



## Good Dog Agility Trial Information

November 4-5th, 2023

Ida Redbird Elementary School

1020 S Extension Rd, Mesa, AZ 85210

Welcome to Good Dog Agility's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary - November 2023 Show!

### Schedule:

#### Friday Setup:

4:00pm – 6:00pm (**Volunteers only** may setup their canopies once field setup is complete; **Please leave your canopies/mats on the basketball court inside the field until ring setup is complete** except for Chief Ring Stewards, Chief Course Builders, Show Chair, Equipment Mgr and Secretary)

#### Saturday/Sunday:

Gates open at 6:30am  
Check-in/Measuring 7:00am – 7:30am  
Briefing 7:30am  
Walk Thrus 7:40am  
First Dog on the Line 8:00am

#### Course Running:

Ring 1 will take priority all weekend. Listen for announcements as to any special running order changes. Steeplechase, Grand Prix and Biathlon will be running by group to eliminate conflicts. Sunday, Ring 2 will start after Combined Pairs is finished in Ring 1.

#### Site Restrictions:

Do not allow your dog to pee on anything man made, stay off playground, no smoking or alcoholic beverages, no firearms, no dogs in restrooms, please pick up poop even if it's not your dog's and place in GDA trash containers only (no poop in school trash cans).

#### Setup:

Competitor setup will be on Saturday/Sunday at 6:30am unless you help setup on Friday afternoon at 4:00pm. There will be security at the site overnight, and the gates will be locked overnight. Leave your belongings at your own risk.

#### Parking:

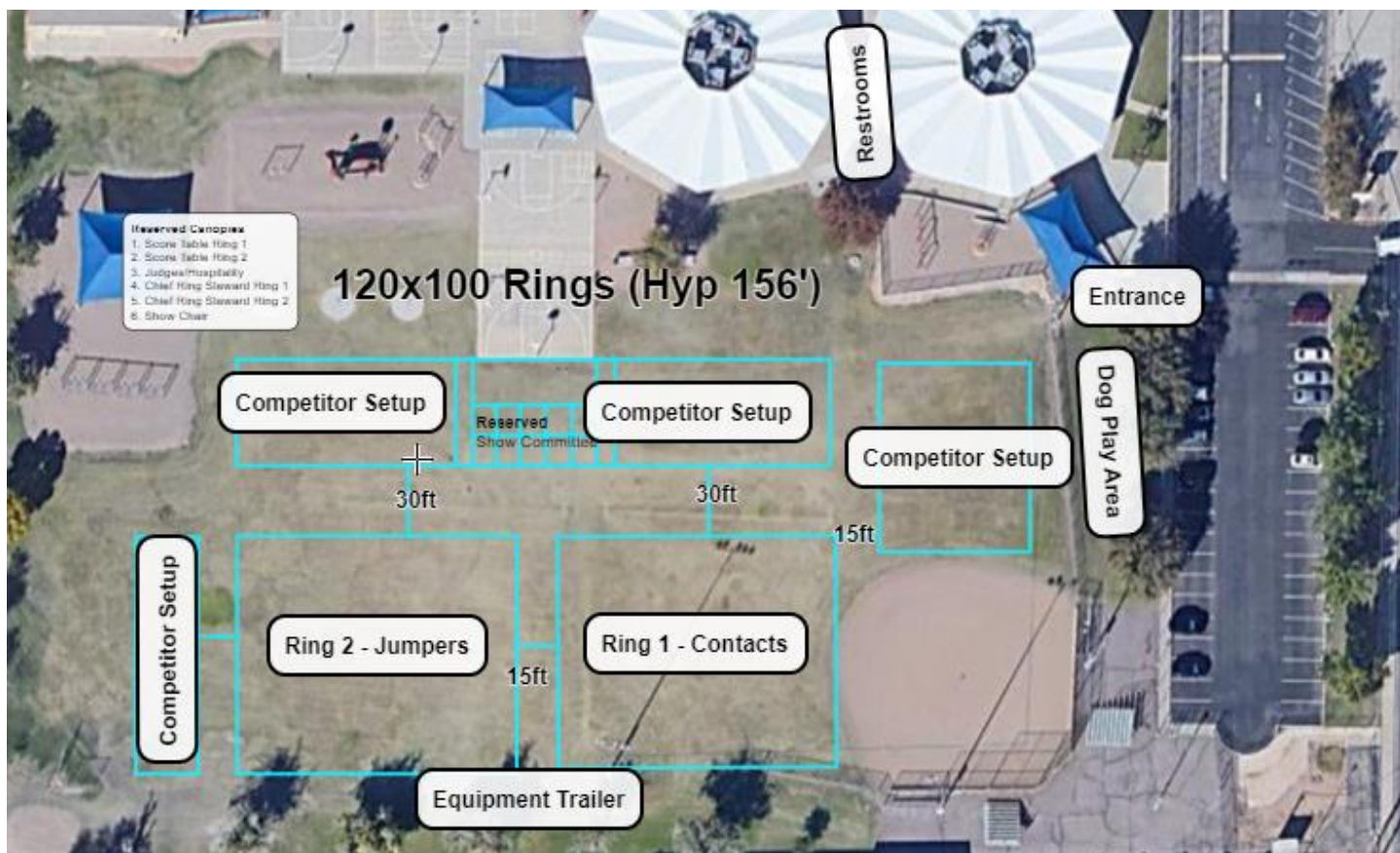
Cars can park in the two parking lots east of the school along Extension Rd. Larger vehicles/trucks/RV's/Overflow parking can park in the East end of Fiesta Sports Park parking lot, north of the school. There is a crosswalk directly onto the school grounds. Overnight RV's will be notified in advance of their parking area.



