

## Show Rules and Regulations

1. Colchester Dog Agility Club (CDAC) reserves the right to refuse entries. Closing date 30<sup>th</sup> March 2007.
2. Please respect the venue and pick up after your dog(s) and dispose of all rubbish in bins provided.
3. All dogs entered for competition at this show must be 18 months of age or over.
4. Competitors are responsible for ensuring that they are available for their classes.
5. 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 ie. not attached by a ring.
6. Marking of faults will be in line with Kennel Club rules.
7. The judge's decision is final.
8. Judges may run their own dog(s) for competition in any class other than the one they are judging.
9. In the event of a judge being unable to fulfil the appointment the show committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
10. CDAC is the sole arbiter in respect of all matters and disputes at this event.
11. In the unlikely event that the competition has to be cancelled, CDAC reserves the right to deduct unrecoverable expenses incurred before returning a proportion of the entry fee.
12. CDAC holds insurance for this function, however dogs are entered at their owner's risk. Whilst every care will be taken, CDAC will not be responsible for any loss or injury to dogs, or loss or damage to vehicles or property.
13. Height definitions: Small – dogs measuring 35cm or under at the withers. Medium – dogs measuring over 35cm and measuring 43cm or under at the withers. Large – dogs measuring over 43cm at the withers.
14. All competitors shall be allowed to walk the course at the briefing but without their dogs.
15. No food or toys shall be allowed in the ring.
16. Bitches in season may not be entered for competition at the show, or mated at the show.
17. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the show.
18. Organisers reserve the right to eject any person(s) from the show venue for actions deemed detrimental to the show.



## Independent Limited Agility Competition

**Saturday 19th May 2007**

At

Sherwood Farm

London Road

Stanway, Colchester, C03 8PB

**Entries closing date: Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2007 (received by)**

**Entry fee: £2.25 per dog per class**

**Send your entries to: Donna Hurlock  
10 Alderney Gardens, Wickford,  
Essex, SS11 7BD**

*Show Opens: 08.00am Show Briefings: 08.15am  
Judging Starts: 08.45am*

Show Co-ordinator: Donna Hurlock (07966 152 629)  
Show Committee: Denise Fleury, Julie Sturgeon & Val White  
Show enquiries: Donna (07966 152 629) or  
Julie (07793 366 042) between 7-9pm

### ***Vet on call***

***Before 12.00 on Saturday - Bergholt Road Vets***

*81 Bergholt Road, Colchester, Tel: 01206 851 338*

***There after - Vets Now***

*70 Brinkley Lane, Highwoods, Colchester, Tel: 01206 842 224*

## CLASSES

Each of the following classes will be divided into Small, Medium and Large dogs with an overall maximum entry of 200 dogs per class and will be on a first come first served basis. If necessary, classes may be subject to change once entries are received.

- Class 1 Grade 1 Agility *Judge: Debbie Broadhurst*  
**Small sponsored by Thelma & Louise**
- Class 2 Grade 1 Jumping *Judge: Peter Harrison-Jones*  
**Large sponsored by Teddy**
- Class 3 Grade 2 Agility *Judge: Debbie Broadhurst*  
**Large sponsored by Stonebridge Dog Agility Club**
- Class 4 Grade 2 Jumping *Judge: Peter Harrison-Jones*  
**Medium sponsored by Rustic Highflyer**
- Class 5 Grades 3-7 Combined Agility *Judge: David Isbister*  
**Large sponsored by Orwell Truck & Van Ltd**
- Class 6 Grades 3-7 Combined Jumping *Judge: David Isbister*  
**Large sponsored by Spy-Tech**
- Class 7 Grades 1-7 Combined Helter Skelter *Judge: Chris Lay*  
(This class has a maximum entry of 400)  
**Small sponsored by Burns**  
**Large sponsored by Royal Canin**

***Course walking will happen at the start of each class but not between each height***

A practice ring and 'Pay on the Day' classes may run if time permits

**Jump Heights** – For Small dogs - 35cm, for Medium dogs - 43cm, for Large dogs - 65cm.

**Official KC Measuring** will take place at this show. If you have a dog, which you would like measured please tick the box on your entry form so that we have a rough idea of numbers. Please remember to bring your completed 'Aqility Record Book'.

