.

AKC* NAME (INCLUDE AKC TITLES ONLY)

Form fields: AKC* NO [], Enter Complete Registration # below, DATE OF BIRTH, ILP NO. [], PAL NO. [], PLACE OF BIRTH (LIST COUNTRY), FOREIGN REG. NO & COUNTRY [], BREEDER.

SIRE

DAM

ACTUAL OWNERS

OWNERS ADDRESS ADDRESS CITY, STATE ZIP + 4 [] NEW

HANDLER applicable ENTER JR. HANDLER # if

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

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

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...

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...

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers whose dogs measure into the 8" through 20" regular jump height divisions may opt to enter in a higher or 24-choice height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine PartnersSM program may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs 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.

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 #: _____

Date _____
Time Received: _____

AGILITY TRIAL MOVE-UP FORM Day to Day Moveups – Accepted

(Do not send this form to AKC. Send/give it to the Trial Secretary)
USE THIS FORM TO MOVE UP TO A HIGHER AGILITY CLASS ONLY

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for moving up must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than the day preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. It is the option of the club to allow move-ups. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

Name of Club _____ **Date** _____

Breed: _____ **Sex:** _____

Dog's AKC Name _____ **Dog's AKC #** _____

Dog's Call Name _____

Move Entry to:

Agility Class: (Circle One) **Jump Height Division: (Circle One)**

Std Class: Open Excellent Masters 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"

JWW: Open Excellent Masters 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"

Preferred Std: Open Excellent Masters 4" 8" 12" 16" 20"

Preferred JWW: Open Excellent Masters 4" 8" 12" 16" 20"

FAST Class: Open Excellent Masters 8" 12" 16" 20" 24" 26"

Preferred FAST: Open Excellent Masters 4" 8" 12" 16" 20"

Owners Name: _____

Handlers Name: _____
(If applicable)

Signature of owner or agent
Duly authorized to make this entry: _____

Signature of Trial Secretary
If Approved: _____