



GOLDEN VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB



SCHEDULE OF 20th OPEN AGILITY SHOW
(held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H & H(1) and
Licensed by the Kennel Club Limited)



Venue: Top Barn Farm, Holt Heath, Worcester, WR6 6NH
by kind permission of Mr and Mrs D Harper
Date: 20th and 21st June 2020



Show opens 7.30 a.m. Briefing 8.15 a.m. Judging 8.30 a.m.

The Officers and Committee members of the society / or the licensee holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation H31. In doing those appointed as officers and committee members, or the licensee accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking.

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Show Manager: Ruth Punshon

Equipment: First Contact - Contact equipment will be rubber surfaced.

Closing date: **7th May 2020 (postmarked) for postal entries** which must be on the GVDTC entry form
9th May 2020 for on line entries The qualifying date for grade changes is the
26th May 2020 and must be notified to the receiving address by the 6th June 2020.

Entry fees: £3.50 per dog per class. Pairs £7.00 per pair. Teams £12.
Helping GVDTC members £2.00 per dog per class, £4.00 per pair, £8 for teams.
NB: No refunds after closing date unless the show is cancelled (see rule 26).



Postal Entries to:
GVDTC c/o Agility Aid, 30 Groveside,
Henlow, Bedfordshire, SG16 6AP
enquiries@agilityaid.co.uk - 07591 715317

Agility Shows Online 
www.agilityshows.online

Veterinary Support: Vale Veterinary Group Areley Kings, Stourport on Severn DY13 0LB 01299 822423 or 01299 822052

Camping - Limited camping is available Friday and Saturday £20 for a standard pitch £24 for larger pitch. Please see full booking details on page 7. The venue will allow extended stay until Monday morning and will collect the fee themselves.

Directions. Leave Worcester on the A443. Top Barn Farm is on the right shortly after passing through Hallow. From the north Top Barn Farm is on the left shortly after passing Holt Heath.

The speed limit throughout the venue is 5mph. Please do not drive past the rings while classes are in progress
There will be no main tannoy announcements but class/ring updates and live results will be available to view on your phone or any online device at www.agilityaid.co.uk/results

JUDGES: Final numbers may make it necessary for a Judge to be moved to a different class. The reserve judges are Marie Jones and Jackie Travers-Spencer. Additional judges will be appointed as necessary.

AWARDS: Rosettes and trophies must be collected on the show day.

*Trophies: 1st place in all classes. 2nd place if class entry (or grade for graded classes) greater than 20, third place if class entry (or grade for graded classes) greater than 40.

*Place rosettes will be awarded in all classes to approximately 10% of the entry.

*Clear round rosettes: awarded in all classes.

Circular Jumping & Steeplechase: These classes will have tunnels and jumps only, there will be no weaves.

A BIG THANK YOU: GOLDEN VALLEY DOG TRAINING CLUB wishes to thank the judges and all the many helpers who make the show possible, including **Jewlnick Leather, The Agility Club, TAG, Norton Rosettes and CSJ**

Special awards/trophies (awarded to Golden Valley members based on performance over the weekend)

Geoff Langlois Trophy, donated by Annette Langlois - to the highest placed grade 1-3 dog

Leaping Lisa Trophy, donated by the Vernalls family - to the highest placed dog in grade 4-7 jumping

Super Sid trophy, donated by Robert Andrews - to the highest placed dog in grade 4-7 agility

Best Small dog trophy, donated by the Parsons Family - to the highest placed small dog in grade 1-7

Best Medium dog trophy, donated by the Parsons Family - to the highest placed medium dog in grade 1-7

DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS: 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. Please ensure that your dogs while in a vehicle have plenty of ventilation and access to water.

VENUE & SPEED LIMIT:

The speed limit throughout the venue is **5mph**. This will be strictly enforced and anyone who breaks this limit will be asked to leave the showground. Please do not drive past the rings while classes are in progress. If you have to leave the show ground because of an emergency and cannot see a clear route out, go and see the show secretary located in the secretary's tent and seek advice on how best to leave the venue.

Please park as directed by the marshalls wearing high visibility vests. A perimeter road system which may be one way at times will be operated to help the traffic flow. All industrial units, ponds, lakes and farm buildings on the site are out of bounds.

