

**ENTRIES OPEN:** **Friday, October 11, 2019, 8:00AM AST** *No Entries will be accepted before this date & time.*

**ENTRIES CLOSE:** **Thursday, November 8, 2019, 11:30PM AST** After which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

Method of Entry is First Received -- Entries Limited to 350 runs per day. Online entry at [K9trialsonline.com](http://K9trialsonline.com)



## PREMIUM LIST

### **Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club (MSGRC)**

Sirius Ranch, 6151 E. Upper Court, Palmer, AK 99645

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

AKC ALL-BREED AGILITY TRIALS

This Event is Accepting Entries for Dogs Listed  
in the AKC Canine Partners Program.

**Friday, Saturday, & Sunday  
November 22, 23, & 24, 2019**

Event Numbers 2019622314, 2019622315, 2019622316

**Friday, November 22, 2019 includes T2B & Premier JWW!**

**Saturday, November 23, 2019 includes FAST & Premier  
Standard!**

**JUDGE:** Linda Syner (#95233) 11674 Ridgely Rd, Ridgely MD 21660

**Located at:** Sirius Ranch, 6151 E. Upper Court, Palmer, AK



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### **CERTIFICATION**

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding  
of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Secretary

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## Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Officers & Board Members

President.....Denise Anderson  
 Vice President.....Stephanie Olson  
 Secretary.....Kristine Preiss  
 Treasurer.....Richard Hawley

Board Members  
 Janice Royce, Annique Smith, Gwen Haynes, Bev Nolan, Trudy Davis

### Trial Chairperson

Annique Smith  
 1305 S. Jewel St.  
 Palmer, AK 99645  
 307-349-3309

### Trial Secretary

Melinda Krise  
 8217 Dewberry St.  
 Anchorage, AK 99502  
 907-223-5905  
 msgrcagility@gmail.com

### Event Committee

Denise Anderson, Bonnie McClean, and Debbie Drennan as well as any active and in good standing member of the Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club.

### Veterinarian on Call

Far Country Animal Hospital  
 2701 N. Liahona Dr., Palmer, AK 99645  
 (907) 746-7297

West on E. Upper Ct.; Right on N. Hyer Rd.; Right onto E. Palmer-Wasilla Hwy; Left on Trunk Rd.;  
 At traffic circle take 1<sup>st</sup> exit onto E. Colony School Rd.; Left onto N. Liahona Dr.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

**Eligible Dogs:** These trials are open to all dogs fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternate Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP) or an AKC Canine Partners listing number, or approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds. Dogs should be physically sound. Blind, lame, or aggressive dogs, and bitches in season are ineligible to compete. No dog will participate who is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything medical attached for any purpose.

Dogs may wear a flat buckle or rolled leather collar. There shall be no attachments or tags, hanging or otherwise allowed. The dog may run without a collar. Dogs must be on leash at all times, except when in the ring, at the practice jump, or the fenced exercise area.

**Fenced, Off-Leash Exercise Area** is located next to the upper parking area, behind the indoor parking arena. This area is available to competitors during the trial hours, on a first come, first serve basis. Cleaning up after your pet is Mandatory!

**Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s).** Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement. Cleaning supplies and disposal sites will be available at various locations around the show grounds

**Please sign-up to work when you arrive at the trial!**

It takes a lot of people to run an agility trial. The Club would appreciate your help in making sure the trial is a success and hopes that everyone will volunteer for **at least** one to two positions each day! Thank you for your help!

**Show Site & Hours:** Trials will be conducted in One Ring 100'X90' indoors on a dirt surface.

**Thursday:** Exhibitor set-up 2-6 PM.

**Exhibitor Set-up:** Crating space will be available on a limited basis. Crates may be left overnight, however, MSGRC and Sirius Ranch will not be responsible for any lost or damaged items left at the show site.

**Friday, Saturday, & Sunday:** Trial site hours are 7:30 AM to 30 minutes after the last dog runs.  
**Overnight parking will not be allowed at the trial site.**

**Obstacles:** Obstacles will conform to current requirements of the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials.

