

# CPE Agility Trials



**Friday, Saturday & Sunday  
August 18,19, 20 2023**

**Quicksilver Canine LTD  
5600 Clarence Rd  
Julian, North Carolina 27283  
Judge: Kimberly Stumph, Maine**

Quicksilver Canine – CPE Agility  
C/O Sheila McHugh  
2604 Pleasant Union Church Rd.  
Raleigh, NC 27614

<p>No more than 6 entries are allowed per envelope. Only exception – all dogs within one envelope have the same 5-digit CPE member ID number.</p>
<p>Entry Method – First Received: No opening date. Entries may be mailed/received at any time once the premium has been published. Overnight envelopes must have the recipient's signature waiver signed or the envelope may be refused or delayed</p>
<p><b>Final Closing Date: August 4, 2023</b> <b>No Refund of Pre-Entries withdrawn after the closing date</b></p>
<p><b>Final Move-Up Date: August 14, 2023</b></p>
<p><b>Limits: 300 runs per day</b> <b>Allowing Declared Training in the Ring</b></p>
<p><b>Day of Show Entries taken 7:30-8:00 AM on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday if limit has not been reached</b> <b>\$20 per run, no package prices for day of show.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• If the limit is reached for any/all day(s) by the closing date, the club should contact CPE to have FULL posted to the CPE events page, for any day(s), the club is not required to do so.</li><li>• The exhibitor must verify the limit has not yet been reached between the closing date and first trial date if planning on attending.</li></ul>
<p>Verify by emailing the secretary: <a href="mailto:3sportsdawgs@gmail.com">3sportsdawgs@gmail.com</a></p>
<p><b>INDOORS ON TURF, 85' x 120'</b></p>

## The Contact Zone

Trial Chair: Donna Shelton 336-266-2622  
kileyemmie@yahoo.com

Trial Secretary: Sheila McHugh 919-389-7376  
2604 Pleasant Union Ch. Rd.  
Raleigh, NC 27614 3sportsdawgs@gmail.com

Committee Members: Deb Norman, Julie Jenkins, Leerie Jenkins,  
Rose Lynch

### Veterinarian

Carolina Veterinary Specialists  
501 Nicholas Rd  
Greensboro, NC 27409  
(336) 632-0605 - Open 24 hours

### Directions:

There are many ways to get to the site on various highways, your GPS may be the best guide.

#### Major routes:

**From I-85/I-40:** Take Hwy 421 south, take the Company Mill/Woody Mill exit (exit 194), turn left off ramp. At second light turn right on Liberty Rd, go approx 2 miles south on Liberty road and turn left on Dona Rd. Go approx 2 miles on Dona Rd and turn left onto Old Julian. Clarence Rd is on the left approx ½ mile. Look for Quicksilver Canine sign.

**From south:** Take Hwy 421 north, take Hwy 62 exit (exit 190), turn left off ramp, continue to first stop sign at Liberty Rd, turn right onto Liberty Rd, then take an immediate left onto Old Julian (there is a blinking light, if you pass the Gulf Station you went too far). Continue about 2 miles on Old Julian. Clarence Rd is on the left. Look for Quicksilver sign.

**Clarence Rd is a gravel road, the training building is at the very end. You will pass thru the white fence, past some residences and farm buildings, continue to the end and you will see the facility, a blue metal building. Please adhere to the posted speed limit on the gravel road!**

### Site Information:

- Quicksilver Canine is a climate-controlled indoor facility with an 85 x 120 foot area with an artificial turf surface.
- All dogs must be on leash at all times while inside the building or in the warm-up area. Outside the building, dogs may be off leash as space allows. Owners are responsible for having their dogs under control at all times.
- Quicksilver Canine will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.
- The safety of the dogs 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 dog(s) and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dog(s) and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of Quicksilver Canine, be asked to leave the show site. In that case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.
- Any handler who is found to abuse a dog will be disqualified and reported to CPE.
- Anyone not currently in good standing with CPE will not be allowed entry into the trial.
- Quicksilver Canine has the right to refuse any entry for cause.
- Obstacles shall meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials.
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on entry forms.
- All competitors participate in the events at their own risk. The General Agreement must be signed in order to comply with CPE's acceptance and entrance to this trial
- You must clean up after your dog, if you don't, future entries will be refused.