Dogs must be on a lead at all times everywhere at the venue except when competing or in the exercise area. It is the handler's responsibility to keep dogs under control. No more than two dogs per handler are allowed off the lead at any time. Please do not throw dog toys in the exercise area, and please pick up after your dog and deposit the waste in the bags provided.



Saturday 20th June 2020

	Class		Grades							Judge
1	Large Agility	G	1	2	3					David Sweeney
2	Large Agility	C				4	5			Andy Gillibrand
3	Large Agility	C						6	7	David Sweeney
4	Large Agility	C	1	2						Hilary Bowden
5	Large Agility	G			3	4				Andy Gillibrand
6	Large Agility	G					5	6	7	Hilary Bowden
7	Intermediate Agility	G	1	2	3					David Sweeney
8	Intermediate Agility	C				4	5			Andy Gillibrand
9	Intermediate Agility	C						6	7	David Sweeney
10	Intermediate Agility	C	1	2						Hilary Bowden
11	Intermediate Agility	G			3	4				Andy Gillibrand
12	Intermediate Agility	G					5	6	7	Hilary Bowden
13	Medium Agility	G	1	2	3					David Sweeney
14	Medium Agility	C	1	2	3					Andy Gillibrand
15	Medium Agility	G				4	5			Hilary Bowden
16	Medium Agility	C				4	5	6	7	David Sweeney
17	Medium Agility	G						6	7	David Sweeney
18	Small Agility	G	1	2	3					David Sweeney
19	Small Agility	C	1	2	3					Andy Gillibrand
20	Small Agility	G				4	5			Andy Gillibrand
21	Small Agility	C				4	5	6	7	Andy Gillibrand
22	Small Agility	G						6	7	David Sweeney
23	TAG Team Dash Q (Special) S/M/I/L see page 13	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Aileen Watson
24	CSJ Veteran Handler Agility Stakes (special) SMIL see page 10	C				4	5	6	7	Hilary Bowden
25	Large Jumping	G	1	2						Ian Spreadbury
26	Large Jumping	G			3	4				Mark Hickman
27	Large Jumping	G					5	6	7	Aileen Watson
28	Large Jumping	C	1	2	3					Ian Spreadbury
29	Large Jumping	C				4	5			Hilary Bowden
30	Large Jumping	C						6	7	Mark Hickman
31	Large Circular Jumping (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Ian Spreadbury
32	Intermediate Jumping	G	1	2						Ian Spreadbury
33	Intermediate Jumping	G			3	4				Mark Hickman
34	Intermediate Jumping	G					5	6	7	Aileen Watson
35	Intermediate Jumping	C	1	2	3					Ian Spreadbury
36	Intermediate Jumping	C				4	5			Hilary Bowden
37	Intermediate Jumping	C						6	7	Mark Hickman
38	Intermediate Circular Jumping (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Ian Spreadbury
39	Medium Jumping	C	1	2	3					Aileen Watson
40	Medium Jumping	G				4	5			Aileen Watson

41	Medium Jumping	G						6	7	Mark Hickman
42	Medium Jumping	G	1	2	3					Ian Spreadbury
43	Medium Jumping	C				4	5	6	7	Mark Hickman
44	Medium circular jumping (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Ian Spreadbury
45	Small Jumping	C	1	2	3					Aileen Watson
46	Small Jumping	G				4	5			Aileen Watson
47	Small Jumping	G						6	7	Mark Hickman
48	Small Jumping	G	1	2	3					Ian Spreadbury
49	Small Jumping	C				4	5	6	7	Mark Hickman
50	Small circular jumping - (Special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Ian Spreadbury
51	Veteran Jumping – (Special) see rule 19	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Aileen Watson
52	Anysize Jumping – (Special) see rule 19	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Mark Hickman

