

WEIMARANER ASSOCIATION



SCHEDULE OF OPEN AGILITY SHOW

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

THE WINTERTON AGRICULTURAL SHOWGROUND

Holmes Lane

Winterton

Scunthorpe

North Lincolnshire

DN15 9QY

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY 22ND & 23RD MAY 2010

A CELEBRATION OF ABC DOGS SMALL, MEDIUM AND LARGE

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Entries close 31st March 2010 (Postmark)

ENTRIES TO BE MADE TO

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SHOW OPENS 7.30am BRIEFING 8.15am JUDGING 8.30am

JUDGES

Diane Clark, Jackie Kenny, Alex Bailey, Kenny Waddell, Mike Stallard

(Additional Judges will be appointed if necessary)

VET ON CALL

THE WINTER SWAN VETERINARY CENTRE, 7 HIGH STREET, WINTERTON

TEL: - 01724/735003 EMERGENCY NUMER 07889183515

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

SATURDAY 22ND MAY

CLASS 1: OPEN AGILITY (GRADED 1-7)

KINDLY SPONSORED BY DOGWISE HYDROTHERAPY

OPEN TO ALL BREEDS OF DOGS INCLUDING BORDER COLLIES, WORKING SHEEPDOGS AND THEIR CROSSES

OPEN TO LARGE, MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 2: SPECIAL ABC AGILITY (COMBINED GRADES 1-3)

KINDLY SPONSORED BY CSJ SPECIALIST CANINE FEEDS

OPEN TO LARGE, MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 3: **SPECIAL ABC AGILITY (COMBINED GRADES 4-7)**

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OPEN TO LARGE, MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 4: SPECIAL ABC JUMPING (COMBINED GRADES 1-3)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 5: **SPECIAL ABC JUMPING (COMBINED GRADES 4-7)**

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 6: SPECIAL ABC STEEPLECHASE (COMBINED GRADES 1-7)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 7: SPECIAL ABC PAIRS (COMBINED 1-7)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 8 **SPECIAL ABC VETERAN/ALLSORTS JUMPING (COMBINED 1-7)**

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

EACH COURSE WILL BE THE SAME FOR SMALL, MEDIUM & LARGE DOGS.

The Special ABC Steeplechase class will be a simple flowing course of just jumps and tunnels.

The Special ABC Pairs class will be a fun class and will be a simple flowing course of just jumps and tunnels. The pairs can be mixed heights and the dogs will run with the jumps set at the lower height.

ABC dogs not entered in any other class on the day of the show may enter the Special ABC Veteran/Allsorts Jumping class, which will consist of jumps only set at small height. Veteran dogs will be aged 9 years or more on the day of the show.

SUNDAY 7TH JUNE

CLASS 9: OPEN JUMPING (GRADED 1-7)

KINDLY SPONSORED BY DOGWISE HYDROTHERAPY

OPEN TO ALL BREEDS OF DOGS INCLUDING BORDER COLLIES, WORKING SHEEPDOGS AND THEIR CROSSES
OPEN TO LARGE, MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 10: SPECIAL ABC AGILITY (COMBINED GRADES 1-3)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 11: **SPECIAL ABC AGILITY (COMBINED GRADES 4-7)**

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 12: SPECIAL ABC JUMPING (COMBINED GRADES 1-3)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 13: **SPECIAL ABC JUMPING (COMBINED GRADES 4-7)**

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 14: SPECIAL ABC STEEPLECHASE (COMBINED GRADES 1-7)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 15: SPECIAL ABC SPEED AND POWER (COMBINED 1-7)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

CLASS 16: SPECIAL ABC VETERAN/ALLSORTS JUMPING (COMBINED 1-7)

OPEN TO LARGE MEDIUM & SMALL DOGS

EACH COURSE WILL BE THE SAME FOR SMALL, MEDIUM & LARGE DOGS.

The Special ABC Steeplechase class will be a simple flowing course of just jumps and tunnels.

The Special ABC Speed and Power class will be a timed jumping course of just jumps and tunnels followed by the dog negotiating the “power” section, which will include the see-saw, dog walk, a frame, weave poles and a spread jump. This “power” element will not be timed and for each obstacle negotiated correctly, one second will be deducted from the jumping “speed” time! Handlers will be allowed to stop between each element and handle their dogs.

