

# LINCOLN AGILITY ENTHUSIASTS



Presents  
Agility For All

## Schedule of Open Agility Show

(held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H & H(1))



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**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2010**  
at The Lincolnshire Showground, Grange-de-Lings, Lincoln, LN2 2NA

**Entries Close: 15<sup>th</sup> March 2010**

1<sup>st</sup> Class postmarked - late entries will be returned

**Entries to:** LAE Show, c/o Longhedge Show Processing, Longhedge House, Thoroton, Nottinghamshire, NG13 9DS

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**Show Secretary:** Dave Roberts  
Flat Above Garage, Stamp End, Lincoln, LN2 5DS

**Show Enquiries:** Tel: 01522 824049

**Show Manager:** Steve Osborne

**Vet on Call:** View Veterinary Hospital  
Hykeham Green, Lincoln Road, North Hykeham, Lincoln, LN6 8NH  
Tel: 01522 683300

**Show opens: 7:30am - Briefing: 8:15am - Judging: 8:30am both days**

**Entry Fees:** £2.50 per class

**Camping Fees:** £20.00 per unit

**\*\*\* All profits from this show will be donated to animal charities \*\*\***

**Guarantors to the Kennel Club: North Derbyshire DTC**

Chairman: Jackie Kenny, 54 Vincent Crescent, Brampton, Chesterfield, S40 3NP  
Secretary: Gary Wilkes, 47 Staveley Road, Poolsbrook, Chesterfield, S43 3JX  
Treasurer: Pat Heaton 28 Harehill Crescent, Wingerworth, Chesterfield, S42 6SS

**Judges:** D. Hutchinson, D. Sizeland, M. Stallard, R. Blythe, J. Hitchcock, J. Widdess, G. Wilkes, J. Gilbert, B. Scott, K. Norton, K. Waddell, R. Pearson, J. Kenny, J. Boyd, C. Foden, E. Soames.

**Equipment supplied by First Contact**

Trophies will be awarded to 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in all classes  
Placed Rosettes will be awarded to 10% of the class entry  
Unplaced Clear Round Rosettes will be awarded but must be collected AT THE SHOW

## Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2010

- Class 1 Large Agility Graded 1-2
- Class 2 Large Jumping Graded 1-2
- Class 3 Large Jumping Combined 1-2
- Class 4 Large Agility Combined 1-3 Alpha Agility Challenge Qualifier
- Class 5 Large Agility Grade 3 – Sponsored by Agility Buds
- Class 6 Large Jumping Grade 3
- Class 7 Large Jumping Grade 3
- Class 8 Large Agility Graded 4-5
- Class 9 Large Agility Combined 4-5
- Class 10 Large Jumping Graded 4-5
- Class 11 Large Jumping Combined 4-5
- Class 12 Large Agility Graded 6-7
- Class 13 Large Agility Combined 6-7 European Open Qualifier
- Class 14 Large Jumping Graded 6-7
- Class 15 Large Jumping Combined 6-7
  
- Class 16 Medium Agility Graded 1-3
- Class 17 Medium Agility Combined 1-3
- Class 18 Medium Jumping Graded 1-3
- Class 19 Medium Jumping Combined 1-3
- Class 20 Medium Agility Graded 4-5
- Class 21 Medium Agility Combined 4-5
- Class 22 Medium Jumping Graded 4-5
- Class 23 Medium Jumping Combined 4-5
- Class 24 Medium Agility Graded 6-7
- Class 25 Medium Agility Combined 6-7 European Open Qualifier
- Class 26 Medium Jumping Graded 6-7
- Class 27 Medium Jumping Combined 6-7
  
- Class 28 Small Agility Graded 1-3
- Class 29 Small Agility Combined 1-3
- Class 30 Small Jumping Graded 1-3
- Class 31 Small Jumping Combined 1-3
- Class 32 Small Agility Graded 4-5
- Class 33 Small Agility Combined 4-5
- Class 34 Small Jumping Graded 4-5
- Class 35 Small Jumping Combined 4-5
- Class 36 Small Agility Graded 6-7
- Class 37 Small Agility Combined 6-7 European Open Qualifier
- Class 38 Small Jumping Graded 6-7
- Class 39 Small Jumping Combined 6-7
  
- Class 40 Large Allsorts Agility (35cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)
- Class 41 Small/Medium Allsorts Agility (25cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)
- Class 42 Large Anysize Jumping (35cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)
- Class 43 Small/Medium Anysize Jumping (25cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)

## Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2010

- Class 44 Large Agility Graded 1-2
- Class 45 Large Agility Combined 1-2
- Class 46 Large Jumping Graded 1-2
- Class 47 Large Jumping Combined 1-2
- Class 48 Large Agility Grade 3
- Class 49 Large Jumping Grade 3
- Class 50 Large Jumping Grade 3
- Class 51 Large Agility Combined 3-5 Dog Vegas Qualifier
- Class 52 Large Agility Graded 4-5
- Class 53 Large Jumping Graded 4-5
- Class 54 Large Jumping Combined 4-5
- Class 55 Large Agility Graded 6-7
- Class 56 Large Agility Combined 6-7
- Class 57 Large Jumping Graded 6-7
- Class 58 Large Jumping Combined 6-7
  
- Class 59 Medium Agility Graded 1-3
- Class 60 Medium Agility Combined 1-3
- Class 61 Medium Jumping Graded 1-3
- Class 62 Medium Jumping Combined 1-3
- Class 63 Medium Agility Graded 4-5
- Class 64 Medium Agility Combined 4-5
- Class 65 Medium Jumping Graded 4-5
- Class 66 Medium Jumping Combined 4-5
- Class 67 Medium Agility Graded 6-7
- Class 68 Medium Agility Combined 6-7
- Class 69 Medium Jumping Graded 6-7
- Class 70 Medium Jumping Combined 6-7
  
- Class 71 Small Agility Graded 1-3
- Class 72 Small Agility Combined 1-3
- Class 73 Small Jumping Graded 1-3
- Class 74 Small Jumping Combined 1-3
- Class 75 Small Agility Graded 4-5
- Class 76 Small Agility Combined 4-5
- Class 77 Small Jumping Graded 4-5
- Class 78 Small Jumping Combined 4-5
- Class 79 Small Agility Graded 6-7
- Class 80 Small Agility Combined 6-7
- Class 81 Small Jumping Graded 6-7
- Class 82 Small Jumping Combined 6-7
  
- Class 83 Large Allsorts Agility (35cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)
- Class 84 Small/Medium Allsorts Agility (25cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)
- Class 85 Large Anysize Jumping (35cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)
- Class 86 Small/Medium Anysize Jumping (25cm) Combined 1-7 (Special)



**Class 51**  
**The Dog Vegas Qualifier**  
**Large Dogs**  
**Combined Agility Grades 3, 4 & 5**  
**COMPETITION RULES**  
[www.dogvegas.co.uk](http://www.dogvegas.co.uk)

The "Dog Vegas Qualifier" is a competition for Large dogs, eligible for Grades 3, 4 & 5. There are ten qualifying heats. The top 5 dogs from each heat (top 3 if the heat is split into 2 parts), will qualify for the "£ Dog Vegas £" Grand Final comprising of approx 50 at the August Dog Vegas show in 2010.

1. This class must be judged under the appropriate Kennel Club Rules in force at the time of the competition
2. If the entry for a heat exceeds the KC limit for a judge in a day then the class will be equally and randomly split and another judge appointed for the second part.
3. All competitors entering the class will be deemed to have agreed to abide by the rules of the Kennel Club and the specific regulations governing this class.
4. The competition is open to Kennel Club registered dogs eligible to compete at Large Height Grade 3, 4 & 5.
5. Handlers may enter more than one dog in the competition and may qualify more than one dog for the final event.
6. Once a dog has qualified for the final it may enter further heats, as long as it is still eligible for Grade 3, 4 or 5. Handlers who have already qualified their dog for the final must report this fact to the appropriate Show Secretary before running in the class. If the already qualified dog then qualifies again, the place will be awarded to the highest placed unqualified dog.
7. The first five dogs from the heat will be invited to compete in the final. The next five dogs will be held as reserves.  
If the class is split the top three dogs from each part will be invited to compete in the final. The next top three in each part will be held as reserves.
8. In the event of a dog being unable to compete in the final due to unavailability, illness or injury the reserves from that heat will be called up in numerical order.
9. In the event of a handler being unable to compete in a heat due to illness or injury a substitute handler for the qualifying dog will be allowed to run the dog, providing the substitute handler is still eligible for Grade 3, 4 or 5.



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**Class 4**  
**The Alpha Agility Challenge**  
**Large Dogs**  
**Combined Agility Grades 1, 2 & 3**  
**COMPETITION RULES**

An Agility competition for large dogs Grades 1 – 3 held using Kennel Club Rules & Regulations. 8 qualifying heats producing 40 finalists who compete at The Alpha Agility Challenge Grand Final to be held on Sunday 29 August 2010 at Stoneleigh Park Country Festival, Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire, CV8 2LD.

Once a dog has qualified (i.e. 5 finalists per heat) this eliminates the dog from taking a further finalist place and the next highest placed dog(s) in The Alpha Agility Challenge class will be invited to the final.

Once a dog has been awarded an Alpha Agility Challenge Wildcard this eliminates the dog from further wildcard or qualifying place for The Alpha Agility Challenge 2010. All Wildcard nominees will be invited to the final. Handlers may not qualify more than one dog for The Alpha Agility Challenge final.

Any surrogate handlers must be notified in writing within 4 days of the last heat.