Sunday 21st June 2020

	Class		Grades							Judge
53	The Agility Club Large Starters Agility Challenge Q see page 11	C	1	2						Jan Smith
54	Large Agility	C				4	5			Cath Rowlands
55	Large Agility	C						6	7	Joe Upsall
56	Large Agility	G	1	2	3					Joe Upsall
57	Large Agility	G			3	4				Jan Smith
58	Large Agility	G					5	6	7	Jan Smith
59	The Agility Club Intermediate Starters Agility Challenge Q see page 11	C	1	2						Jan Smith
60	Intermediate Agility	C				4	5			Cath Rowlands
61	Intermediate Agility	C						6	7	Joe Upsall
62	Intermediate Agility	G	1	2	3					Joe Upsall
63	Intermediate Agility	G			3	4				Jan Smith
64	Intermediate Agility	G					5	6	7	Jan Smith
65	The Agility Club Medium Starters Agility Challenge Q see page 11	C	1	2						Jan Smith
66	Medium Agility	G	1	2	3					Joe Upsall
67	Medium Agility	G			3	4	5			Cath Rowlands
68	Medium Agility	C				4	5	6	7	Cath Rowlands
69	Medium Agility	G						6	7	Joe Upsall
70	The Agility Club Small Starters Agility Challenge Q see page 11	C	1	2						Jan Smith
71	Small Agility	G	1	2	3					Joe Upsall
72	Small Agility	G			3	4	5			Cath Rowlands
73	Small Agility	C				4	5	6	7	Cath Rowlands
74	Small Agility	G						6	7	Joe Upsall
75	Jewnick Jump and Twist Pairs Q special SMIL see page 12	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Cath Rowlands
76	Veteran Agility (special) see rule 19	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Cath Rowlands
77	Large Jumping	C	1	2	3	4				Georgie Bearder
78	Large Jumping	C					5	6	7	Julie Bearder
79	Large Jumping	G	1	2	3					Jackie Allbut
80	Large Jumping	G				4	5			Dawn Price
81	Large Jumping	G						6	7	Dawn Price
82	Large Steeplechase (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jackie Allbut
83	Intermediate Jumping	C	1	2	3	4				Georgie Bearder
84	Intermediate Jumping	C					5	6	7	Julie Bearder
85	Intermediate Jumping	G	1	2	3					Jackie Allbut
86	Intermediate Jumping	G				4	5			Dawn Price
87	Intermediate Jumping	G						6	7	Dawn Price

88	Intermediate Steeplechase (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jackie Allbut
89	Medium Jumping	C	1	2	3					Georgie Bearder
90	Medium Jumping	G				4	5			Julie Bearder
91	Medium Jumping	G						6	7	Dawn Price
92	Medium Jumping	G	1	2	3					Joe Upsall
93	Medium Jumping	C				4	5	6	7	Jackie Allbut
94	Medium Steeplechase (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Dawn Price
95	Small Jumping	C	1	2	3					Georgie Bearder
96	Small Jumping	G				4	5			Julie Bearder
97	Small Jumping	G						6	7	Dawn Price
98	Small Jumping	G	1	2	3					Joe Upsall
99	Small Jumping	C				4	5	6	7	Jackie Allbut
100	Small Steeplechase (special)	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Dawn Price
101	Any size Jumping (special) see rule 19	C	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jackie Allbut

CAMPING Please do not arrive before 2pm

Camping pitches are suitable for caravans, motor homes and tents. Please note that no BBQs are allowed and no working Generators are allowed between 9pm and 8am. Every unit must provide their own fire-fighting equipment.

There is a web based on-line booking service enabling people to select, book and pay by credit/debit card. This allows everyone to select their pitch, subject to availability, without delay. We also provide a postal booking service, but regret that anyone using this service will be unable to choose their pitch. Postal booking forms are available from Angela Shears at the address shown below as well as on-line.

Judges, scrimers, reciprocal ring parties and Golden Valley Members who need a camping pitch please send in a postal form by the end of March

For full information on the booking system please log on to www.goldenvalleydtc.co.uk/new/campinginfo.php

You will be able to book your camping pitch on this site or download a postal booking form. Camping charges are £24 for a large pitch and £20 for a standard pitch and a tent pitch. There is no additional charge for booking on-line and paying by card. The Management of Top Barn Farm will allow handlers to stay after the event and will collect the fee themselves. Refunds via Pay Pal for cancelling camping will be accepted until 20th May but will attract a 50p administration charge and must be within 6 weeks of booking. Entrants who require disabled or special needs facilities, or do not have access to the web or have any other queries please contact our co-ordinator Angela Shears, preferable by email at camping.goldenvdogshow@gmail.com or phone 07403 179155 between 8am and 8pm or text at any time or write to Angela Shears, GVDTC Camping, Lake house, Whitestone, Hereford, HR1 3SE

TRADE STANDS If you would like to have a trade stand at the Show please apply to Angela Shears as soon as possible as space for trade stands is limited and have to be parked in a designated area. Note: trade stands are not permitted to operate from a normal camping pitch

