



SUFFOLK FIVE RIVERS AGILITY CLUB
Schedule of Open Agility Test

Saturday 22nd & Sunday 23rd September 2007
At the Suffolk Showground, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 8UH
SHOW OPENS: 7.30am BRIEFING: 8.00am JUDGING: 8.15am

ENTRY FEES: £2.25/dog per class,
SFR Members (helping) £1.10/dog per class (excluding pairs)
Pairs at £4.50 per pair

ENTRIES CLOSE: 15th August 2007 (1st Class Postmarked)
CAMPING LIMITED TO 250 UNITS

Entries & Fees to Show Secretary: Miss Kelly Lockwood, 8 Bruisyard
Road, Rendham, Saxmundham, Suffolk. IP17 2AG
Show Manager: Mr. Keith Lockwood
Mobile at show: 07745242221
Entry Enquiries: Tel 01728 831883
(up to 5pm - no calls returned)
Smith Ryder -Davies Veterinary Practice on call 01394 380083

JUDGES: Malcolm Jones, Martin Spriggs, Richard Sizeland,
Victor Marcham, Steve Duffy, Ian Watts, Neal Lye, Dave Green,
Richard Brain, Sarah McNeil, Lee Broadhurst, Alan Humphreys, Ellen Rocco
& Bob Ratcliffe.

RESERVES: John Gilbert, Shelley Christmas, Emma Smith, Den Keeler

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Chairperson: Christine Brown, 15 Doughty Wylie Crescent, Theberton, Leiston,
Suffolk IP16 4RT

Treasurer: Vanessa Shorten, 24 Hall Farm Rd, Melton, Woodbridge, Suffolk
IP12 1PJ

Secretary: Jan Lockwood, 8 Bruisyard Rd, Rendham, Saxmundham, Suffolk
IP17 2AG.

Directions to the Showground: From the West: Leave the A14 to Ipswich East onto the A1156 to Ipswich (this is the second slip road after the Orwell Bridge when travelling towards Felixstowe on the A14).& at the first roundabout, turn right into Entrance A of the Suffolk Showground.

From the North: Leave the A12 onto the A1156 & at the first roundabout, turn right into Entrance A of the Suffolk Showground.

Overnight Camping Facilities

Camping is available for both the Friday & Saturday nights limited to 250 units only on a first come first served basis. The cost will be £17.00 per unit for the weekend, which must be paid in advance with entry fees. No arrivals before 4pm on Friday please. The gates to the Showground will be locked at 10.00pm Friday night & after the entertainment Saturday evening. All units must have their own fire extinguisher / bucket of water outside each unit. No blocking of road ways will be permitted.

Camping spaces are not being pre-allocated – it will be up to you to reserve spaces. All Campers must vacate the ground one hour after the show has finished.

There will be no entry once the gates have been locked.

A schedule of class running orders and a plan of the showground will be available on arrival or from the Secretary's Office

PLEASE HELP US BY KEEPING THIS VENUE CLEAN

- Entertainment for Saturday night will be Bingo, licensed bar & disco -

Please support our GRAND CHARITY RAFFLE which will be held again.
(Last year we raised £303 which went to 3 charities Suffolk Punch, Border Collie Trust and Enfield Dog Rescue so thank you all very much)

Thanks to all outside clubs/helpers that have agreed to man rings for us.
**SUFFOLK FIVE RIVERS AGILITY CLUB THANK ALL OUR SPONSORS
& HELPERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT:**

R.V.A., Saxmundham Pet Shop, Weather Togs, Show Offs,
Blue Cross, Les's Ices, John Winney, Brookfield Cattery, Skinners,
Suffolk Army Cadets, Millennium Awards, Jan Lockwood, Roy Sparkes,
Victor Marcham, Andrew Pipe Associates, Modellers Mate, Soraya Porter,
Allbodies, Dorothy Catchpole, Marion Palmer (in memory of Cheza),
MEP Packaging, Victory Car Sales, Matty French Paving, Maggie Cheek and
The Suffolk Showground.