ABC dogs not entered in any other class on the day of the show may enter the Special ABC Veteran/Allsorts Jumping class, which will consist of jumps only set at small height. Veteran dogs will be aged 9 years or more on the day of the show

ROSETTES WILL BE AWARDED TO 10% OF ENTRIES.

ALL CLASSES WILL HAVE CLEAR ROUND ROSETTES.

TROPHIES WILL BE AWARDED TO EACH HEIGHT IN EVERY CLASS AS ENTRIES ALLOW.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND ENJOY THE SHOW.

GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR DOGS!

THE WEIMARANER AGILITY LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP WILL BE HELD DURING THE SATURDAY AFTERNOON AFTER THE SHOW HAS CLOSED.

This is not a KC scheduled class. Competitors who have qualified for the Challenge must have their Weimaraner entered at the show, but actually enter the Challenge Cup separately through the League Administrator, Debbie Stewart. Telephone 01388/710428 for full details



TO COMMEMORATE THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE WEIMARANER AGILITY LEAGUE, SPECIAL AWARDS WILL BE MADE FOR

“TEN OF THE BEST!”

ONLY WEIMARANER LEAGUE MEMBERS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THESE AWARDS. FULL DETAILS WILL BE ISSUED BY DEBBIE STEWART

Classes 2 and 3 are kindly sponsored by



CSJ Specialist Canine Feeds, Herbs and Treats

PRODUCT VOUCHERS FOR THE WINNER IN EACH HEIGHT CATEGORY.

For all CSJ Agility News and to find your nearest Agility Stockist visit the CSJ Agility Network at **www.csjagility.co.uk**

Classes 1 and 9 are kindly sponsored by

Dogwise Hydrotherapy

– Tel: 01507/607500



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RULES AND 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 fee £12.50 (£10 for Weimaraner Association members) per day for ABC dogs, which will include entry to all classes each day for which they are eligible. Alternatively, those who do not wish to make a block entry may enter individual classes at a cost of £3.25 (£2.75 for Weimaraner Association members) per class. Non-ABC, Veteran and Allsorts dogs may enter one class for which they are eligible at a cost of £2.50 (£2 for Weimaraner Association members).
3. PRIZES – No cash prizes are on offer at this show. CSJ product vouchers will be awarded to the winner of each height category in classes 2 and 3.
4. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
5. Dogs 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. No bitch in season is allowed to compete.
8. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
9. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip 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 i.e. not attached by a ring.
10. Should a judge be unable to fulfill the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
11. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
12. CSJ Specialist Canine Feeds are kindly sponsoring classes 2 and 3. Dogwise Hydrotherapy are kindly sponsoring classes 1 and 9
13. Kennel Club Standard marking Regulations apply
14. The height limit for dogs is: - 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.
15. 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.
16. 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.
17. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 25 days before the start of the competition, i.e. 27th April 2010 shall be counted when entering 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 processor at least 14 days before the date of the show (8th May 2010). The dog will 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.
18. Should circumstances so dictate the Association, in consultation with the Judges may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to the Kennel Club.
19. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the Society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses, on receipt of a stamped, addressed envelope submitted within 1 month of the show date.
20. Food shall not be carried in the hand or given to a dog in the ring.
21. Separate entry forms must be completed by each competitor and must be signed by the competitor or his authorised agent in accordance with provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied by the appropriate fees.
22. 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
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. A pay on the day class will be held if time permits.
26. A practice ring may be available to dogs entered for competition at the show, if space allows. This ring will be supervised by a responsible adult with agility knowledge.
27. 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 dog's 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
28. An ABC dog is defined as any dog OTHER THAN Border Collie, Working Sheepdog or their Crosses.
29. A non-ABC dog is defined as a Border Collie, Working Sheepdog or their crosses
30. All dogs will be entered in the Show at their owners risk, and whilst every care will be taken, the Committee will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury, however caused, to dogs, person or property whilst at the show.
31. All caravans/camping units must carry suitable fire extinguishers and facilities for fire fighting.
32. Please clear up after your dogs. Anyone knowingly not doing so will be asked to leave the showground forfeiting any remaining entries.
33. Adults who accompany children are responsible for their children's behaviour, actions and safety. To avoid startling dogs, please ensure children do not run or cycle around the rings, exercise area or camping area
34. Only 2 dogs per person to be off lead in the exercise area at any time.
35. Dogs MUST be on a lead at all times within the show ground including the camping area, unless competing in a class.
36. Competitors who allow their dog/s to make excessive noise during unsociable hours will be requested to keep them quiet. Failure to do so may result in the competitor being required to leave the venue.