**Course Walk Through & Warm Up Information**

Handlers in all classes will be permitted to walk the course without a dog prior to the start of the class. The walk through is restricted to handlers in that class only.

A warm up area consisting of a single regulation agility jump will be provided. "No agility obstacle training is allowed on the show grounds except for the use of the warm-up jump." (Chapter 4, Section 15 of AKC Regulations for Agility Trials)

**First Dog on the Line:**

- Friday, Saturday, & Sunday at 9:00 AM

<b>Run Order</b>		
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
<b><u>Tall to Small</u></b>	<b><u>Small to Tall</u></b>	<b><u>Tall to Small</u></b>
T2B	FAST	JWW
Standard Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice	Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice <small>(Run by Height)</small>	Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice
JWW Premier, Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice	Standard Premier, Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice	Standard Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice
	JWW	
	Masters/Excellent, Open, Novice	

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to check in with the gate steward and be at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. The Judge is not obligated to wait for any exhibitor.

## Classes Offered

**Standard Classes:** Novice A & B, Open, Excellent, Masters, Premier, Novice Preferred, Open Preferred, Excellent Preferred, Masters Preferred, Premier Preferred

**Jumpers with Weaves:** Novice A & B, Open, Excellent, Masters, Premier, Novice Preferred, Open Preferred, Excellent Preferred, Masters Preferred, Premier Preferred

**Time 2 Beat Classes:** Time 2 Beat and Time 2 Beat Preferred

**FAST Classes:** Novice A & B, Open, Excellent & Masters, Novice Preferred, Open Preferred, Excellent & Masters Preferred

**Classes:** It is the exhibitor's responsibility to enter the dog in the correct class. The trial secretary cannot make any changes (except for move-ups & as provided for in Chapter 1 Section 21 of the Agility Trial Regulations) after the closing date of the trial. Please consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility to enter into these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible to enter into the correct class(es) and height divisions. Dogs running in a lower or higher height division than they are eligible will be eliminated.

Height Divisions		
Regular	Preferred	Height at the Withers
Handler may opt to run their dog at a higher height division.	Handler must run their dog at the proper height division.	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper height division.
8"	4"	For dogs 11" and under at the withers
12"	8"	For dogs 14" and under at the withers
16"	12"	For dogs 18" and under at the withers
20"	16"	For dogs 22" and under at the withers
24"	20"	For dogs over 22" at the withers

**Jump Height Cards:** All dogs entered **MUST** be measured by the judge before their **first** run except those with AKC jump height cards. **It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog measured prior to running if necessary.** If your dog is measured into a taller jump height class, he must be moved up into it at the trial. **If your dog is measured down, he cannot be moved into a lower jump class. The dog maybe switched from regular to preferred** as allowed in Chapter 1, Section 21 page 18 of the Regulations for Agility Trials and ACT handbook. **Measuring will take place at 8:15 AM, on November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, & 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019.** It is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to have their original, official jump height card or temporary jump height form at each trial to present upon request.

**Jump Height Card Process:** There is a new section at the top of the form for exhibitors to designate whether your dog has a valid jump height card or needs to be measured. Please mark the appropriate box, so the trial secretary knows whether to include your dog on the Dogs to be Measured List.

Daily Entry Fees	
First entry of each dog <b>\$25.00</b> Second & Third entry of each dog <b>\$15.00</b> Fourth entry of each dog <b>\$10.00</b>	Includes \$3.50 AKC recording/event fees for first entry and \$3.00 AKC event fee for additional entry of same dog, each day.

**Send Completed Entry and Payment to:**  
**Melinda Krise, Trial Secretary**  
**8217 Dewberry St.**  
**Anchorage, AK 99502**

**Make checks payable to:** Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club (MSGRC)

**Enter online:**



**Online vs. Paper Entry Primary Limits:** During the first 48 hours after opening, the initial limit of entries designated as either online entries or paper entries will be as follows: Online Entries: 50%: Paper entries: 50%. If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48 hour period, MSGRC reserves the right to adjust the limits.