ELIGIBILITY FOR CLASSES

In the following definitions of classes First Prizes or other prize wins are those gained in standard classes at any Kennel Club licensed Championship Agility, Premier Agility, Open Agility or Limited Agility Shows (i.e. special classes and invitational events excepted). Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Standard classes may be scheduled for Agility Shows, as Agility classes or Jumping classes. All standard classes must contain the Weaving Poles obstacle. Standard Agility classes must contain the following elements: "A Ramp", Dog Walk and See-Saw. With this proviso classes are defined as follows:-

A maximum of four standard classes may be scheduled for any dog on an individual day of competition. Any number of special classes may be scheduled.

Class Structure. A Class may either be held as a Graded Class or a Combined Class. A Graded Class may be scheduled for a maximum of three 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 be determined by the eligibility for the class as referenced in H(1)(A)11. Results from Combined Classes will only count towards progression from the dog's current grade.

To count for progression wins must be gained in standard classes at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows.

Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Competitors will be allowed to walk the course set at Small, Medium Intermediate or Large height without their dog(s) before the class begins. Hurdles may be raised/lowered during the course walking time if multiple heights are offered within the same class.

Points Progression. At the handler's discretion a dog may progress up to Grade 4 by winning 100 points at each grade, using the Agility Warrant points scheme (Regulation K3.c refers). A minimum of 50 points must be gained in agility (not jumping) classes in the relevant grade. 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.

Progression on points must be done prior to the closing date of entries. It is not possible to change a grade on points once the entries have closed.

STANDARD 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). In defining the eligibility of the owner or handler for Grade 1, the two wins and points progression referred to in the definition apply only to one dog and not an accumulation of dogs.

Grade 1

Open to owners, handlers or dogs which have not gained a minimum of two first places at Grade 1 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, at least one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class. N.B Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1 are not eligible for this class.

Grade 2

Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grade 1 or have elected to progress on points from Grade 1 and are not eligible for Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7.

Grade 3

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of two first places at Grade 2 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class, or have elected to progress on points from Grade 2 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 4, 5, 6 or 7.

Grade 4

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of three first places at Grade 3 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping classes), or have elected to progress on points from Grade 3 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 5, 6 or 7

Grade 5

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 4 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 6 or 7

Grade 6

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 5 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 7.

Grade 7

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of five first places at Grade 6 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, three of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6.

SPECIAL CLASSES

Societies may schedule classes other than those defined above as "Special classes". 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. Where special classes are classified for older and/or inexperienced dogs, the height of the hurdles, the A-ramp, and the dog walk, and the length of the long jump, may be reduced below the dimensions specified in these regulations, in which case such dimensions must be included in the class definition in the show schedule. Marking for special classes may deviate from marking for standard classes, but must be specified in the schedule. Wins, places and clear rounds in special classes will not count towards agility warrant points or grade progression at Kennel Club shows.

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, or else registration or transfer of registration must have been applied for. The registration number/ authority to compete (ATC) number will be required for each entry.
2. All dogs registered and resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete (ATC) 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.
3. Entry fees: Non-members of GVDTC £3.50 per dog per class. (£7.00 for pairs, £12 for teams) Helping GVDTC members £2 per dog per class. (£4 for pairs, £8 for teams)
4. N/A.
5. Internet entries via Agility Shows Online: www.agilityshows.online Postal entries may be made via Agility Aid.
6. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
7. Only dogs of 18 calendar months of age and over on the day of competition are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows.
8. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
9. Classes will not be capped.
10. 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.
11. No bitch in season is allowed to compete.
12. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
13. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
14. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip collar or lead when under test. A single 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. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
16. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
17. Thanks to The Agility Club, Jewlnick Leather, TAG, CSJ Norton Rosettes and for their sponsorship.
18. Kennel Club standard marking regulations apply for all standard classes.
19. Classes 52 and 101 (Anysize Jumping) for L/I/M/S dogs will be run at two jump heights (20cms & 30cms). Handler to choose jump height regardless of size of dog. Class to consist of hurdles and tunnels only. Dogs entered in Anysize/Veteran classes are limited to these classes. Veteran Jumping and Agility (classes 51 and 76): These classes are intended for all sizes of dogs that are not entered in any other classes at this show (apart from Anysize). Dogs entering this class MUST BE 9 years of age or over on the first day of the show. The courses set will be simple and flowing. These classes will have no weaves, tyre or long jump. The A frame and Dog Walk height will be lowered and there will be no see saw. The class will be run as one combined class .
Veteran jumps will be set at three heights: 40cm, 30cm and 20cm and handlers may choose which height their dog runs at.
20. The height limit for dogs:
 - a. Large Dog classes - For dogs measuring over 500mm at the withers
 - b. Intermediate Dog classes – for dogs measuring over 430mm and measuring 500mm or under at the withers
 - c. Medium Dog classes - For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers.
 - d. Small Dog classes - For dogs measuring 350mm or under at the withers.

