

YABTC Trials at the Mayor Ralph Infante Wellness Center
213 Sharkey Drive, Niles, Ohio
August 19 & 20, 2017

Directions to Show Site

If you are using a GPS, please use the address 1000 West Park Avenue, Niles, OH 44446.

From South: Take I-77 or I-71 N toward Cleveland. Exit onto I-76 East toward Akron. Take I-80 toward Youngstown and NYC. Exit on Route 46 North toward Niles. See “All” below.

From West: Take Ohio Turnpike to Exit 218. Take I-80 East to Rt. 46. See “All” below.

From East: Take PA Turnpike, to Ohio Turnpike, to Exit 218. Take I-80 East to Rt. 46. See “All” below.

From North: Route 11, to exit onto Tibbetts Wick Road, go right, which becomes Robbins Avenue. Go to the end. Turn left onto Main and right onto Park, right into Waddell Park.

All: Go north on 46 for about 5 miles into Niles, where 46 becomes North Main Street. Turn left on Park Avenue. (If you reach E. Church Street you've gone a little too far.) In less than a mile, turn right into Waddell Park. The park entrance is just past Highland Avenue. (If you reach Parkway Drive, you've gone .6 miles too far.) The Wellness Center will be on your right.

Detours: There is a lot of construction going on in the area and therefore, several detours. Please allow extra time when traveling to the Well.

Set Up: You may set up crates for your dogs on Friday evening from 5:30-7:00 p.m. On Saturday and Sunday, the site will be open at 7 a.m. If you are using x-pens, please be sure that they are no larger than a crate needed for your dogs. You will need a tarp or pad under the crates. Come in the front doors. Crating areas will be indicated by taped lines. There is plenty of room.

Motels: The following motels accepted dogs at the time the premium was written. Some have a dog fee, most don't. Please check to be sure they still accept dogs when you make your reservation. Austintown motels are located at I-80/Route 46, about 5 miles from the show site. **There are discount booking prices for most of these. Ask for the “dog show” rate.**

Comfort Inn and Suites Austintown, 5435 Clarkins Dr., Austintown, OH, TEL 330-792-9740.

Fairfield Inn, Eastwood Mall, 1860 Niles-Cortland Road SE, Warren, OH, TEL 330-544-5774.

Residence Inn, Eastwood Mall, 5555 Youngstown-Warren Road, Niles, OH, TEL 330-505-3655.

Best Western Meander Inn, 870 N. Canfield- Niles Road, Austintown, OH, 330-544-2378

Sleep Inn, 5555 Interstate Blvd., Austintown, OH 44515, TEL 330-544-5555

Country Inn & Suites. 5570 Interstate Blvd., Youngstown, OH, TEL 330-544-0300

Do not leave your dog(s) alone in the rooms at any of these places. Please pick up after your dog(s) at the motel, in the park, and at the Wellness Center—everywhere. **Failure to pick up both at the trial site and at the motel will mean expulsion from the show with no refund.** Please do not permit your dog to urinate on or in the building at the motel or the show site.

Food: “The Well” has food for purchase provided by Riccardo’s Sweets and Eats, and there are fast food vendors nearby.

Workers: If you have volunteered to work, thanks! If you haven’t, we will need your help since this is a two-ring trial, and we are a small club. Workers will receive tickets which they can use for food and/or vendors. Our worker herder is Rae Reinhart. Please email her at billrae05@aol.com if you are able to work.

Vendors and Raffles: There will be vendors and a photographer at the trial. Countryside Agility will be providing the equipment at the trial and will have items available for purchase. There are Worker raffles also.

Show Conditions: Indoors on soccer flooring in 100’ by 100’ rings. Contacts have a rubberized surface. The site is air conditioned. **Coolness:** The facility is kept at a constant temperature of the high 60's year round. It cannot be changed (so don't ask) as it is computerized and even the manager cannot change it. Exhibitors should **bring a sweatshirt** (although the dogs will love it!)

Limitations: Only water is allowed inside the track area. **NO FOOD.** The dog exercise area will be outlined **behind or beside** the building. Please look for signs. There will be pick up bags available. This is a very nice community park, and you are welcome to walk your dog, on leash, in it, if you pick up.

Local Events, Restaurants, Retail: If you are staying in the Niles, Ohio area and would like information on local events, restaurants, and/or retail, then please go to the front desk. Information and coupons are available. Within minutes from the venue are many excellent restaurants, Scrappers baseball, the Eastwood Mall complex and other retail stores, including two large pet stores. If you visit a local business, mention that you are with the dog show.

Emergency Veterinary Service: Animal Emergency Clinic, 2680 W. Liberty Street (I-80 and Salt Springs Road, Youngstown, OH. 330-530-8387 (Call first.)

Measuring: Dogs will be measured between classes and before the trial. Both judges are VMOs.

Running Order: 26"-4" each day. In each jump height, B dogs will run first, followed by A dogs, followed by preferred dogs unless conflicts change the running order.

Saturday: Ring 1: EXC/MASTERS FAST; EXC/MAS STD, OPN STD, NOV STD.
Runs begin at 8:00 A.M. Briefing and walk through at 7:45 A.M.

Ring 2: NOV FAST, OPN FAST; NOV JWW, OPN JWW, EXC/MAS JWW, Premier Jumpers
Runs begin at 8:15 A.M. Briefing and walk through at 8:00 A.M.
Note: Novice and Open Fast will walk together. They will then run consecutively with a short break in between.

Sunday: Ring 1: Premier Standard, EXC/MASTERS STD, OPN STD, NOV STD.
Runs begin around 8:45 A.M. or when the judge is done in Ring 2.
Briefing and walk through around 8:30 A.M.

Ring 2: T2B; NOV JWW, OPN JWW, EXC/MASTERS JWW.
Runs begin at 8:00 A.M. Briefing and walk through at 7:45 A.M.

The running order, judging schedule, and times are approximate. The times can be off either way by an hour or more, so do not rely upon them. Plan to come earlier than the times indicate even if you have to wait around. They are in pdf format. You need Adobe Reader to see them. It can be downloaded for free at www.adobe.com.

I wish each team clean runs and fast times.

Sincerely,
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