## Air BnBs

*There are a number of local Air BnBs that have gotten good reviews from Quicksilver Canine visitors.*

## Local Dog-Friendly Hotels

*Please treat these hotels with respect; clean up after your dogs so they will allow future dog show participants to stay at their locations.*

- **Days Inn Airport**  
501 S Regional Road  
Greensboro, NC  
336-668-0476
- **Red Roof Inn Greensboro Coliseum**  
2101 West Meadowview Road  
Greensboro, NC  
336-852-6560
- **Baymont Inn & Suites Greensboro Coliseum**  
2001 Veasley Street  
Greensboro, NC  
336-294-6220
- **Extended Stay America Greensboro**  
4317 Big Tree Way  
Greensboro, NC  
book online
- **Ramada Inn Greensboro**  
2003 Athena Court  
Greensboro, NC

- **LaQuinta Inn & Suites**  
1201 Lanada Road  
Greensboro, NC  
336-316-0100
- **Sleep Inn**  
7 Sharps Airpark Court  
Greensboro, NC  
336-931-1272
- **Days Inn High Point/Archdale**  
10002 S Main Street  
High Point, NC

## CAMPGROUNDS

**Hagen Stone Park, 336-641-2090**

**Limited RV space& tent camping are also available for FREE at Quicksilver Canine. No hookups, dry camping only.**

Exhibitors are expected to follow these guidelines:

- Always confirm the hotel's pet policy.
- If your dog is used to sleeping on the bed with you, please cover the hotel bedspread with your own sheet or blanket.
- Do not use the hotel towels to groom your dog, and do not groom in the hotel rooms.
- Do not bathe your dog in the hotel's bathtub (or pool!).
- Do not leave your dog alone in your hotel room if he will bark or cry. If you do leave your dog alone, he must be crated.
- Place your own towel beneath your dogs' water (a must!) and food bowl to protect the hotel carpet in case of spillage.
- Be respectful of other guests who may not have the same feelings about dogs as we do!

## Schedule of Events

The following order is the scheduled order for the trial to be run. If the order needs to be changed for the trial due to extreme pre-trial circumstances, it will be posted in the confirmation letter sent to pre-entered exhibitors at least 7 days before the first trial day. The order will only be changed at the trial in the case of an extreme reason and must be agreed upon by the host club and judge(s).

Fri Aug 18	Sat Aug 19	Sun Aug 20
Jackpot	FullHouse	Jumpers
Standard	Standard	Colors
Wildcard	Jackpot	Wildcard
Colors	Snooker	FullHouse
Snooker	Jumpers	Standard

### Friday, Saturday & Sunday Schedule

<b>7:30 – 8:00 am</b>	Day of Show Entries
<b>8:00 – 8:15 am</b>	Measuring for dogs who need it
<b>8:15 am</b>	First Briefings and Walk-Throughs
<b>8:30 a.m</b>	First Dog on the Line

See the forms page at [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com) for a membership form.  
See “Registering with CPE” in the online rulebook for registration questions.

**THERE WILL BE NO MEASURING OF DOGS AFTER JUDGE’S BRIEFING BEGINS EACH DAY - ALL DOGS WITHOUT A PERMANENT CARD MUST BE MEASURED BEFORE THE JUDGES BRIEFING TO SHOW THAT DAY**

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**THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS**

**PRIZES & AWARDS:** Placement rosettes or ribbons will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> place for Qualifying and non-qualifying scores for all classes. Dogs with an NT (no time) are not eligible for any ribbons. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving a qualifying score, and Jr Handlers in Standard.

## Entry Fees

Checks must be made out to Quicksilver Canine LTD.

Options	Pre-Entry
Per Run any class all three days	\$17
Juniors Per Run Any class all three days	\$10
Any 10 Runs over the weekend – May be split between dogs in the same household	\$150
Any 15 Runs over the weekend– May be split between dogs in the same household	\$200
Day of Show Entries – No Discounts or Packages	\$20

## General Information

The Trials will be held indoors. Trash cans and pooper scoopers are located throughout the premises for your convenience in picking up after your dog(s).

**ENTRY ELIGIBILITY:** Any trained, healthy dog 15 months or older may compete in a CPE Agility Trial. All purebred and mixed-breeds are equally eligible for entry. Bitches in season or any dogs who are blind, lame or aggressive towards people or other animals are not eligible to compete.

**FOOD:** Water and snacks will be provided for all workers. For meals, there are several restaurants within 5 miles of Quicksilver.

**OBSTACLES:** The following obstacles may be used. Obstacle specifications shall meet the current CPE obstacle requirements

Aframe – 9’ sides, rubber granules, slats	Dog Walk – 12’ planks, rubber granules, slats	
Teeter – 12’ plank, rubber granules, slatless	Weave poles – 24” poles - center to center	
Jumps: Bar, Spread, Panel	Open Tunnels	Pause Table – games only

## POLICIES:

- Completed entries and fees must be received at the Trial Secretary’s address no later than 6:00 p.m. on June 2nd. Day of Show Entries will be accepted if limits are not reached. There is no opening date. Entries that include an email address may be notified by email that the entry has been received. Overnighting entries has never really been necessary at our trials. If you still feel the need, please remember to waive the signature.
  - Refunds for pre-registered entries, will be given for bitches in season. Any additional withdrawals will be made on a case by case decision.
  - Moveups will be accepted through 6 pm on Monday, June 12, 2023.
  - Day-to-day moveups are permitted – moveups must be made after the last class on Friday and Saturday. **No** moveups will be accepted in the morning.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of a Judge or the Trial Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, fire, civil disturbances, inclement weather, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the host club.
- Please follow the directions on the posted signs, pick up after your dog, and take time out to thank all of the volunteers for working so hard.