Jan & Kelly Lockwood (printing)

ELIGIBILITY AND DEFINITION OF CLASSES

- GRADE 1;
Elementary;** For owners/handlers or dogs which have not gained one Agility win or Three Jumping wins at a KC licensed Agility Test or gained 75 points using the agility warrant scheme. Owners/handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Elementary are not eligible for this class
- GRADE 2;
Starters;** For owners/handlers or dogs who have progressed from Grade 1 but have not gained one Agility win or Three Jumping wins in grade 2 category at a KC licensed Agility Test or gained 75 points using the agility warrant scheme. Owners/handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Starters are not eligible for this class
- GRADE 3;
Graduate;** Open to dogs which have progressed from grade 2 but have not gained one Agility win or Three Jumping wins in grade 3 category at a KC licensed Agility Test or gained 75 points using the agility warrant scheme or dogs not eligible for grades 4, 5, 6, 7.
- GRADE 4;
Novice;** Open to dogs which have progressed from grade 3 but have not gained one Agility win or Three Jumping wins in grade 4 category at a KC licensed Agility Test or gained 75 points using the agility warrant scheme or dogs not eligible for grades 3, 5, 6, 7.
- GRADE 5;
Intermediate** Open to dogs which have progressed from grade 4 but have not gained one Agility win or Three Jumping wins in grade 5 category at a KC licensed Agility Test or gained 75 points using the agility warrant scheme or dogs not eligible for grades 3, 4, 6, 7.
- GRADE 6;
Senior;** Open to dogs which have progressed from grade 5 but have not gained a minimum of Four First Places (two of which must be agility Wins) in grade 6 category at a KC licensed Agility Test or gained 75 points using the agility warrant scheme or dogs 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 have been gained in Agility (not jumping) classes.
- Small:** Only open to dogs measuring 35cm or under at the withers are eligible for these classes. Courses will comply with KC Spec. (all jumps 35cm).
- Medium:** Only dogs measuring between 35cm & 43cm at the withers are eligible for these classes. Courses will comply with KC Spec. (all jumps 45cm).
- Large:** Only open to dogs measuring over 43cm at the withers (all jumps 65cm).

Any size: This class is intended for all sizes of dogs that are not entered in any other class on Saturday or Sunday and is intended for older dogs, new dogs and don't fit in anywhere else dogs. Obstacle specifications are the same as for small classes with the following exceptions: There will be no tyre, there will a maximum of six weaves (if used) and the A-Frame will be a maximum height of five foot.

Class structure;

Graded Classes (i.e. 1,2 & 3) will run over same course and will have separate results and awards for each grade.

Combined classes (i.e. 1,2,3,4,5) will run against each other and have one set of results for the class.

Any LARGE dog that didn't compete before 01/01/2006 must have been measured & all SMALL & MEDIUM dogs must have been measured. All dogs must have their record books available should a judge request.

Saturday 22nd September 2007

Class 1	SMALL GRADED AGILITY	Hartsfern	Grades; 1, 2 & 3
<i>✽The Hartsfern Trophy will be awarded to the highest placed Five Rivers Member in grade 2</i>			
Class 2	SMALL GRADED AGILITY	Brookfield Cattery	Grades; 4 & 5
Class 3	SMALL GRADED AGILITY		Grades; 6 & 7
Class 4	SMALL GRADED JUMPING	Weather Togs	Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 5	SMALL GRADED JUMPING.....		Grades; 4 & 5
Class 6	SMALL GRADED JUMPING		Grades; 6 & 7
Class 7	MEDIUM GRADED AGILITY.....	Dorothy Catchpole	Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 8	MEDIUM GRADED AGILITY.....		Grades; 4 & 5
Class 9	MEDIUM GRADED AGILITY	RVA	Grades; 6 & 7
Class 10	MEDIUM GRADED JUMPING.....		Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 11	MEDIUM GRADED JUMPING.....		Grades; 4 & 5
Class 12	MEDIUM GRADED JUMPING.....		Grades; 6 & 7
Class 13	LARGE GRADED AGILITY	Allbodies	Grades; 1, 2 & 3
<i>*A Trophy will be awarded to the highest placed Five Rivers Member in grade 2.</i>			
<i>✽The MAC-C Trophy will be presented in this class to the highest placed Crossbreed in large grade 2 agility</i>			
Class 14	LARGE GRADED AGILITY.....	Online Trophies	Grades; 4 & 5
Class 15	LARGE GRADED AGILITY		Grades; 6 & 7
Class 16	LARGE GRADED JUMPING.....	Modellers Mate	Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 17	LARGE GRADED JUMPING	Show Offs	Grades; 4 & 5
Class 18	LARGE GRADED JUMPING		Grades; 6 & 7
Class 19	SMALL HELTER SKELTER (special class).....	MEP Packaging Solutions ...	Combined Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 20	SMALL HELTER SKELTER (special class).....		Combined Grades; 4, 5, 6 & 7
Class 21	MEDIUM HELTER SKELTER (special class).....	Victory Car Sales	Combined Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 22	MEDIUM HELTER SKELTER (special class).....		Combined Grades; 4, 5, 6 & 7
Class 23	LARGE HELTER SKELTER (special class).....	Matty French Paving	Combined Grades; 1, 2 & 3
Class 24	LARGE HELTER SKELTER (special class).....		Combined Grades; 4, 5, 6 & 7
Class 25	ANY SIZE AGILITY (For dogs not entered in any other class).....		All Grades

