



KAOS Dogsports Inc.

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CARO Sanctioned Rally-O Trial

April 2 & 3, 2016

Indoors – 1 ring

Location: 1311 Ottawa St. Regina, SK

JUDGES:

Jennifer Oldfield (Regina, SK)

Tanya Strom (Regina, SK)

CLASSES OFFERED:

SATURDAY

Novice Team – Tanya S.

Novice A/B – Tanya S.

Novice Brace – Tanya S.

Lunch Break

Advanced Team – Jennifer O.

Advanced A/B/C – Jennifer O.

Excellent Team – Tanya S.

Excellent B/C – Jennifer O.

Versatility B/C – Jennifer O.

Versatility Excellent – Jennifer O.

SUNDAY

Novice Team – Jennifer O.

Novice A/B – Jennifer O.

Novice Brace – Jennifer O.

Advanced Team – Jennifer O.

Lunch Break

Advanced A/B/C – Tanya S.

Excellent Team – Tanya S.

Excellent B/C – Tanya S.

Versatility B/C – Tanya S.

Versatility Excellent – Tanya S.

All Team Runs: \$10 per dog per run

Novice A/B/Brace, Advanced A/B/C, Excellent B/C, Versatility B/C, Versatility Excellent: \$20 per run

Closing Date: Friday, March 25th, 2015 at 9pm

Chairperson: Joyce Baker

Trial Secretary: Rebecca Leippi Email: rally@kaosdogsports.ca

Please mail your registration form and entry fee to:

KAOS DOGSPORTS INC – 1311 Ottawa St. Regina, SK S4R1P3

There will be a canteen on site to provide snacks, coffee, pop, and water. Canteen will be operated by KAOS Dogsports Inc.

Methods of Payment - Cash, Cheque (payable to KAOS Dogsports Inc.) & Email Money Transfer (contact Trial Secretary for more information).

Move ups to the next level during the trials will be allowed, entries in additional classes also if space available. The request for move up or additional class entry must be made to the Trial Secretary no less than 30 minutes before that class starts.

Notice to Competitors – General Information

This is a titling event under CARO rules and regulations. CARO is open to all dogs being at least six (6) months of age, including purebred and mixed breeds, except bitches in season or dogs with injuries or illnesses which may cause the dog pain or great discomfort, or dogs exhibiting signs of aggression that threaten the safety of other dogs or humans. For more information go to www.canadianrallyo.ca

The trial will be run in accordance with CARO rules and regulations – the judge will explain the rules for the event during the Judge's briefing held immediately before the first walk through of the day.

There will be ribbons and prizes for the high score in each class. A qualifying ribbon will be awarded to each dog/handler team who achieves a score of 170 or better, for individual dog classes, or a score of 180 or better, for team events. A rosette will be given for a perfect score of 200. You will also receive your dog's score card for each run you perform.

There shall be no refunds for entries withdrawn after the closing date, or in the event a dog and/or handler are dismissed from competition, regardless of the reason for such dismissal. However, refunds will be issued for dogs that come into heat or are injured, provided a veterinarian's certificate is received by the Trial Secretary.

Physically challenged handlers are encouraged to participate. *Handlers shall provide the judge with a written description of how they intend to perform any of the course exercises. This shall be submitted with your entry form, prior to the closing date.*

Dogs can be shown on a flat buckle or snap collar or plain harness. No choke, martingale, prong or shock collars, head halters or no-pull harnesses are allowed. Leashes should be made of fabric or leather and be long enough to provide adequate slack. Dogs at the advanced or excellent level are not required to compete with a collar.

Food as a reward is allowed at the Novice and Advanced level only, but cannot be used as a lure to help the dog complete an exercise. Handlers who plan to use food as a reward must indicate this on their entry form. Food must be carried in the handler's right-hand pocket and only be present in the handler's hand in between exercises. Any petting, touching, or feeding that significantly interrupts the flow of performance shall be scored accordingly.

Facilities: The event will be held indoors in a fully matted, gated ring.

Please pick up after your dog, waste receptacles & bags will be provided. Dogs must be on leash when not in the ring.

See the CARO website for a full description and the **CARO official Rules and regulations** at <http://www.canadianrallyo.ca>

Please note that ***“An officiating Judge, and/or the Chairperson of the trial, may dismiss from the trial site any person subjecting the Judge or members or the organizing committee to abuse, whether that person is competing in the trial or not.”***

All dogs must be registered with CARO Rally to compete. A registration form is available at <http://www.canadianrallyo.ca>

Handlers may submit the Individual Dog Registration form filled out and accompanied by a cheque to CARO for the amount required to the Trial secretary. The Trial secretary will then submit the registration with the Trial Results.

As the host club, KAOS reserves the right to accept or decline entries. We will also excuse any person from the trial or trial premises we deem aggressive, abusive or unsportsmanlike conduct towards another person or dog.