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**CPE trial rules – shortened version: see the online rulebook at [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com) for registration info, “Registering with CPE” and further info on height categories and rules.**

**Jump Heights** – no dog will jump lower than 4”

P-Card = Permanent Card: the lowest allowable Regular height a dog may jump in CPE.

Measurement	Regular (P-card or higher)	Veterans	Enthusiast	Specialist
8” or less	4”	4”	4”	4”
over 8”, 12” or less	8”	4”	4”	4”
over 12”, 16” or less	12”	8”	8”	4”
over 16”, 20” or less	16”	12”	12”	8”
over 20”, 24” or less	20”	16”	16”	12”
over 24”	24”	20”	20”	16”

### **General CPE rules for entries/show site:**

- Dogs must be at least 15 months or older the first day of the trial
- Blind (both eyes), lame, in season or aggressive dogs may not enter the show. The Club may choose to exclude any of the above from the site.
- Dogs must be registered with CPE prior to the closing date of the trial, or by the trial date for Day Of Show entries. Registration forms are on the Forms page: [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com). Forms MUST be mailed to CPE and are processed 2-3 times per week. CPE ID numbers are emailed to legible email addresses. Registrations can only be processed from mailed forms.
- Dogs must be able to be measured at their first show. If a dog cannot be measured, the dog cannot run and no refund will be issued. Dogs within ½" of a jump height require at least one more measurement. When dogs reach their second birthday, a measurement is required. All dogs must be measured at their first trial regardless of jump height.
- Only CPE Judges can measure dogs.
- Electronic shock collars are not allowed at ANY CPE trial – training or bark.
- Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without a dog, prior to the start of the class. A warm-up jump shall be provided for all entered dogs. No relieving of dogs in the warm-up area.

### **Dogs in the ring, leashes, exiting the ring**

- Dogs shall run without anything attached to its body. This is for the safety of the dog. This includes no: collars, stitches, wraps or any other item. The only exception is a small barrette or rubber band to keep hair out of a dog's eyes.
- Leashes may not have anything (other than name/license tags) attached to them when used in the ring.
- Dogs may enter the ring on a collar, quick release harness or head halti/leader. If prong collars are allowed per the show site, they may *not* be used to take a dog into the ring. Effective January 1, 2022 handlers have a choice regarding dogs wearing collars. Dogs may run courses with or without one collar. Collars should be preferably quick release style, flat buckle, or rolled leather. No attachments of any kind are allowed on the collar. Flea and tick collars are permitted to be left on, but the dog may not wear an additional collar if this is worn. Dogs running with loose attachments on a collar are to be immediately NT'd and their run ended.
- Handlers may not carry their leash with them on the course – if done so, an NT will result. Exception: Handicapped handlers that have a mobility problem in picking up the leash at the finish may put their leash in their pocket – the leash must be out of sight.
- Dogs must be under the handler's control when leaving the ring or the judge may enter the run as No Time - NT.

### **For clubs that will allow Declared Training In the Ring**

We (Host Club) will offer Declared training in the ring. The handler has the option if they want to use a toy or training aid at any time during their run, the handler must approach the Judge during Walkthrough or previously in that trial day for the Judge to approve the toy or training aid for use on the course.

- Handler must alert the Judge upon entry to the ring that the dog will be TIR. Handler is then allowed to have a reasonably sized silent toy/aid with them for use once their run has started (this toy must be approved by the Judge of record PRIOR to the start of the class to determine its eligibility, absolutely no food/scents/audible devices). The toy is NOT allowed to be used in either gate chute or prior to the previous dog leaving the ring.

See the online rulebook or current member letter for additional rules.

The following items are considered training in the ring (see Fix and Go):

- Violating the 4 paw safety rule (directing the dog back onto the contact)
- Start line stay – leaving the dog and going back again to reposition the dog after the handler passes the plane of the first obstacle (before the handler leaves the dog, repositioning or repeated commands can be a delay of start)
- Putting the dog back on the table in the point games

### **For Clubs that are not allowing Declared Training In the Ring:**

We (host club) will not be offering Declared Training in the Ring at this trail. Please remember that the following is not considered Training in the ring:

- Dog grabbing it's leash at the end of a run (if the run has not yet ended, the dog would receive an NT)
- Asking the dog once for a sit or down on the table in the point games (asking more than once will be a delay of finish, 5 faults/points)

### **While running on course**

- The handler will direct the dog through the course without a collar or lead.
- Food, toys, training devices (includes fanny packs and leash attachments) are not allowed within 10' feet of the ring. Clickers, training whistles and squeaky toys are not to be used within distraction distance of the ring.
- The handler may not carry anything that could aid the dog in its performance. Exclusion: Handicapped/Differently Abled Handlers using a cane, scooter, wheelchair, etc., to enable their progression around the course.

