

### **North America Challenge Event – Championship Qualifier**

This is a unique agility run that is scored under the same rules and SCT as Standard Agility. An off course is now judged as 10 faults.

In order to qualify for the 2019 RAINE National Championships event, competitors will be required to earn one (1) clean (0 faults) North America Challenge OR two (2) North America Challenge qualifying round with a maximum of 12 faults (or less) OR 3 NQ North America Challenges (shows support for the venue) AND have competed in a RAINE Sanctioned Trial between July 29, 2018 and August 1, 2019.

### **2019 CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The 2019 Championships location is Denver (area), Colorado. We will be offering the usual Standard and Jumpers at all levels, but also a Specialist NAC, Called “Last Chance North America Challenge”.

If you have attended at least 1 trial and attempted, but failed, to earn an NAC qualifier with your dog, that dog will still be allowed to enter Traditional Gamblers, Strategic Time Gamble, Snakes N Ladders, and Trigility at the championships (good for 2019).

The Standard and Jumpers warmup runs will be open to any dog, whether qualified or not for the championships. The “Last Chance NAC” (Specialist level) will be open to any dog who has a made previous attempt to qualify for the 2019 championships, with the idea that if the “Last Chance” run is qualifying, that dog will be eligible to enter the full championships on the weekend.