



Seminar / Topic sessions for PAC July 24-26, 2026

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“It’s a Fine Line” – Open/Excellent

It’s all about the line... in fact, LINES rule the game of agility! You will learn how to identify all the lines, also referred to as the dog’s path and the handler path, in both shorter and longer sequences and know how to best use them to your team’s advantage. We will also discuss and learn how to avoid off-course potentials/traps based on the understanding of lines. If you dream about accuracy, consistency and speed in your game, this is where you learn how to accomplish that. Maximum 6 teams.

“You get What You Cue” – Excellent/Masters

Options are good for the handler... not for the dog! Ultimately, how the dog responds on course is a direct reflection of what we cue. Dogs are very good at giving us immediate feedback on our handling, whether it’s good or bad. A clear and consistent handling system will help build clarity, confidence and trust between you and your dog. Verbals will be part of this session. Maximum 6 teams.

“Precision Handling” – Masters and Beyond (Focus on Premier)

Precision in handling and communication. Throughout an agility course, whether in training or in trial, we consistently look for the best handling options for our team. We consider options that are efficient, fast, direct and ultimately give the dog the very best information. The idea is for us to stay assertive, ahead of our dog and without losing the connection. Verbals will be part of this session. Maximum 6 teams.

“The Separation is in the Preparation” – Novice/High drive/Arousal

As you know our dogs can get excited and over-aroused when taking a class or going into an agility event. The environment can be over stimulating to some dogs and others not. Are you as a handler, struggling with getting your dog under control or having them pay attention to you when waiting their turn in class or in a trial situation? This session can be very helpful to you and your canine partner by building solid routines, creating fun habits and warm-up routines. Both you and your dog will gain more confidence and understanding of the game. The transition from outside the ring to inside the ring will become more focused, easier to handle and more fun for both of you. The ultimate goal would be to enter the ring, ready to work! Maximum 4 teams.



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Registration Form

Handler: _____ Dog: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please include a brief history of you and your dog's experience:

What are you hoping to learn or accomplish?

Class selection:

Friday	Time	Selection	Cost
Precision Handling	8:00 – 11:30		\$125
The Separation is in the preparation (High drive/arousal)	12:30 – 4:00		\$125
Audit Precision Handling	8:00 – 11:30		\$25
Audit The Separation is in the preparation (High drive/arousal)	12:30 – 4:00		\$25
Audit – All day Friday	All Day		\$40
Saturday	Time	Selection	Cost
The Separation is in the preparation	8:00 – 11:30		\$125
It's A Fine Line	12:30 – 4:00		\$125
Audit The Separation is in the preparation (High drive/arousal)	8:00 – 11:30		\$25
Audit It's A Fine Line	12:30 – 4:00		\$25
Audit – All day Saturday	All Day		\$40
Sunday	Time	Selection	Cost
It's A Fine Line	8:00 – 11:30		\$125
You Get What You Cue	12:30 – 4:00		\$125
Audit It's A Fine Line	8:00 – 11:30		\$25
Audit You Get What you Cue	12:30 – 4:00		\$25
Audit – All day Sunday	All Day		\$40

Please indicate your class selection. If you would like to enter multiple classes, please indicate your class preference 1,2,3 etc. Please note that all members will have until June 30th to enter one class. After June 30th if there are still class spots available, members will get first opportunity to enter other classes. If classes are not filled by PAC members after June 30th, registration will be open to non-PAC members.

Participant cost is \$125 per class. Audit costs are \$25 per class or \$40 for the day. Major worker coupons can be used to cover costs (\$2.50 class coupons are not redeemable for the seminar). If you reserve a spot and cannot attend, a refund will not be given unless your spot can be filled.

We will attempt to match handler/dog experience to each class. Classes offered and timing subject to change based on class interest.

Light refreshments will be provided. Please bring your own lunch and **a chair!**

Please mail registration to Lisa Hanson PO Box 633 Eagle Creek OR 97022.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Lisa Hanson at 503-709-5881 or email antoniobaby49@gmail.com.