**Maximum entries per envelope:** A maximum of 10 entries per envelope is allowed. Envelopes with more than 10 entries and/or entries received prior to the opening date will be returned.

**Note:** Conditional, unsigned, incomplete, illegible, telephone, fax, or telegraph entries cannot be accepted. Overnight mail entries should have the "no signatures" box checked. Entries not on an AKC form (that includes the disclaimer form on the back) are not acceptable. Please make sure only AKC recognized prefixes and suffixes are used on all entries.

**Email confirmation will be sent to those listing a legible email address.** Final entry confirmation and judging schedule will be e-mailed or sent to the entry address as soon as possible after the closing date. If you have not received confirmation at least 7 days prior to the show, contact the Trial Secretary. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry.

**Wait List Information:** MSGRC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 20 entries will be placed on the club's wait list. All entries, including wait list entries must be received by the Trial Secretary **prior to Thursday November 8, 2019, 11:30PM**. Any entries **withdrawn by November 8, 2019 11:30PM** will be replaced by a wait list entry if any are available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry, including bitches that come in to heat. Any wait-listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by November 8, 2019 11:30PM will receive a full refund.

**Move-Ups:** Move up to a higher class will be allowed if received by the Trial Secretary in writing by Monday, **November 18, 2019, 8:00pm AST**. No move-ups will be accepted after that date and time. E-mail is acceptable [msgrcagility@gmail.com](mailto:msgrcagility@gmail.com) Move-ups for Saturday or Sunday will be allowed if received by the trial secretary in writing **within 30 minutes** of the end of judging on the previous day at the trial site. No move ups will be accepted after that time. Verbal changes will not be accepted.

## **Notices to Exhibitors**

This trial will be held under the AKC rules and regulations for agility trials. Exhibitors are expected to be familiar with these rules and regulations.

**FOOD:** Friday TBA. Saturday & Sunday Thomas will be the food vendor.

**Trophies:** Ribbons for first, second, third, fourth place, qualifying scores, and new titles will be given. A choice of Double Q pin or ribbon will be awarded to dogs earning a Double Q in Masters. MACH and PACH will be awarded to those earning titles at these trials. Each entered dog will receive one toy for the weekend.

### **Refunds:**

No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. No entry fee will be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by the action of the Event Committee.

**Bitches in season** are not permitted to compete in agility trials. With written notice, handlers with **bitches who come in to heat** after the closing date and before or during the trial, may receive a refund. ***Sirius Ranch Policy*** is that bitches in season be crated in the car and walked only in the yard behind the clinic. Please do not walk bitches in season from the parking lot to the clinic. You must drive to and park at the clinic.

### **Safety, Behavior, and Liability**

The safety of the dog is our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport and agree to abide by them, 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 dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the event committee, be asked to leave the show site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

The Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club, Sirius Ranch and their agents, directors, officers, members, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. The Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against the Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club, Sirius Ranch or any official thereof.

### **Pet Friendly Motel/Hotel**

Best Western Lake Lucille: (907) 373-1776, 1300 W Lake Lucille Dr., Wasilla, AK 99654

Grandview Inn and Suites: (907) 357-7666, 2900 E Parks Highway, Wasilla, AK 99654

Garden Gate Bed and Breakfast: (907) 746-2333, 950 S. Trunk Rd, Palmer, AK 99645

### **Trial Site Directions**

#### **FROM ANCHORAGE**

Take AK-1 N/I-A1 N 34 mi

Take AK-3 N/E PARKS HWY/I-A3 N toward WASILLA

Take the HYER RD exit toward FAIRVIEW LP. 0.3 mi

Turn RIGHT onto S HYER RD. 1.6 mi

Turn RIGHT onto E UPPER CT (Portions unpaved). 0.2 mi

6151 E UPPER CT is on the LEFT.

#### **FROM FAIRBANKS**

Take AK-3 S/I-A3 S toward ANCHORAGE. 313.2 mi

Turn LEFT onto E PALMER-WASILLA HWY. 3.9 mi

Turn RIGHT onto N HYER RD. 0.3 mi

Turn LEFT onto E UPPER CT (Portions unpaved). 0.2 mi

6151 E UPPER CT is on the LEFT.

## Local Restaurants

[Turkey Red \(7miles\)](#)

www.turkeyredak.com  
(907) 746-5544

[550 S Alaska St Ste 100, Palmer](#)

