

CLEAN BREAK FLYBALL
CBF'S SPRING BREAK TOURNAMENT MAY 6 & 7, 2017
WELCOME LETTER

Welcome to Clean Break Flyball's Spring Break Flyball Tournament! We hope everyone has a great weekend of racing and fun!

Location: Yellow Breeches Sports Center,
700 Shawnee Ct.

New Cumberland, PA 17070 (I-83, Exit 40A Limekiln Exit, right next to Motel 6)

The facility is still not showing up on all maps or GPS' so use the Motel 6 address (200 Commerce Drive, New Cumberland, PA) to map directions or Google Map Directions. This is a fully heated and air conditioned building located off of I-83 (Exit 40A) Limekiln Exit. Handicapped parking is available along the side of the building.

Info: The tournament is being run as one (1) two-day unlimited tournament with 44 total teams consisting of 19 Regular teams, 7 multi-breed teams, 17 Open Teams and 1 Veterans team in 2 rings.

We are having two rings which will provide over 65 Ft. of runback. Racing will be from 24 to 45 heats for each team except Veterans. You will find a seeding chart, format, and racing schedule for Saturday and Sunday, located in the Yahoo Groups and also on our website at www.cleanbreak.org.

Please be ready to run when your turn comes so we can keep things moving. We will also have a sheet available on Saturday to sign-up Jr. Handlers. If anyone has any suggestions or complaints, please see any Clean Break members for assistance.

Special thanks for the donations made by our vendors. Please take advantage of the shopping and information they can provide. We have a listing of all vendors attached to the Welcome Letter.

Jim Geiser of Game Time Photography (www.seegametimephotos.com) will be coming back on a one-time basis, as our tournament photographer. Thanks toCarolynn Williams for arranging it.

There are outlets available in the common areas but you may want to bring your own power source for the crating area. All indoor crating areas must have the floor covered with waterproof matting or tarps. No people food or drinks (other than water) allowed on the turf. There is plenty of room in the common areas to eat and drink. Entrance and exits should be through the two main glass door entrances. Please do not let any doors hang open-close them when going in or out.

Please keep the grass areas clean and don't allow your dogs to relieve themselves on the building or in the dirt areas in front of the building. Watch your dogs as to where and when they go and clean up after them- bags and containers will be provided. Cooling pools will be available if needed. Even more important, please potty your dogs before entering the building. **There is a \$10 fine for each occurrence of a dog pottying on the turf.**

In lieu of Welcome Bags, we will be offering a Continental Breakfast of donuts, snacks, coffee, tea and hot chocolate each morning. The facility's snack bar will **not** be open for our event. The following restaurants are all located within a mile of the facility: McDonalds (right down the street), Bob Evans, Pizza Hut, John's Diner, The Garlic Poet Restaurant & Bar, Boomerang Bar & Grill and Cedar Cliff Pizza (717-730-0100 & 717-774-6100) which will deliver. There are some Cedar Cliff Pizza menus on the site's tables in the front of the building.

C2 Info: Please go to the link below and enter all your C.2 information so that we can pre-populate the forms and have all the information in the computer for Saturday morning. We will make any changes you may have, before racing starts Saturday morning. You can email me any changes up until Friday, and if you have any after that, just bring them to the head table and we'll take care of them first thing Saturday morning

http://cleanbreak.coffeecup.com/forms/C2Form_CleanBreak/

Don't forget to review your C.2 sheets, and initial them when approved.

NAFA C-2 score sheets will be filled out with race schedules pre-printed. They will consist of one double sided sheet for each team. If you are using stickers, be sure to bring one for each side of the sheet. Please do not bring entire C-2 sheets as we will be printing them. **Also, be aware that team lineups may be changed or a performance team may be declared up until the first race of their respective division has started. After a race has been run in a division no lineups may be changed for any reason in that division.**

Scoring: All divisions that are 3 of 5 Racing Format will be scored 1 point per **Race Win**, 0 points for **Race Loss** and ½ point for **Race Ties**.

All other divisions that are not 3 of 5 formats will be scored 1 point for each **Heat Win**, 2 Points for **Race Win**, 1 point for **Race Tie** and ½ point for **Heat Tie**.

Ties for tournament placement will be decided by:

First- Fastest head to head time

Second- If still tied, fastest time in the division

Third- If still tied, a tie breaker race (2 of 3 heats)

Racing:

Single Schedule divided among two rings.

Teams will be assigned which ring they are racing in just prior to the end of the race ahead of yours. Please be ready to race at least two races ahead of your race as things can move rather quickly if two rings finish at once. Also, be sure to notify your box loader as to which ring you are in. The race numbers will be displayed on the score board and will show the teams on deck waiting to enter the next race. The races can also be picked up on the internet at <http://flyballgeek.com/race/833>.

