



AGILITY TEAM CANADA

Seeks Management Team Volunteers

Agility Team Canada seeks volunteers to work on the Management Team over the next two-year term. To be eligible candidates need to have an agility background and the experience and skill set required for the position for which they are applying for.

The Management Team selects, prepares, and in some cases travels with the competitors to a variety of international competitions. Management Team members are asked to be flexible within their defined roles.

The following Standing Committee positions are available on the Management Team:

- Team Leader – Current Vacancy - Term is until November 1, 2025
- Team Assistant – Vacancy as of September 1, 2023 – Term is now until November 1, 2025
- Treasurer – Term is November 1, 2023 – November 1, 2025

The following committees are also seeking volunteers:

- Sponsorship and Fundraising Committee
- Selection Committee

Please note, if serving in an executive management position, you are still eligible to tryout out for and be on ATC for EO and/or AWC. The only position exempt from this is Team Leader. The Team Leader is not eligible to tryout for or be on the EO or AWC team.

Please see the attached role descriptions of the Management Team Members.

How to Apply:

Applicants with an agility background who are interested in being part of the management team are invited to submit a cover letter and resume by:

- Team Assistant - September 10, 2023 to ckcatcdocuments@gmail.com
- Team Leader – September 30, 2023 to ckcatcdocuments@gmail.com
- Treasurer – September 30, 2023 to ckcatcdocuments@gmail.com

Applicants must specify which position they are applying for in their cover letter and should include their experience in agility, in addition to other professional qualifications, in their resume. Retiring Management Team members may re-apply for an additional term, but new members are also required.

The submissions will be reviewed by the current management team plus a past team leader and interviews may be scheduled via zoom. Successful candidates will be notified.



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About Agility Team Canada

Agility Team Canada (ATC) is a non-profit, volunteer organization that chooses dog and handler teams to represent Canada at Fédération Cynologique Internationale (FCI) events: the European Open (EO), the Americas and Caribbean Open (A&C), and the Agility World Championships (AWC).

Our Mission

Agility Team Canada promotes the sport of agility by encouraging and providing the Canadian agility enthusiast with an opportunity to compete in international competition. ATC supports dedication to the sport, excellence in training, and promotes positive, friendly relations between our teammates, our dogs, our sponsors and partners, and other agility organizations.

Our Values

- Commitment to volunteerism and teamwork.
- Sportsmanship at all times.
- Respect for our dogs, teammates, fellow competitors, and agility organizations.
- Canadian pride and unity.

Who is Fédération Cynologique Internationale?

The FCI is the parent body that governs and standardizes kennel clubs and purebred dogs around the world. The FCI AWC is host to the best agility dogs of each country's kennel club.

Why is Canada invited to FCI Agility World Championships (AWC)?

Most countries have a primary kennel club that is a member of the FCI. The FCI holds the AWC for their members each year. As the CKC is not a member of the FCI, the Canadian team must be invited as are other non-member country teams. AWC is the oldest, most prestigious world championships in the sport of Dog Agility.

Why does Canada enter the EO and FCI AWC?

- Increase the growth of agility in Canada.
- Increase global awareness of Canadian agility.
- Compete at an international level of competition.
- Promote and preserve the sport of agility.
- Promote teamwork and sportsmanship.



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What dog/handler teams are eligible for the Agility Team Canada?

- Any dog with a valid CKC registration number including Miscellaneous Class and Purebred dogs with an Event Registration Number (ERN) or a Canine Competition Number (CCN) are eligible to apply for the team competing at AWC.
- Any dog (including mixed breed dogs) with a valid CKC registration number including Miscellaneous Class, Event Registration Number (ERN), Canine Competition Number (CCN), or Performance Event Number (PEN) are eligible to apply for the team competing at the European Open (EO) and A&C Championships.
- Handlers must be members of the CKC in good standing for application to all ATC competitions.
- Handlers must be a Canadian Citizen or permanent resident.
- All dogs must attend Tryouts.