

Special Trial Notes for Show Me Agility Club of Central Missouri Trial and Columbia Canine Sports Center Site

Welcome to our new trial site! We're really excited to be able to host an event at the new Columbia Canine Sports Center. This is a first for us, for the CCSC owners, and for you, so this year we ask for your good humor and patience as we figure out what works best (and hopefully don't find out the hard way what doesn't work!) We'll want your feedback as well, so let us know what you think. Meanwhile, here are some notes about the trial site.

Climate Control

There will be no air conditioning at the June Trial. The CCSC building will be fan cooled, and entrants are also permitted to bring their own fans. There are plug-ins every 20 feet along the South wall. Please do not string electric cords across walkways or load a single plug-in with multiple fans; let's try not to blow breakers. There will be wading pools available for the dogs between Buildings 1 and 2.

Smoking

Columbia has a no-smoking ordinance. Entrants may smoke inside their vehicles only. Please dispose of all cigarette butts in your car or in a trash can. Do NOT discard cigarette butts on the ground.

Parking

Parking will be tight. There is no motorhome parking on site. Please do use the gravel areas to park. They are solid footing even in heavy rain, though not striped.

Crating

Crating is between the rings and along the South wall. Since this is our first AKC agility trial in this building do please try to be economical just in case. Stack crates when possible. No ex-pens with fewer than two large or three medium dogs please. Bring a chair, there are no bleachers.

Food

Food will be available for lunch, and hopefully also for breakfast. Alternately there are many restaurants within a 2 mile radius of the show site. We will have a list of local restaurants for you as well for those looking for fun and different evening dining ideas.

Hotels

For those of you who travel to Columbia shows and go to the Red Roof, the lovely large grassy area to the North is now a building construction site. There are many hotels right at the Highway 63/I-70 exit to choose from, and a new Motel 6 on the same road as the CCSC building, less than a mile away.