

ASCA Nationals Agility Pre-Trial

Tuesday, September 23, 2025

Entries are open to Australian Shepherds Only

Winnemucca Events Complex

1000 E. Fairgrounds Road Winnemucca, NV 89445

JUDGES:

Roger Coor - Phoenix, AZ Mark Buehl - Splendora, TX Michael Black – Burleson, TX

Opening date: June 16, 2025

<u>Closing date:</u> August 29,2025 (all dates are post mark date) **"Late entries"** accepted for add'l fee thru Sept. 5, 2025

Trial Secretary

Carrie Dempsey 4935 August Drive Carson City, NV 89706 QACarrie@charter.net (775)720-4025 Trial Chair

Portia Jelinek 20417 NE Freedom Rd Battle Ground, WA 98604 Portiadogtraining@hotmail.com (775)772-7778

Entry Fees – Entry (per run) is \$25.00 (US dollars) Package (all six runs/same dog) is \$140.00

Entry fees for Jr. Handler is \$13.00 per run. Jr. Handler package (<u>all six</u> runs/same dog) is \$65.00

Late entries will be accepted postmarked between August 29, 2025 & September 5, 2025 and are **\$30 per run.** <u>No packages offered on</u> Late entries!

No entries with postmarks after September 5, 2025 will be accepted. There is no discount for FEO entries.

Make checks payable to **NNASC** (US funds only) and mailed with your completed entry form and a copy of the dog's jump height card (if applicable) to trial secretary below. Signature-required items will not be accepted

NO DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

JUMP HEIGHT CARD OR MEASUREMENT IS REQUIRED

Copies of approved jump height cards MUST be sent with the entry form if the jump height is lower than 20+. All dogs except those jumping 20+ or Vets/JH/Ace jumping 16+ or Senior dogs jumping 12+ must submit an ASCA, AKC or NADAC jump height card or be measured at the trial before running

Please note on your entry form if you are close to finishing an ATCH

Limited to 350 runs per Judge

Notice To Exhibitors: Exhibitors, through submission of entries, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of and agree to follow ASCA rules and regulations and NNASC's trial policies, including but not limited to the following:

- All healthy, trained dogs over eighteen (18) months of age are eligible to compete in ASCA agility trials with a valid Registration, LEP or Tracking Number. FEO entrants may be fifteen (15) months or older. Age calculation for entries will be September 20, 2025
- Lame or blind dogs are ineligible for entry
- Any dog that demonstrates aggression towards any person or any other dog, whether inside or outside the ring, must be excused from the trial, as will any dog which the judge feels is not in enough control to perform all obstacles in a safe manner. Any owner, handler, or spectator exhibiting poor sportsmanship or abuse towards a dog or person will be required to leave the show site for the duration of the trial
- As per National Specialty Rules section 13.3, bitches in heat wearing panties will be allowed to run at the end of the class. Owner will provide a rug for the start line. Please read section 13.3 of the ASCA Agility Rulebook for more information
- This show will be held under the current rules & regulations of ASCA with the exception that per the ASCA 2024 Committee's requirements, only Aust. Shepherds are allowed A copy of the rulebook may be obtained from the ASCA web site at www.asca.org
- No leads, collars, food, toys, etc. shall be permitted on the course at any time
- All dogs must be on leash or securely crated when not competing in the ring
- Safety shall always be the foremost consideration in actions by handlers at all times
- The organizing committee may refuse any entry on the basis expressly provided through ASCA rules and regulations. Anyone not currently in good standing with ASCA will not be allowed entry into the trial
- Participation is a privilege afforded by the Host club & may be extended or withdrawn by the Host club's trial committee based on suitable cause only. Refusal of entries shall be reported to the ASCA office
- Entries must be made on the enclosed entry forms. Copies may be made if entire form is copied. No other forms will be accepted. Entries must be signed to be valid
- Make all checks and money orders payable to NNASC. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry and there will be a \$40.00 service fee on all returned checks. Entry into and participation in this trial will not be allowed until all returned check fees are paid in cash or money order. Illegible or incomplete entry forms do not constitute a valid entry
- NNASC, their board of directors, ASCA, management, and the property owner assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by the exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs, personal property, and/or children
- NNASC reserves the right to amend, correct, change any information herein due to errors, omissions, or unforeseen circumstances, including but not limited to judges