## Awards

**Grade 1 Small Agility is sponsored by Thelma & Louise.**

Prizes will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place

**Grade 1 Large Jumping is sponsored by Teddy.** Prizes will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place

**Grade 2 Large Agility is sponsored by Stonebridge Dog Agility Club.** Prizes will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place

**Grade 2 Medium Jumping is sponsored by Rustic Highflyer.** Prizes will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place

**Grades 3-7 Combined Large Agility is sponsored by Orwell Truck & Van Ltd.** Prizes will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place

**Grades 3-7 Combined Large Jumping is sponsored by Spy-Tech.** Prizes will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place

**Grades 1-7 Combined Small Helter Skelter is sponsored by Burns.** The winner of this class will win 2 2kg bags of dog food, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place will each receive a 2kg bag of dog food

**Grades 1-7 Combined Large Helter Skelter is sponsored by Royal Canin.** The winner of this class will win a 14kg sack of dog food, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place will each receive a 2kg bag of dog food

Trophies for first place in all other classes

Rosettes will be given to at least 10% of the entries

Clear round rosettes will be given in all classes

## Directions

From London - A12 towards Colchester/Ipswich, take exit number 25 signposted to Stansted & Marks Tey. At *roundabout* take the last exit signposted to Stanway. Next roundabout take the first exit signposted to Stanway/Copford. You are now in London Road. The field is about 1.5 miles on your left. Go past Marks Tey Hotel and Wyevale Garden centre. At the 40mph sign start looking for the field entrance on your left.

From Stansted take the A120 to Colchester, pick up above directions at '*roundabout in italics*'.

From Ipswich – A12 towards London, take the A124 exit signposted to Halstead. At the roundabout turn Left towards Stanway. Next roundabout take 4th exit signposted to Copford. Straight over next mini roundabout. Venue is on your right just past the Mercedes showroom.

Postcode = C03 8PB

## ELIGIBILITY & DEFINITION OF CLASSES

### Continued – A big thank you to our sponsors

#### **STONEBRIDGE DOG AGILITY CLUB**

Providing quality agility training for complete beginners to the sport to competing handlers at all levels. Any height and ability are welcome. Training is on Tuesday and Thursday throughout the summer months and Saturdays in the winter. Outdoor training all year based in Earls Colne. Private lessons are available see our webpage at [www.freewebs.com/stonebridgeagility](http://www.freewebs.com/stonebridgeagility) or contact Mandy-Sue Sarti (07759 146 282) or John Winney (07748 655 158) for more information.

#### **THELMA & LOUISE by Sue and Andrew MacCallum**

These 2 new teams are agility addicts in the making. Thelma and Louise or Sue and Andrew !!!! They can be spotted around the small rings. 2 miniature black poodles that are just starting out with bags of enthusiasm and handlers to match. Both teams are looking promising for the future.

Also attending the show:

Catering will be provided by **Shayler Catering**

They will be with us serving a variety of hot and cold food and drinks from 8.00am

**Nick Ridley Photography**

**Taryntimers UK**

**St. John's Ambulance**

**Soft Scoop Ice-Cream** will be visiting us during the day

**Trophy Pet food** – CDAC club sponsors

***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 & awards issued for each grade. A Combined class may be scheduled for more than one consecutive grade with one overall set of results.*

#### **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)**

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. *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 and dogs which are not eligible for Grade 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 Grade 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 Grade 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 Grade 3, 4, 5 or 7.

#### **Grade 7 (Advanced)**

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.

We would like to say a **big thank you** to **our sponsors:**

Burns  
Orwell Truck & Van Company  
Royal Canin  
Rustic Highflyer by Lillian Bradley  
Spy-Tech  
Stonebridge Dog Agility Club  
Teddy by Dennis Hutchings  
Thelma & Louise by Sue and Andrew MacCullam

### **BURNS Pet Food**

Burns Real Food is based upon the homemade recipe that John Burns recommended to his clients whilst in Veterinary Practice, concerned as he was with the quality and type of ingredients being used in commercial pet foods, and the connection between good health and nutrition.

John has always taken a more holistic approach to the health of pets - it is an approach which worked twenty years ago and still works well today!

Burns Real Food will naturally maintain a healthy immune system, coat and skin, digestive tract, skeletal, respiratory and nervous system. It is also suitable for use where holistic veterinary treatment is being used in the nutritional management of disease.

### **ORWELL TRUCK & VAN LTD**

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- Knowledge of the Animal
- Commitment to the Owner
- Respect for Both

### **RUSTIC HIGHFLYER BY Lillian Bradley**

Better known to his friends as Rusty, this little dog has given Lillian many good results and enjoyable runs around the competition circuit and displays. Rusty is a Blue Cross rescue dog and has represented them at Crufts and Discover Dogs for the last 3 years as part of the Rescue Dog Agility Team. Lastly but not least Rusty was the first CDAC dog to achieve his Agility Warrant.

### **SPY-TECH**

S.P.Y. Tech Services, who are embroiderers to the rich and famous as well as the British armed forces, the Royal Mews, Buckingham Palace, Windsor Castle and the corporate sector, as well as supplying us with all our club clothing.

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### **TEDDY by Dennis Hutchings**

Teddy was an apricot standard Poodle but more than that he had a character all of his own. He loved people and dogs alike and even liked cats (if only they would stand still long enough). Although he only entered allsorts and veteran's classes as he was nearly 12 years old, his agility skills were notable and on his very last run, a week before he died, he won a rosette and a pat on the head from the judge.