NO amendments after this date and non-advice will disqualify the partnership.

Enquiries relating to each heat should be addressed to the organising club.

Enquires relating to The Alpha Agility Challenge Final should be addressed to: The Alpha Agility Challenge, 2 Medley Grove, Leamington Spa, CV31 2GA.

Good Luck To All

## European Open Ranking Events 2010 (2011 Finals): Classes 13, 25 and 37

Results in classes 13, 25 and 37 count towards qualification for the European Open Agility Competition in 2011. Points will score 1<sup>st</sup> =10 points down to 10<sup>th</sup> =1 point for all heights regardless of whether rosettes go to 10<sup>th</sup>. Only English handlers and dogs placed in the top ten will score points, based on THEIR position in the top ten. e.g. if a handler from another nation is in the top ten, their points are NOT taken by an English handler. The other home nations will run their own system of qualifying.




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In accordance with Kennel Club Rules, all newly competing dogs must have been officially measured before competing at this show

**Eligibility and Definition of Classes:**

Only first prizes and points gained in standard classes at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows may be used for progression through the classes. (A dog is only eligible for one grade)

<b>Grade 1 (Elementary)</b>	For owners, handlers or dogs which have not gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows. <i>N.B. Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1, (Elementary) are not eligible for this class.</i>
<b>Grade 2 (Starters)</b>	For owners, handlers or dogs which have qualified out of Grade 1 but have not gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 2 at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows, or elected to progress on points from Grade 1. <i>N.B. Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 2 (Starters) are not eligible for this class.</i>
<b>Grade 3 (Graduate)</b>	Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grade 1 or 2 or have elected to progress on points from Grade 2 at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows and dogs which are not eligible for Grade 4, 5, 6 or 7.
<b>Grade 4 (Novice)</b>	Open to dogs which have gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 3 or elected to progress on points from Grade 3 at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows and are not eligible for Grade 3, 5, 6 or 7.
<b>Grade 5 (Intermediate)</b>	Open to dogs which have gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 4 or elected to progress on points from Grade 4 at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows and are not eligible for Grade 3, 4, 6 or 7.
<b>Grade 6 (Senior)</b>	Open to dogs which have gained a first place in an Agility Class or three first places in Jumping Classes at Grade 5 at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows and are not eligible for Grade 3, 4, 5 or 7.
<b>Grade 7 (Advanced)</b>	Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of 4 first places at Grade 6 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, 2 first places must be gained in Agility (not Jumping) Classes.
<b>Allsorts</b>	This class is open to dogs not entered in any other class at this show (other Allsorts/Anysize classes excepted). It is particularly suitable for inexperienced dogs or handlers, and those dogs that are unable to compete at their full height. Jump heights will be 35cm. Long jump (if used) will be maximum 3 slats, or Jump heights will be 25cm. Long jump (if used) will be maximum 2 slats. The A-frame will be a maximum of 5ft, and weaves will be a maximum of 6. There will be no tyre, see-saw or dog walk. The handler may choose which height is best for their dog, regardless of their dog's size. The course will be very simple and flowing and have a course time of 60 seconds.
<b>Anysize</b>	This class is open to dogs not entered in any other class at this show (other Allsorts/Anysize classes excepted). It is particularly suitable for inexperienced dogs or handlers, and those dogs that are unable to compete at their full height. Jump heights will be 35cm. Long jump (if used) will be maximum 3 slats, or Jump heights will be 25cm. Long jump (if used) will be maximum 2 slats. The Class will have no weaves, tyre or contact equipment. The handler may choose which height is best for their dog, regardless of their dog's size. The course will be very simple and flowing and have a course time of 60 seconds.

### Camping

Camping is available for a fixed fee of £20 for the weekend, with arrivals welcome after 12 noon on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> April. No arrivals after 9pm without prior agreement. We request that the site is cleared by 12 noon on Monday at the latest.

- Showers are available on site.
- Only park where directed.
- All units must carry a fire extinguisher or have a bucket of water at the front of the unit at all times.
- There will be no 'joining' of gardens
- Training equipment is not allowed in the camping areas

### Directions to the Venue

The Lincolnshire Showground is situated two miles north of Lincoln on the A15.  
More information can be found at: [www.lincolnshireshowground.co.uk](http://www.lincolnshireshowground.co.uk)

**Helpers** - Your help is needed! We are a small team organising this show and we would be very pleased to receive offers of help. If you are able to help, please indicate this on your entry form.