OTHER POLICIES, RULES, ETC

- Toys in the ring will <u>not</u> be allowed
- Please check your trial entry form for accuracy before submittal. Registration and/or tracking number MUST be on the entry form
- Entries must be postmarked no later than August 29, 2025 to be eligible for regular entry price and packages
- Entries will be accepted by postmark date. After the trial fills, a waitlist will be maintained in the order of postmark date. In the event of multiple dates, a "draw" will be done prior to the trial
- Entries must be submitted on the forms or copies of forms supplied in this premium or from the ASCA website https://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/agilityentyform.pdf
- Please include a **legible** email address on entry forms to receive confirmation of pre- entries. No confirmations will be sent via US mail
- Please double-check your confirmation and contact the trial secretary for any necessary corrections PRIOR to trial date.
- Conflicts between disciplines may happen if you are showing one or more dogs in multiple classes. All effort will be made to accommodate exhibitors provided the conflict has been identified to the appropriate gate steward. Reminder: judges do not have to delay classes for your entry
- **Move-ups:** dogs receiving titles after the August 29th closing date, may move up via email request to the trial secretary until September 5, 2025, by providing the trial secretary with: the owner's full name, dog's name, ASCA number, class entered and the from and to level.
- There will be NO move-ups offered on the day of trial
- Check-in and official measurement will be from 7:00-7:30am. Walkthrough starts at 7:30am. Judging begins at 8:00am
- No catalogs will be printed. Run orders will be posted at the gates. Handlers with multiple dogs will be separated as much as the class allows
- The Agility Gate Program will be utilized for this trial
- **Equipment**: the obstacles that will be made available to the judges include: slatless and rubberized dog-walk, A-frame, and teeter; open tunnels; weave poles (24" spacing); non-winged jumps; winged jumps, and double jumps. Electronic timing equipment will be used
- Awards: all qualifiers will receive qualifying ribbons as well as placement rosettes for 1st through 4th place by jump height. 20"+ & 24" will be scored together.
- High in Trial awards (HIT): HIT Elite, HIT Open, HIT Novice, HIT Veteran, HIT Jr. Handler (Eligible dogs for these awards **must be entered in the same** level in all classes), HIT ACE and HIT ACE Senior dog will receive Rosettes and Awards.
- All HIT awards will be calculated using the formula outlined in the ASCA Agility Rulebook
- ATCH Awards: A rosette will be awarded to dogs finishing their ATCH at this trial. Please note on your entry form if you are close to finishing an ATCH

OFFICIAL AGILITY ENTRY FORM - Northern Nevada ASC

September 23, 2025

Pre-entries must be postmarked by August 29, 2025 - Late entries must be postmarked by September 5, 2025 ~ Make checks payable to *NNASC* and mail to:

Carrie Dempsey 4935 August Drive, Carson City, NV 89706

DOG : Call Name:	Birthdate	Sex						
Registered name								
ASCA Reg	Height at withers							
Standard Jump Height (circle one) 8"	12" 16" 20" 20"+	24"						
Veterans will automatically be entered at a height 4" lower. Juniors have the option of jumping at the								
standard height. Juniors, please specify jump height that you WANT to jump your dog								
Program: Championship (CH) or ACE (Standard or Sr. Dog)								
Owner/Handler : Name:								
Full Address								
Phone ()	Handler							
E-mail								
Level Entered	Division Entered							

Class	Novice	Open	Elite	STD	Vet Dog CH	Junior CH	SR Dog ACE	
Regular	A / B							Round 1 2
Gamblers								Round 1 2
Jumpers								Round 1 2

Fees per day: Individual event: # of runs @ \$25 or \$30 per run	\$
<u>6 run Package (per dog):</u> \$140 (NO Package deals after 8/25/25 postmark)	\$

Junior Handler fees: # of runs _____ @ \$13/ run or \$65 package of 6 runs (per dog) \$

Total Fees Enclosed (US FUNDS ONLY):