ELIGIBILITY AND SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

This classification should apply to competitions for large, medium and small dogs.

In the following definitions of classes First Prizes or other prize wins are those gained in standard classes at any Kennel Club Open licensed Open Agility Shows (i.e. Limited Agility Shows, special classes and invitation events excepted). Only a first place with a clear round will count towards grade progression. Societies may schedule classes other than those defined below. The eligibility for "Special" classes must be defined by the Society and included in the schedule. The word "Special" must be included in the title of the class.

Agility classes to include contact points and Jumping classes where there are not contact obstacles.

With this proviso classes are defined as follows: -

Class Structure. A Class may either be held as a Graded Class or a Combined Class. A Graded Class may be scheduled for one or more consecutive Grades with separate results and awards issued for each grade. A Combined Class may be scheduled for more than one consecutive grade with one overall set of results.

Progression. Progression from each Grade will require one Agility win or three Jumping wins at that grade, except that progression from Grade 6 will require 4 wins at Grade 6, two of which must be agility classes. Results from Combined Classes will only count towards progression from the dog's current grade.

Points Progression. At the handler's discretion a dog may progress up to Grade 5 by winning 75 points at each grade, using the Agility Warrant point's scheme, Regulation K3.c refers, except that there is no requirement for a minimum number of agility points. If this method of progression is selected, the handler must ensure the Show Secretary signs the dog's Agility Record Book at the first show entered at the higher grade. There is no time limit on this progression, however, once a dog has progressed, it cannot return to a previous grade.

STANDARD CLASSES

Only first prizes and points gained in standard classes at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows may be used for progression through classes. (A dog is only eligible for one grade) In defining the eligibility of the owner or handler for Grade 1, the three jumping wins and points progression referred to in the definition apply only to one dog and not an accumulation of dogs.

Grade 1 (Elementary)	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. N.B. Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of grade 1 (Elementary) are not eligible for this class.
Grade 2 (Starters)	Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grades 1,3,4,5,6,7 and 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. N.B. Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 2 (Starters) are not eligible for this class.
Grade 3 (Graduate)	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 & dogs which are not eligible for Grades 4, 5, 6 or 7.
Grade 4 (Novice)	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 Grades 3, 5, 6 or 7.
Grade 5 (Intermediate)	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 Grades 3, 4, 6 or 7.
Grade 6 (Senior)	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 Grades 3, 4, 5 or 7.
Grade 7 (Advanced)	Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 6 at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows; two first places must be gained in Agility (not Jumping) Classes.

DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE

Directions from the Humber Bridge: -

After crossing the river take the first slip road sign-posted Barton and Winterton (A1077) and take the 3rd exit at the slip road roundabout.

Follow this road through the village of South Ferriby, past the cement works and along the side of the river. As the road leaves the side of the river you will approach some very sharp bends in the road. On one of these bends take a left turn sign-posted Appleby and Broughton.

Take the 2nd turning on your right sign-posted Winterton. The venue is ¼ mile on your right hand side. If you reach the mini roundabout you have gone too far.

From the A15 (Lincoln, Newark etc)

At the junction with the M180 take the 2nd exit at the roundabout signposted A18 Scunthorpe, Brigg and Broughton. Now proceed to *

From the East (Grimsby etc)

Leave the M180 at junction 4 and take the 3rd exit at the roundabout signposted A18 Scunthorpe, Brigg and Broughton. Now proceed to *

From the West (M1, M18, M62 etc)

Leave the M180 at junction 4 and take the 1st exit at the roundabout signposted A18 Scunthorpe, Brigg and Broughton. Now proceed to *

* At the next roundabout take the 2nd exit sign-posted **Broughton**. At the mini roundabout in Broughton Village bear left sign-posted **scenic drive**. In approx. 2.5 miles you will reach a railway crossing. Care is needed here, as the crossing is very uneven.

Having driven through the village of Appleby continue for approximately 2 miles, taking the 3rd turning on your left sign-posted **Winterton** (do not take the first turning on your left which is also sign-posted Winterton as this involves a difficult junction for caravans!). The venue is ¼ mile on your right hand side. If you reach the mini roundabout you have gone too far.