21. 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. Dogs may be disqualified if proved to have been handled in the class by the scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as the scheduled judge.

22. Removal of dogs from Competition:

Following discussion between the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from the 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 control 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.

The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the competition/show Incident Book and submitted to the Kennel Club.

23. Dog Agility is a competitive and physically strenuous activity. It is the responsibility of the owner/handler to ensure their dog is 'fit for function' and that they themselves are fit to take part. By signing the entry form you confirm that to the best of your knowledge your dog is fit and able to take part in Agility classes on the day of the show.

24. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 25 days before the start of the competition, i.e. 26th May 2020 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 Agility Aid or the show secretary at least 14 days before the date of the show (6th June 2020). 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 will be offered a refund of the relevant entry fees.

25. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.

26. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses. If the show processor has the provisions to do so, competitors will be refunded in the manner in which they had entered the show, but in any event the society will refund fees within 3 months of the show date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the show date.

27. Except for mobility aids, nothing shall be carried in the hand while the dog is under test and food shall not be given to a dog whilst in the ring. Competitors are prohibited from wearing bags or leads whilst under test.

28. Should the judge deem a re-run is required, any result and/or faults gained in the previous run must be discounted.

29. Separate entry forms must be completed by each owner and must be signed by the owner or his authorised agent in accordance with provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied by the appropriate fees.

30. (Not applicable)

31. 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 A11.

32. It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order. Competitors must run as close to their running order as possible. Failure to do so may be reported to the Kennel Club.

33. 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 Board.

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.

34. A pay on the day class will be held if time permits.

35. There will be no practice ring.

36. 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 Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any Agility show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.

37. If you choose to download your ring cards you are agreeing for the information on them to be publicly viewable online.

38 The Show Organisers or their authorised agents may make results from this show publicly available and share results with third parties for the same purpose.

Right to Refuse Entries – Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of and must be accompanied at all times by a parent or guardian.

The CSJ Veteran Handler Agility Stakes 2020

The CSJ Veteran Handler Agility Stakes is a competition open to Grade 4-7 dogs in all 4 heights whose handlers are aged 60 and over on or before the date of the heat they are entering. There will be 10 qualifiers held around the country and the first-placed dogs and handlers from each heat will compete in the Finals which will take place at Prestbury Park Premier Agility Show on 5th September 2020, at Cirencester Park in Gloucestershire.

Rules

- The CSJ Veteran Handler Agility Stakes is open to Grade 4-7 dogs in all 4 heights whose handlers are aged 60 and over on the date of the heat they are entering.
- There will be 10 heats held at agility shows around the country. Each heat and the Final will be 'Special' classes and run under Kennel Club regulations. Judges are encouraged to include a wide variety of equipment in their course design.
- Competitors entering the competition are deemed to have agreed to abide by the rules and regulations of the host club.
- Competitors may enter more than one dog in a heat and qualify more than one dog for the Final.
- Qualifiers may enter further heats for competition, providing they are eligible.
- Competitors who gain a qualifying place in a heat with a previously qualified dog should inform the Show Secretary on the day of the show and the place will go to the next dog.
- In the event of a dog being unable to attend the Final, reserves may be invited.
- Trophies will be awarded to a minimum of 1st place, depending on entry numbers, in all heights in all heats.
- CSJ rosettes will be awarded to 5th place in all heights in all heats, kindly supported by Norton Rosettes.
- Finals. The winning dog and handler from each height in each heat will be invited to compete at the Finals, being judged by Andrew Dicker at Prestbury Park DATC Premier Agility Show held at Cirencester Park, Gloucestershire GL7 6JT on 5th September 2020. All dogs will run over the same course, with separate results for each height. Prizes. Trophies will be awarded for 1st-3rd at the Finals and the winner of each height will be presented with a hamper of fabulous CSJ products. 2nd and 3rd placed finalists will also receive CSJ goody bags. All unplaced finalists will receive a souvenir rosette.
- CSJ reserves the right to revise these rules at any time.

