

2025 NATIONAL ESTIMATED SCHEDULE

UPDATED SEPTEMBER 16, 2025 10:47 AM



Thursday October 23

- **3:00–5:00 pm.** Building opens for check in, measuring for dogs that did not submit height cards, and packets. Build Course 1 in Rings 1 and 2. Build Team in Ring 3. **COMPETITORS CANNOT ENTER PRIOR TO 3 PM. PLEASE COME TO THIS CHECK IN IF AT ALL POSSIBLE, FRIDAY MORNING CHECK IN IS ONLY A HALF HOUR.**
- **5:00–7:00 pm.** Pizza Party (pizza until supplies run out).

Friday October 24

- **7:00 am.** Building Opens, Check in, measuring, and packets.
- **7:30 am.** General welcome and Briefing followed by National Anthem and Team Briefing.
- **7:50 am.** Team Blind 1 loads
- **8:00 am to finish. TEAM.** 80 Teams, 16 blinds. **Team takes priority.** There is no lunch break in this ring.
- **8:20 am.** Course 1 Blinds load for Rings 1 and 2.
- **8:30 am – noon, 1:00 to finish. Grand National Course 1.** 175 dogs, approx 4 min per dog. Ring 1 runs dogs 1-90 (18 blinds), Ring 2 runs dogs 91-175 (17 blinds) Lunch break may vary slightly.
- **Friday Awards.** Course 1, Team final.
- **5:30 pm.** Building opens for Awards Banquet, Diamond Room, 2340 W Grand, Springfield MO.
- **6:00 pm.** Awards Banquet, followed by year end retrospective and annual awards.

Saturday October 25

- **7:00 am.** Building opens.
- **7:30 am.** General Briefing (if needed) followed by National Anthem.
- **7:50 am.** Course 2 Blinds load for Rings 1 and 2.
- **8:00 am to noon, 1:00 pm to finish. Grand National Course 2.** 175 dogs, approx 4 min per dog. **Course 2 takes priority.** Ring 1 runs dogs 1-90 (18 blinds) Ring 2 runs dogs 91-175 (17 blinds). Lunch break may vary slightly.
- **8:30 am.** Hurdles Briefing (*Hurdles briefing is on Saturday ONLY*).
- **9:00 am – noon, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm. Hurdles Round 1.** 150 Hurdles dogs, approx 2 min per dog. All competitors must run during this time. **Hurdles R1 ends at 3:00 pm at the latest. Judges may end sooner if all dogs have run.**
- **Saturday Awards.** Gibson Award, Hurdles Round 1, Course 2, Top 50, any Wildcards.

Sunday October 26

- **7:00 am.** Building opens.
- **7:30 am.** General Briefing (if needed) followed by National Anthem and Course 4 Briefing.
- **7:50 am.** Course 4 Blind loads for Ring 3.
- **8:00 am to finish. Grand National Course 4.** 56 dogs (counting max possible Wildcards), approx 6 min per dog. This course will run continuously using Relief Judges as needed. **Course 4 takes priority. Dogs 1-56.**
- **8:20 am.** Course 3 Blind loads for expanded Ring 2.
- **8:30 am. Grand National Course 3.** 56 dogs (counting max possible Wildcards), approx 5 min per dog. This course will run continuously using Relief Judges as needed. **Dogs 29-56 followed by dogs 1-29.**
- **9:00 am – noon, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm. Hurdles Round 2.** 150 Hurdles dogs, approx 2 min per dog. All competitors must run during this time. **Hurdles R2 ends at 3:00 pm at the latest. Judges may end sooner if all dogs have run.**
- **Final Awards.** Hurdles Round 2, High Hurdles. Course 3. Course 4. Games cumulative placements by height, Games medals. Grand National cumulative placements by height, Grand National medals. Versatility cumulative placements by height, Versatility medals.

This schedule may change as needed during the Event. We do not hold rings for NADD competitors, Barn Hunt takes priority. Any conflicts must be handled by NADD, do not ask Barn Hunt gate stewards to move you based on a NADD conflict. Competitors are responsible for getting to their blinds on time, we will not hold blinds for any reason.