**Field Layout:**

There should be plenty of space for everyone to setup. We will mark the border with flags where you can set up behind to make sure there is adequate space away from the rings. There will also be a fenced dog play area that can be entered from the dugout.

**Ring 1 = Contact's Ring and Ring 2 = Jumper's Ring**

**30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary:**

Good Dog Agility is celebrating it's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. There will be lots of fun and festivities to honor the event including a competitor/volunteer gift, award presentation, Grand Prix gift baskets given to the winner of each class, scoring on accumulator sheets for Grand Prix, plus an anniversary cake for everyone to enjoy on Saturday.

**Food:**

A hot lunch will be available for volunteers at 11:30 each day in the hospitality tent. Snacks and water will be provided as well. Please use the hand sanitizer provided before serving your lunch.

**Photographer:**

Melissa Sheehan from [True Colors Photography](https://www.truecolorsphotography.com) will be on-site taking action photos on Saturday and Sunday. **Volunteers will receive a \$20 discount** for the all-inclusive package. Sign up to volunteer!

**Volunteers:**

We need a lot of volunteers to help make this trial run smoothly and efficiently. Please sign up online before Thursday, November 2nd at 3pm when the sheet will be printed. <https://tinyurl.com/GdaVolNov2023>

**Volunteer Raffles:**

Volunteer raffles will happen throughout both days of the show. Volunteers that have signed up on the volunteer sheet will be eligible to win even if they haven't worked that class yet! Winners will get to choose a prize from a variety of fun prizes!

**Doggie Bytes:**

GDA's digital currency "Doggie Bytes" will be earned based on the names written on the [volunteer sign up](#) sheet. Ring Stewards will confirm that each person on the sheet worked. Please make sure to include your last name. Doggie Bytes earned will be placed in your account within three weeks after the show. Your Doggie Byte balance can be found on the GDA website <https://gooddog.org/> by clicking on the large orange button.

**Course Maps:**

Course maps will be emailed each night by 8:30pm for the next day's classes and the link will also be placed on [GDA website](#) (click on the button named "Course Maps and Results") or this link [Course Maps and Results](#). Each day's results can be found using these links as well.