Warm Ups: 2 minute warm ups Saturday and Sunday unless changed by the tournament director and/or judge. If you do not need the warm up time, please let the judge know. Remember- no warm-ups may start until both teams have arrived to race. Check with your judge to be sure.

Judges: The judges will be Chris Carr and Jim Spitznas- Relief judge, Carle Lee Detweiler.

Awards & Titles: 1st place through 3rd place division winners will receive a placement award.

Please sign up any dogs who earn NAFA titles during the weekend (please, only those that are earned at our tournament) on our posted sheets. We will be giving title ribbons to each dog who earned them at our tournament. All title ribbon awards below Onyx, will be available as soon as earned. Please pick up your ribbon from our display. All titles of Onyx and above, will be presented at the end of racing on Sunday. All titles will be announced at our awards ceremony.

Camping: We have limited camping (RV's & pull behinds) this year for those who contacted me and made arrangements ahead of time. Only those who reserved a camping spot will be allowed to camp- no exceptions. Please check in with Sue McCauslin when you arrive and she will direct you to your spot.

Line and Box Judge Raffle- Drawn Each Day:

We will be looking for line and box judge volunteers for each race, so please volunteer! Line and Box judges will be given a raffle ticket for each race they judge, to be placed in the jar at the main table and we will be drawing names for 2 cash prizes each day. You must claim your prize by the end of each day or another ticket will be drawn.

We are again asking that the box loader from each team, for each race, box judge the following race. If your box loader can't do it, please have another member of your team fill in for him/her. This will help tremendously to keep things moving. If you see an empty chair, please jump in and judge. Don't know how to judge? Ask to have someone instruct you and we also have printed instruction sheets available. Clean Break members are not eligible to win the workers raffle so if you see a Clean Break team member judging, ask to take their place.

Friday Night Set-up: The facility will be open to drop off boxes and set up crating after 4:00 P.M. on Friday. Please do not come in earlier than 4:00 P.M... All indoor crating areas must have the turf covered with waterproof matting or tarps. There is more than enough space for indoor crating and there is no people food or drink allowed on the turf fields. There are plenty of common areas available to eat and drink in. Entrance and exits should be through the two main glass door entrances. Please do not let any doors hang open- close them when going in or out.

SDR 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM- Clean Break will be hosting Friday night Single Dog racing. Two lanes will be offered – 1 for Single Dog Racing and 1 for practice. Fees will be: \$5.00 for 3 Single dog runs with 1 warm-up, and \$5.00 for 5 minutes of practice. If you need to work or run unopposed, you must pay for **both** lanes. Teams wanting blocks of time can block no more than 10 minutes at a time and must wait 10 minutes before blocking time again as we're trying to make it more equitable for all. Sign-ups will begin at 5:00 P.M. with racing starting at 5:30 P.M. and ending at or before 8:30 P.M... All runs must be paid in full before racing. Times will be recorded only upon request at signups for Single Dog Racing. We will have a box available for use in case your team's box isn't there in time. This is great experience for "green dogs" so don't miss it!

Emergency Info:

VCA West Shore Animal Hospital- 719 Limekiln Rd.- New Cumberland, PA 717-774-0685 Saturday only

Rossmoyne Animal Emergency Trauma Center- 4930 Ritter Rd.- Mechanicsburg, PA 717-796-2334 24/7 Vet coverage for the weekend.

Animal Emergency Clinic of York, 1640 S. Queen Street- York, PA, 717-767-5355 will provide 24/7 Vet coverage for the weekend.

Holy Spirit Hospital- 503 N. 21st St.- Camp Hill, PA 717-763-2100

Pinnacle Health Harrisburg Hospital- 111 S. Front St.- Harrisburg, PA 717-782-3131

York Hospital- 1001 S. George St.- York, PA 717-851-2124

Racing Start Times:

Friday:	5:00-7:00 P.M.	Registration for Single Dog Racing
	5:30 P.M.	Single Dog Racing Begins
	8:30 P.M.	Single Dog Racing Ends

Saturday:	7:00 A.M.	Building Opens
	7:30 A.M.	Box & Lane Check
	7:45 A.M.	Measuring Begins
	8:15 A.M.	Captains Meeting

	8:30 A.M.	Racing Begins
	4:30 P.M.	Racing Ends

Sunday	7:00 A.M.	Building Opens
	8:00 A.M.	Racing Begins
	3:00 P.M.	Racing Ends – Awards

Warm-ups- 2 minutes for warm-ups on Saturday and Sunday unless changed by the tournament director/judge. If you do not need the warm up time, please let the judge know.

VENDORS



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Jim & Elaine Geiser