The handler may use any verbal or visual commands to direct the dog through the course. The Judge may assess a 5 fault penalty to elimination for any command that is not given in a sportsmanlike manner. Faults can be but are not limited to: foul or abusive language, display of anger, extreme frustration or excessive harshness. If the fault is severe enough, the Judge has the right to excuse the exhibitor from the ring and / or the remainder of the trial. If excused from the trial, a report would be filed with CPE. See Faults, Eliminations and Excusals in the rulebook.

**Questions?** See the rules page on the website, [www.k9cpe.com](http://www.k9cpe.com) or your printed rulebook. If you have further questions, email CPE – [cpe@charter.net](mailto:cpe@charter.net).

**Run Safe, Have Fun, Run Fast, Run Clean!**

Official CPE Entry Form – Quicksilver Canine LTD															
Trial Dates: August 18-20, 2023						Final Closing Date: August 14, 2023									
<b>Entry Method: First received, no opening date</b>															
Make entry fees payable in US funds to: Quicksilver Canine LTD															
Mail Entries to: Sheila McHugh 2604 Pleasant Union Church Road, Raleigh, NC 27614															
<b>Dog's CPE ID #</b> _____ -- _____						Dog's Call Name									
Breed															
Dog's Measurement if no P-Card has been issued:						Circle Dog's P-Card Height 4 8 12 16 20 24									
Circle Height Category to enter (ONLY ONE)						Circle One Jump Height for the Height Category entered									
<b>Regular Veterans/Early Vet</b>						Regular 4 8 12 16 20 24									
<b>Enthusiast</b>						Veterans 4 8 12 16 20									
<b>Specialist FEO</b>						Enthusiast 4 8 12 16 20									
<input type="checkbox"/> Handicapped Handler						Specialist 4 8 12 16									
Owner															
Handler (if different than owner)															
Address															
City / State / Zip															
Phone & email															
<b>Jr Handler</b> name & ID #															
<b>Fri Aug 18</b> circle level for each class															
Standard	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	Snooker	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17
Colors	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	Jackpot	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17
Wildcard	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17								
<b>Sat Aug 19</b> circle level for each class						<b>Sun Aug 20</b> circle level for each class									
Standard	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	Standard	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17
Snooker	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	Colors	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17
Jackpot	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	Wildcard	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17
FullHouse	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	FullHouse	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17
Jumpers	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17	Jumpers	1	2	3	4	5	C	\$17

**An ID number is required enter a CPE trial, pending entries cannot be accepted**

**Package price: 15 runs \$200/10 runs \$150/ Day of Show \$20 per run**

Total Enclosed in US funds:

**DISCLAIMER AND INDEMNITY – MUST BE SENT WITH ENTRY**

I / we acknowledge that I am / we are familiar with the current rules applying to CPE Agility Trials, including all terms and conditions contained in this Event Premium. I / we agree that the Host Club holding the Agility Trial has the right to refuse entry for cause which the Host Club, in its sole judgment, shall deem to be sufficient. Upon acceptance of this entry, I / we agree to hold (a) Canine Performance Events, Inc., (b) this Host Club, (c) the owner or lessee of the premises, (d) any sponsors of this event, and each of their members, directors, officers, agents, show secretary, show chairperson, show committee and employees harmless from any claim or loss or injury or expenses (including attorney fees) which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing arising out of or in consequence of my / our participation in the Agility Trial or the act of my/our dog, howsoever such injuries or damage may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons. I / we further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim or loss of this dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether any claim be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the Host Club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

**THIS DISCLAIMER MUST BE SIGNED AND INCLUDED FOR A VALID ENTRY**

I / we agree to abide by the rules of CPE currently in effect at the time of the trial date and all terms and conditions pertaining to this Event. I/we testify that the dog entered is healthy and vaccinated or titered. I/we certify that the dog entered is not dangerous to any person or other dog. By signing below, I/we agree to the disclaimer and indemnity obligations on this entry form; including the statement below the signature line.

Signature – Owner or Parent / Guardian if Minor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Entry form **MUST** be signed and the Disclaimer **MUST** be attached for a valid entry

No changes to trial results will be made once the trial has been completed – handlers are responsible for the accuracy of information in their confirmation from the trial secretary (dog's info, level, height category and/or jump height, etc), prior to running in a trial, and for reporting any discrepancies of posted results prior to leaving the trial site each day. This also includes if there was a correction to a scribe sheet – the handler must verify that the results were corrected as well.