



Beachside DAC Independent Agility Show

Humberstone Farm Equestrian Centre
Mill Road, Great Yarmouth
Norfolk, NR31 0AY

on

Saturday 2nd December 2017

Closing Date: 6th November 2017
(postmarked)

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**Entries, Enquiries
& Grade Changes:** Beachside DAC, c/o Agility Aid,
20 House Lane, Arlesey, Bedfordshire, SG15 6XU
tel: 07591 715317 email: enquiries@agilityaid.co.uk

Enter online at: www.agilityaid.co.uk

Vet on Call



Haven Veterinary Centre
Queen Anne's Road
Great Yarmouth, NR31 0LE
Tel: 01493 416700

£3.00 per dog per class

Show Opens 8.00am - Briefings from 8.15am - Judging starts 8.30am

*** All contact equipment will be rubber coated ***

Show updates at the 'Beachside Agility Club' Facebook page

Classes

1	Beginners Agility	17	Graduate Agility
2	Beginners Jumping	18	Graduate Jumping
3	Beginners A-Frame Enjoyment	19	Graduate A-Frame Enjoyment
4	Beginners Helter Skelter	20	Graduate Helter Skelter
5	Elementary Agility	21	Senior Agility
6	Elementary Jumping	22	Senior Jumping
7	Elementary A-Frame Enjoyment	23	Senior A-Frame Enjoyment
8	Elementary Helter Skelter	24	Senior Helter Skelter
9	Starters Agility	25	Veterans Agility
10	Starters Jumping	26	Veterans Jumping
11	Starters A-Frame Enjoyment	27	Veterans A-Frame Enjoyment
12	Starters Helter Skelter	28	Veterans Helter Skelter
13	Novice Agility	29	Allsorts Agility
14	Novice Jumping	30	Allsorts Jumping
15	Novice A-Frame Enjoyment	31	Allsorts A-Frame Enjoyment
16	Novice Helter Skelter	32	Allsorts Helter Skelter

Pay on the Day - Christmas Themed Fancy Dress Pairs
(Lge/Std with a Med or Small with a Toy)

Beginners: For dogs and handlers completely new to agility. The combination may progress to Elementary at any stage. Alternatively, the handler may compete in Beginners for a maximum of 10 Competition (Show) days regardless of the number of 'new to agility' dogs he or she is running.

The A-Frame and Dog Walk will be set at standard height. There will not be weaves or See-Saw in these classes. A silent toy is permitted to be carried in the ring by the handler as a training aid, but must not be thrown whilst in the ring.

Elementary: (KC Grade 1). For Handlers or Dogs who have not gained three wins (one of which must be an agility class). Experienced handlers at KC Grades 1 to 7 or Beachside Starters to Senior may enter new dogs in these classes.

Starters: (KC Grade 2). For Handlers or Dogs who are not eligible for Beginners or Elementary classes and have not gained three wins at Starters (one of which must be an agility class).

Novice: (KC Grade 3). For Handlers or Dogs who have gained four wins at Starters (one of which must be an agility class), and are not eligible for Graduate classes.

Graduate: (KC Grades 4 & 5). For Handlers or Dogs who have gained five wins at Novice (two of which must be an agility class), and are not eligible for Senior classes.

Senior: (KC Grades 6 & 7). For Handlers or Dogs who have gained six wins at Graduate (three of which must be an agility class).

Veterans: For dogs aged 8 years and over, these classes will have no Weaves or Seesaw. The A-Frame and Dog Walk (if used) will be at a lower height. Jump heights will be Toy, Small and Medium. Dogs may jump whichever height suits them best, regardless of the dog's size. Dogs entered into Veterans classes are not permitted to enter any other classes. Once a dog has competed at Veteran they are not permitted to move back to a standard class.

Allsorts: For dogs that the handler does not want to run at their measured height, or dogs returning from injury. All equipment is permissible in this group. Heights will be Toy, Small and Medium only. Dogs may jump whichever height suits them best, regardless of the dog's size. Dogs entered in Allsorts classes are not permitted to enter any other classes.

A-Frame Enjoyment: A course with an A-Frame as the only piece of contact equipment, the A-Frame will be negotiated three times.

Helter Skelter: A jumping course usually set in increasing or decreasing circles.

Awards will be split – Large/Standard ~ Medium ~ Small ~ Toy
Placed Rosettes to 1st in each class/height
Trophies – dependent on class size
Clear Round Rosettes in all classes

~*~ It is a condition of this show that everyone helps for at least an hour ~*~
You will be allocated a time to help which will be displayed on your ring card, if you need to change your allocated time for a more convenient one please see the ring manager the morning of the show.

Show information will be available at: www.agilityaid.co.uk



RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Dogs entered at this show must have received appropriate agility training and be able to negotiate all equipment in a safe manner.
2. Entry fees £3.00 per dog per class (pay on the day [POTD] entries will count towards competition, but will incur an additional charge).
3. Beachside DAC reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
4. Dogs under 18 calendar months of age on the day of the Show are not eligible to compete.
5. Dogs aged under four calendar months may attend the show 'not for competition', but are not permitted ringside.
6. No bitch in season or pregnant bitch is allowed to compete.
7. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time.
8. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip collar or lead, harness or muzzle 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.
9. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the Judge or Judges.
10. Hurdle Heights (+/- 10mm tolerance): Toy 200mm, Small 350mm, Medium 450mm, Standard 550mm, Large 600mm.
11. The Height limit for dogs:-
 - a. Toy Dogs – For dogs measuring 32cm or less at the withers.
 - b. Small Dogs - For dogs measuring between 26cm and 39cm at the withers.
 - c. Medium Dogs - Dogs measuring between 37cm and 48cm at the withers.
 - d. Standard Dogs - Dogs measuring over 44cm at the withers.
 - e. Large Dogs - Dogs measuring over 44cm at the withers.~*~if your dog measures into two heights you may choose which height to enter them at)~*~
12. 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.
13. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, Beachside DAC will refund fees, less any incurred expenses, on receipt of a stamped addressed envelope submitted to the Show Secretary within one calendar month of the day of the show.
14. Food shall not be allowed in the ring, in hand or pockets. Bumbags, treatbags, training aids* or toys are also not allowed in the ring. (*no training aids will be allowed in the ring other than a silent toy in the Beginners classes only. This may be thrown for the dog only after the dog has left the ring, and with due consideration to competitors, dogs, and bystanders outside of the ring area).
15. Separate entry forms must be completed by each Competitor and must be signed by the Competitor or his authorised agent, entry forms will not be accepted without the correct payment of fees.
16. Any bank/postal charges incurred by the organisation as a result of competitors' actions or circumstances will be recovered from said competitor.
17. 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 attend the show.
18. It is the competitors' responsibility to be available for their class and running order.
19. Any handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s); failure to do so may result in removal from the show.
20. If your dog is found to be at risk, forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.
21. Verbal or physical abuse of persons or animals will not be tolerated and will result in removal from the show grounds.
22. All dogs are entered at this show at their owners risk and whilst every care will be taken, the management of the show will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury however caused to dogs, persons or property whilst at the show.
23. Beachside DAC reserves the right to limit or close entries before the published closing date if necessary.
24. If you enter by paper entry form and choose to download your ring cards you are agreeing for the information on them to be publicly viewable online.
25. Beachside DAC or their authorised agents may make results from this show publicly available and share results with third parties for the same purpose.