## Show regulations

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B. The registration number/Authority to Compete number will be required for each entry.
2. Entry fees will be £2.50 per dog per class, camping fees will be £20.00 per unit.
3. There will be no prize money in any class.
4. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
5. Puppies under 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible to compete for Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows.
6. Not For Competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four calendar months and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their details recorded on the entry form.
7. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
8. No bitch in season is allowed to compete.
9. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
10. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, halfslip collar or lead when under test. A flat, close fitting, leather or webbing collar is permitted, providing the only attachment is a plain identification panel as an integral part of the collar ie. not attached by a ring.
11. Should a judge be unable to fulfill the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
12. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
13. Kennel Club Standard marking Regulations apply.
14. The heights of the jump obstacles will be: Large 65cm, Medium 45cm, Small, 35cm (Allsorts/Anysize excepted) unless otherwise stated.
15. The Height limit for dogs:
  - a. Large Dogs For dogs measuring over 430mm (1ft 5ins) at the withers.
  - b. Medium Dogs For dogs measuring over 350mm (1ft 1.75ins) and measuring 430mm (1ft 5ins) or under at the withers.
  - c. Small Dogs For dogs measuring 350mm (1ft 1.75ins) or under at the withers.
16. Judges at an Agility Show may not enter for competition a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership; or handle a dog at the Show at which they are judging.
17. Withdrawal of dogs from Competition - A dog shall be withdrawn from competition and removed from an Agility Show if it is:
  - a. A bitch which is in season.
  - b. Suffering from any infectious diseases or contagious disease.
  - c. Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
  - d. Of such temperament or is so much out of hand as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
  - e. Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.
18. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 25 days before the start of the competition (March 30th 2010) shall be counted when entering for any class. For these purposes a competition shall be defined as all classes covered within the same schedule. In the event that a dog becomes eligible for the next grade at a particular show, after the entry for that show has been sent, it is the competitor's responsibility to notify the show secretary at least 14 days before the date of the show (April 10th). The dog should then be moved into the appropriate class(es) for the next grade. The dog must be moved into the corresponding number of classes as were entered at the lower grade. If there are fewer or no classes available for the next grade the competitor should be offered a refund of the relevant entry fees.
19. It is the competitors' responsibility to be available for their class and running order.
20. Handlers working more than one dog in a class must ensure that the dogs compete in the sequence in which they are drawn. Failure to do so may result in elimination.
21. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to the Kennel Club.
22. Each dog must at the time of entry for the Competition, be registered as required by the Kennel Club Rules & Regulations in the Competitors' name (or registration or transfer applied for). In the case of a partnership the full name of every partner must be given. In the case of dogs recorded as owned by a limited company, the directors and the secretary of the limited company will jointly be considered for the purpose of the Regulations. A dog acquired subsequent to entry having been made at a Competition may compete as the new owners' property provided that an application for the transfer has been forwarded to the Kennel Club before the Competition, and the new owner has undertaken to abide by the Regulations and conditions of the original entry form.
23. Animals in Event - No animal other than one officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of the event during its continuance, except any dogs registered to assist the disabled, or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes or by permission of the General Committee. However, at the discretion of the show society, a dog brought to the show by a spectator may be admitted into the precincts of the dog show, with the proviso that those in charge of the dog sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under proper control at all times.
24. All dogs registered and resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without a Kennel Club Registration number or an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
25. Competition of Dogs Suffering from Contagious or Infectious Disease - No dogs suffering from infectious or contagious disease or having been exposed to such disease during the period of 21 days prior to the Competition may compete. Competitors infringing the Regulation will be liable to be fined and/or dealt with under Kennel Club Rule A42.
26. A pay on the day class will be held if time permits.
27. A practice ring will be available if space allows.
28. Food shall not be carried in the hand or given to a dog in the ring.
29. Separate entry forms must be completed by each Competitor and must be signed by the Competitor or his authorised agent in accordance with the provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied with the appropriate fees.
30. Any exhibitor forwarding a cheque which is returned by the bank will be charged an additional £10 to cover bank and administration charges before the entry is accepted.
31. Overpaid fees will not be refunded.
32. Entries will only be accepted with payment by cheque, postal order or cash in sterling. Post-dated cheques will not be accepted.
33. In the event of abandonment of the show, the show management will defray any expenses from the entry fees received to cover the cost of show preparation and any non-retrievable expenses before issuing refunds.
34. Your attention is drawn to Kennel Club rule F8(A) regarding dog fouling. "Any owner, exhibitor or handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club Licensed Show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including the car and caravan parks and the show approaches".
35. Dogs may only be entered into one height classification for the whole weekend.
36. All dogs are entered at their owners' risk. Whilst every care will be taken, the show management and North Derbyshire DTC will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury to persons, dogs or property.
37. Campers must remain within their allocated space and MUST NOT obstruct the roadways. Joining of gardens is not allowed. All units must be equipped with a fire extinguishers and/or bucket of water at the tow bar.
38. Training equipment must not be used in or near any camping or parking areas.
39. The dog's signed Agility Record Book must be available for inspection by the Show Management and/or the Judge on the date of any competition entered by the owner/handler.

## Welfare of Dogs

An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.