[Palmer City Alehouse \(7miles\)](#)

www.palmercityalehouse.com  
(907) 746-2537

[320 E Dahlia Ave, Palmer](#)

[Red Robin \(4.8 miles\)](#)

www.redrobin.com  
(907) 373-7373  
1891 E Parks Hwy, Wasilla

[Evangelo's Restaurant \(4.1 miles\)](#)

www.evangeloswasilla.com  
(907) 376-1212  
2530 E Parks Hwy, Wasilla

[Panda Express \(4.4 miles\)](#)

www.pandaexpress.com  
(907) 376-9888  
1491 E Parks Hwy, Wasilla

[Qdoba Mexican Grill \(4.4 miles\)](#)

www.qdoba.com  
(907) 373-7639

[1515 E Parks Hwy, Wasilla](#)

[Subway \(2.6 miles\)](#)

www.subwayak.com  
(907) 746-4890  
8301 Palmer/Wasilla Hwy, Wasilla

[Starbucks \(4.9 miles\)](#)

www.starbucks.com/store/91893  
(907) 376-6055  
1771 E. Parks Hwy, Wasilla



CLUB'S NAME: Midnight Sun Golden Retriever Club

(Date) Ex: 07/12/2015

Table with columns for Day (Day 1, Day 2, Day 3, Day 4) and classes (STD, JWW, FAST, T2B, ISC, STD, ISC, JWW, Prem, STD, Prem, JWW). Includes 'IMPORTANT: Carefully read instructions before filling out!' and 'ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED \$'.

Choose Either Regular or Preferred Classes

Table for class selections: REGULAR Classes (8", 12", 16", 20", 24", 26") and PREFERRED Classes (4", 8", 12", 16", 20"). Includes options for Nov A, Nov B, Open, Exc, Master, Prem, JWW, FAST, T2B.

ISC Jump Height - Select: 14", 18", 26" - OR - Jump Height Same as Regular/Preferred

This dog needs to be measured: Yes No

Table for dog information: BREED, SEX, VARIETY, HEIGHT AT WITHERS, DALL NAME, AKC\* NAME (include AKC titles only)

Registration information: AKC NO., LIP NO., PAL NO., FOREIGN REG. NO. & COUNTRY, BREEDER, DATE OF BIRTH, PLACE OF BIRTH (Last Country)

SIRE: \_\_\_\_\_

DAM: \_\_\_\_\_

ACTUAL OWNERS: \_\_\_\_\_

OWNERS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ NEW ADDRESS

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP + 4: \_\_\_\_\_

HANDLER: \_\_\_\_\_ ENTER JUR. HANDLER # if applicable

Exhibitor or owner MUST sign on the signature line beneath the instructions.

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org

AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered, in consideration of the acceptance of this entry. I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event...

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event...

INSTRUCTIONS

Handlers may opt to enter in a higher height division for all Regular titling classes, but not in a division lower than their proper height division. Dogs entered in the Preferred classes must compete at the required jump height and may not compete in a jump height division higher or lower than their proper height division.

All dogs that have not been officially measured for an Agility Jump Height Card may still compete; however, they must be measured by a Judge of record, an Agility Field Representative, or a Volunteer Measuring Official, prior to running. If measured by the Judge of record, that measurement will be valid for this trial or back-to-back trials only. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running.

Dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners Program™ may be eligible to enter all-breed AKC agility trials at the club's option. These dogs should be listed as All American Dog and must include their AKC number on the entry form and check the AKC No. box.

Junior Handlers should enter their Junior Handler Number on the front of this form. Should you not have your Junior Handler number, it may be obtained from the American Kennel Club (919) 233-9767. If the Junior Handler is not the owner of the dog identified on the face of this form, what is the relationship of the Junior Handler to the Owner?

SIGNATURE of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry.

SIGN HERE X \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ New Email

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

In Case of Emergency - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_