AWARDS;

Clear Round rosettes in all classes;

Classes with entries up to 20 dogs;	Trophies: 1st Place	Rosettes: 1st 2nd & 3rd
Classes with entries 21 to 50 dogs;	Trophies; 1st & 2nd	Rosettes; to 5th Place
Classes with entries 51 to 100 dogs;	Trophies; 1st & 2nd	Rosettes; to 10th Place
Classes with entries 101 and above;	Trophies; 1st, 2nd & 3rd	Rosettes to 10% of entry

***Please note, dogs may only enter their own category (i.e. grade 1) where the class is graded or combined dogs within those grades may enter**

Some classes may be split & Due to unpredictable nature of new grading system judges will be allocated at a later date.

Pay on the day class(es) may be run either day if time permits.

Practice ring will be open Friday afternoon until Sunday afternoon.

Sunday 23rd September 2006

- Class 26 SMALL GRADED AGILITY**Skinner's pet foods**..... Grades; 1, 2 & 3
 Class 27 SMALL GRADED AGILITY..... Grades; 4 & 5
 Class 28 SMALL GRADED AGILITY..... Grades; 6 & 7
 Class 29 SMALL GRADED JUMPING**RVA**..... Grades; 1, 2 & 3
 Class 30 SMALL GRADED JUMPING..... Grades; 4 & 5
 Class 31 SMALL GRADED JUMPING..... Grades; 6 & 7
 Class 32 MEDIUM GRADED AGILITY..... **Andrew Pipe Associates**..... Grades; 1, 2 & 3
 ¶The White Rose Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the highest Five Rivers Member in grade 2
 Class 33 MEDIUM GRADED AGILITY..... Grades; 4 & 5
 Class 34 MEDIUM GRADED AGILITY..... Grades; 6 & 7
 Class 35 MEDIUM GRADED JUMPING..... Grades; 1, 2 & 3
 Class 36 MEDIUM GRADED JUMPING Grades; 4 & 5
 Class 37 MEDIUM GRADED JUMPING..... Grades; 6 & 7
 Class 38 LARGE GRADED AGILITY..... **Jan Lockwood**..... Grades; 1, 2 & 3
 ¶The Henry Sparkes Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the highest Five Rivers Member in grade 2
 Class 39 LARGE GRADED AGILITY..... **Saxmundham Pet Shop** Grades; 4 & 5
 Class 40 LARGE GRADED AGILITY Grades; 6 & 7
 Class 41 LARGE GRADED JUMPING..... **Cheza Memorial**..... Grades; 1, 2 & 3
 Class 42 LARGE GRADED JUMPING**Online Trophies**..... Grades; 4 & 5
 Class 43 LARGE GRADED JUMPING..... **Show Offs** Grades; 6 & 7
 Class 44 SMALL/MEDIUM (MIXY) PAIRS.....**Nellie Sparkes memorial Trophy**.... Combined Grades 1 to 7
 *Nellie Sparkes memorial trophy will be awarded to the highest placed club members
 Class 45 LARGE PAIRS..... Combined Grades 1 to 7
 Class 46 ANY SIZE JUMPING**Miss Dee Meanor**.....All Grades
 For dogs not entered in any other class

Class Types;

Graded competes over the same course but against their own grades only.

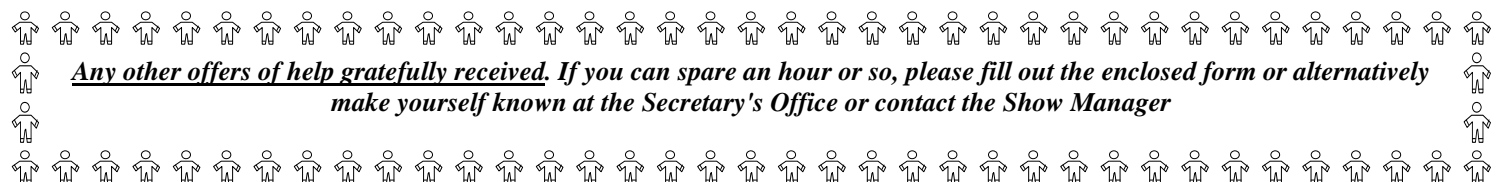
Combined Classes compete over the same course and compete against all grades included in that class.

Small/medium mixy pairs. i.e. Pair to be made up of two dogs and handlers, any combination of small or medium dogs.

Large pairs to be two dogs and two handlers.