\$

IMPORTANT LEGAL AGREEMENT—Please read the following carefully as it, among other things, may prevent you from suing ASCA® & persons/entities affiliated with it. This agreement could even require you to defend them from demands & suits by third parties that include an assertion of wrongdoing by you. (1) The person signing this Agreement represents being authorized to enter into it on behalf of him/herself, as well as (if different) the owner(s)/exhibitor(s)/handler(s) of the dog(s) for which an entry form is being submitted (all these parties collectively referred to herein as "Applicant"). (2) "Releasees" here collectively refers to the Australian Shepherd Club of America® (ASCA®); its affiliate clubs; & the officers & board of directors, staff, contractors, insurers, attorneys, & agents of ASCA® & of those clubs. (3) This Agreement voluntarily is entered into by Applicant in exchange for the acceptance of the associated entry form & permission to participate in related activities. (4) Applicant agrees to abide by the rules & regulations of ASCA® & any other rules & regulations applicable to this event. (5) Applicant certifies that the entered dog will not pose a hazard to people, property, stock animals or other dogs & further that the dog is current with rabies shots along with any other vaccinations required by its state of residence. (6) Applicant acknowledges & assumes the risks to Applicant & Applicant's dog associated with participation in the event, among which could be ones associated with poor condition of the facilities & surrounding areas; security measures or lack of them; electrical appliances; fittings; show rings; the presence of unfamiliar persons; & the presence/involvement of other animals-whether stock, dogs, or otherwise. (7) Applicant further agrees to comply with all recommended & required health & safety precautions, among which may be those related to social distancing; quarantining; wearing of face coverings; & non-participation of persons exhibiting symptoms or for whom there otherwise has been a likelihood of recent exposure to COVID-19 or other contagious diseases. (8) Applicant additionally acknowledges & agrees to assume the risks associated with taking part in the event though others might neglect compliance with health and safety precautions/requirements or pose an undue risk of spreading disease. (9) To the maximum extent permissible, this release is to be interpreted under Texas law, without application of its choice of law rules. (10) To the extent that Applicant-or another party suing on behalf of Applicant, or suing to recover based on injuries/death/damage to Applicant/Applicant's dog/Applicant's property—sues ASCA® (or a board member or staff member or agent of ASCA®) as a defendant, the sole appropriate forum (to the maximum extent permitted by law) for the suit shall be the state or federal courts serving Brazos County, Texas (where ASCA® has its headquarters). (11) Applicant hereby releases & waives any claims Applicant otherwise might assert against the Releasees as to any injury or damage claim connected in any way to any alleged act or omission arising out of, or occurring concurrent with, the event and related activities, interactions, communications, & even adjacent premises. (12) This release is made not only as to Applicant but also for anyone who might assert a claim on behalf of Applicant or based on purported injury or damage to Applicant/Applicant's dog/Applicant's property, as well as any heir, beneficiary, assignee, executor, trustee, agent, or survivor of Applicant. (13) Applicant further agrees to assume sole responsibility for and indemnify & hold Releasees harmless from related claims, demands, judgments & settlement payments. (14) These waiver, release & indemnification provisions extend even to claims or demands asserting that the acts or omissions resulted in bodily injury or death or from intentional wrongdoing, as well as to attorney fees & other costs of defense. (15) The duties of indemnification further extend to any claims or demands asserted against Releasees that are alleged to have arisen out of the acts or omissions of Applicant, Applicant's dog or others affiliated with Applicant. Among other things, this means that Applicant would pay the legal defense of Releasees if someone sued them based on a claim Applicant carelessly exposed the claimant to COVID-19. (16) Applicant's promises in this agreement apply without regard to the type of claim or cause of action asserted against Releasees. (17) To the extent any provision of this agreement is unenforceable, the remainder of it nonetheless is to be enforced. (18) This agreement is to be interpreted to provide Releasees with the maximum permissible legal protection from-among other things-claims and suits pursued by Applicant (&/or those acting on behalf of Applicant or over injury/damage to Applicant), as well as from ones based on the purported wrongful acts or omissions of Applicant. (19) Nothing in this Agreement requires you to indemnify Releasees from claims by third parties that involve no allegations of improper acts or omissions by you, those affiliated with you, nor your dog(s). (20) Applicant acknowledges having read, understood, & had the opportunity for independent legal review of this document prior to signing it.

Date: SIGNATURE OF OWNER/HANDLER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18) *PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ERRORS AND RULE VIOLATIONS AS USED HERE, "ASCA®" MEANS THE OWNER AND THE OPERATOR OF THE EVENT PREMISES, THE AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA, ITS AFFILIATE CLUBS, AND EACH OF THEIR MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, SHOW CHAIRMEN, SHOW COMMITTEES AND AGENTS.