



St Paddy's Day Flyball Tournament

March 16-17, 2019

Welcome Letter

1. Location and Facility Information

Canine New England

21 Industrial Road
Walpole, MA 02081
Phone: 508-761-6500



This is the first tournament at this wonderful facility and we will be learning how best to make everything work so please be patient with us. We will be seeking feedback after the event on how we can do better in the future. It's a small tournament so it should be a relaxed environment and a ton of fun!

Plenty of crating will be available on the Agility field. Please bring tarps or mats for under crates and to ensure we keep the field free from any debris. Please no food on the Agility field - water only.

2. Schedule

Friday March 15th

- 4:00 pm: Building available for set-up
- 6:00 pm: Single Dog Racing Starts (Swimming available)
- 8:00 pm: Building Closes

Saturday March 16th

- 7:00 am: Building Opens
- 8:30 am: Measuring
- 8:45 am: Captains Meeting
- 9:00 am: Racing Begins
- There will be a lunch break (see the schedule for exact timing)
- Mat Time and Swimming will be available after racing is concluded

Sunday March 17th

- 7:00 am: Building Opens
- 8:00 am: Racing Begins
- There will be a lunch break (see schedule for exact timing)

3. Racing Information

With a small tournament we have done our best to avoid back to back races for a club and to give the dogs enough time to rest between races. Lunch breaks each day and a couple other short breaks should help facilitate enough rest. If there any conflicts or you could use a little more time, no problem, please just alert the head table.

Judges: Head Judge Tom Lamont with relief judges Cindy Henderson and Lorraine Messier

2 minute warm ups for all races both days. If you don't need the warm-up time please signal the judge so we can begin racing.

Remember no false starts. Tell the judge before warm-up ends if you would like a practice start.

All Divisions are a 4 of 4 format.

One point will be awarded for each heat one.

Placements based on number of heats won.

Tie Breaker

1. Head to Head Results
2. Overall Best Time

4. Single Dog Racing and Mat Time and Swimming!!!

- Single Dog Racing: Friday starting at approximately 6 pm. \$5 per dog.
- Mat time: Saturday night after racing has concluded. Only dogs NOT listed on the C2 forms can participate in Mat Time. \$5 per dog.
- Swimming!!: Swimming will be available on Friday night and on Saturday night after racing has concluded. 10 minutes on the dock or "try-it" for \$5 per dog.

5. Prizes and Raffle

Prizes will be awarded for New Titles and Junior Handlers

We have a HUGE AMAZING raffle for the weekend. The raffle is helping off set the cost of the tournament overall and specifically purchasing 2 new mats that will be left at the facility for future use at tournaments for the region. Please help break even for the tournament and fund the ability to have future tournaments at this local facility!

6. Food

Hospitality Table

Weston Whirlwinds will be hosting a hospitality table both mornings with coffee, tea, hot chocolate and assorted breakfast foods and baked goods. Enjoy!

Pot Luck Lunch!

We invite everyone to participate in a pot luck lunch on Saturday and left-overs on Sunday! There will be a special food room to the left of the pool with tables set up and lots of space for crock pots and all kinds of food! Weston Whirlwinds will supply plates, napkins and utensils. We will also have some tables set up, café style, so we can hang out together as one big family!

7. Emergency Vet Information

Tufts Veterinary Emergency Treatment & Specialties

525 South St
Walpole, MA 02081

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Open 24 Hours