Dogs are only allowed to enter one height category

Any size Agility/Jumping. For dogs not entered into any other class on that day, jumps to be lowered, maximum of six weaves, if used, A frame to be lowered if used, class open to all grades to compete as one class only.

 **Any other offers of help gratefully received. If you can spare an hour or so, please fill out the enclosed form or alternatively make yourself known at the Secretary's Office or contact the Show Manager**



A Trophy will be presented in Saturdays Large Grade 1 Agility to the highest placed Suffolk Five Rivers Member



The 'Hartsfern Trophy' (Donated by Soraya Porter) will be presented to the highest placed Suffolk Five Rivers Member in Saturdays Small Grade 1 Agility



The 'MAC-C' Perpetual Challenge Trophy (Donated by Martin & Edith Pollard) will be presented to the highest placed crossbreed in Saturdays Large Grade 2 Agility



The 'Henry Sparkes Memorial Trophy' (Donated by Jan Lockwood) will be presented to the highest placed Suffolk Five Rivers Member in Sundays Large Grade 2 Agility



Nellie Sparkes memorial trophies (donated by Jan Lockwood and Roy Sparkes) will be presented to the highest placed



The 'White Rose Memorial Trophy' (Donated by Maggie Cheek) will be presented to the highest placed SFRAC Member in Sundays Medium Grade 2 Agility

Good Luck and have a good show.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1 Dogs must, at the time of entry for the competition, be registered as required by the Kennel Club Rules & Reg's in the Competitors' name (or registration 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 as the competitor for the purpose of the Regulations. A dog acquired subsequent to entry having been made at a Competition may compete as the new owner's 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 form.
- 2 The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries. All dogs resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete Number before entry to the show can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete Number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
- 3 Puppies under 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the show are not eligible for competition at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Tests.
- 4 No animal(s) other than one(s) officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of the event during its continuance, except a registered guide dog for the blind or hearing dog for the deaf, 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.
- 5 NFC Dogs aged four calendar months or over will be accepted. Dogs must be Kennel Club Registered with their details recorded on the entry form.
- 6 In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 7 days before the date of closing of entries shall be counted when entering for any class.
- 7 The mating of bitches within the precincts of the show is forbidden. No bitch in season will be allowed to compete.
- 8 A dog shall be withdrawn from competition and removed from an Agility Test if it is:
 - a) a bitch in season
 - b) suffering from an infectious or contagious disease. (No dogs suffering from infectious or contagious disease or having been exposed to such disease during the period 21 days prior to competition may compete. Competitors infringing the Regulation will be liable to be fined and/or dealt with under Kennel Club Rule A42.
 - c) interfering with the safety or chances 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
- 9 No person shall carry punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the show
- 10 Should a Judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge, the committee reserves the right to appoint another Judge.
- 11 A Judge at an Agility Test cannot compete or enter a dog in that event.
- 12 No competitor shall impugn the decision of the Judge or Judges.
- 13 Standard marking as set out in Kennel Club Regulations H (1)(A) will apply to all scheduled classes.
- 14 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.
- 15 Food shall not be carried in the hand or given to the dog in the ring. No toys or training implements allowed in the ring.
- 16 No dog will be allowed in any competition ring at any time other than when being judged. No practising will be allowed in the rings (other than a ring specifically designated as a practice ring and only for the period of time that the ring is so designated).
- 17 All competitors shall be allowed to walk the course before the start of the Test without their dogs.
- 18 It is the responsibility of each competitor to be at the ring, available and ready for their class, in accordance with the running order or, in advance, to inform the ring steward of any reasonable cause for delaying their run (e.g. required for another class).
- 19 All dogs are entered at this Show at the owners risk and whilst the Committee will take every reasonable care, it shall not be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury, howsoever caused to dogs, people or property at the Show.
- 20 All competitors must wear their ring numbers, prominently displayed, whilst in the ring. 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 Judge(s), may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to The Kennel Club.
- 22 In the event of abandonment of the Show through circumstances beyond the control of the Society, the Committee reserves the right to defray such expenses as appropriate from the entry fees so as to cover the cost of Show preparations.
- 23 Parents will be held responsible for the actions of their children. Please ensure your children do not cause any damage or interfere with equipment or the property of the Society or others.
- 24 Small and medium dogs must have been measured and have their record books available if required.
- 25 Large dogs that hadn't competed before 01/01/06 must have been measured & have their record books available if required.
- 26 Organisers reserve the right to eject any person(s) from the show/showground for actions deemed detrimental to the show

Owners are responsible for clearing up after their dogs. Suitable arrangements will be made for disposal

**Emergency Numbers for Show Ground:
(01473) 273070 or 07866 412936**