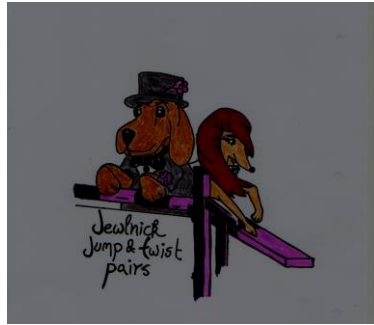




The Agility Club Large, Intermediate, Medium & Small Starters Agility Challenge

Agility Club Large, Intermediate, Medium & Small Starters Agility Challenge 2020 Rules.

- 1/ The competition will be run under the relevant Kennel Club Regulations in force at that time. Handlers will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules and regulations.
- 2/ Each Heat is open to all Grade 1-2 dogs of the correct size for each heat, each heat will offer awards for the heights on offer as follows; Rosettes to a minimum of 10% in Large and Intermediate height and trophies to 1st and 2nd and Rosettes to a minimum of 10% in Medium and Small heights, trophy to 1st.
- 3/ **ONLY** dogs handled by an Agility Club member at the time of competing (**date of joining/renewal must be prior to the first day of the show**) may qualify for the Final. In order to compete in the Final you must also be a current member of The Agility Club on the day of the final.
- 4/ The competition will normally consist of up to twenty Heats. The **highest placed** Agility Club member in each Heat will go through to the Final, providing they have achieved an awarded place as detailed in paragraph 2.
- 5/ Both handler and dog may only qualify once for each height Final. Each handler and dog pairing may only qualify once for the Final. In the event of the highest placed dog(s) having qualified previously, the next highest placed dog will qualify. *The Agility Club reserves the right to call on the next placed Agility Club member if the highest placed is unable to attend the final.*
- 6/ If your dog qualified at large or large LHO during 2019 but measures into the Intermediate height then you will compete at intermediate, if not, you will compete in large. **LHO will NOT be an option.**



JEWLNICK JUMP AND TWIST PAIRS RULES

1. This class is open to pairs of the same height, grades 1-7. It is open to Small, Medium, Intermediate and Large dogs.
2. It is a combined class with one set of awards
3. One dog will complete an agility course and the other dog a jumping course
4. The judge will decide which course will be run first
5. The agility course shall consist of 15 obstacles and must include three contacts (they do not have to be three different pieces of agility equipment) and the dog must complete twelve weaves
6. The jumping course shall consist of fifteen obstacles one of which must be twelve weaves
7. There will be a baton exchange.
8. A faulty baton exchange will incur 20 faults.
9. If someone loses their Pairs partner they may run with another partner provided the dog is entered in the show and in the Pairs class.
10. The first FOUR pairs will qualify for the final which will be held at Southam show in September 2020.
11. Once a pair has qualified they may enter other heats for competition but the place in the final will be awarded to the next highest placed pair who have not qualified.
12. Marking will be under KC rules

The sponsors will provide 1st place trophies and rosettes to 5th place.

TAG Team Dash sponsored by TAG & Norton Rosettes



The TAG Team Dash is a competition for teams of four dogs and handlers, run as a relay over a simple jumping course. It is designed as a flowing sprint event with spectator appeal; accessible to all grades of handlers and all heights of dogs.

Teams of four large, four intermediate, four medium or four small dogs run over the same course at their own height, under identical conditions.

There are ten qualifying heats. The top two teams from each heat, regardless of height, qualify for a final comprising of twenty teams at the TAG July Summer show.

It is a requirement of this competition that the course contains few (if any) traps, and is of 'fast and flowing style'. A simple course such as a figure of eight, or a largely circular or helter-skelter style course is most appropriate.

1. The competition is classified under Kennel Club Regulations as Combined Grades 1 to 7 and Special, and will be held under KC Rules and Show Regulations H & H1 as in force at the date of the competition. Additional rules apply as described below. Competitors entering this competition are deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules.
2. All dogs entered in the team (including reserves) **MUST** be entered in the show in at least 1 normal height class (i.e. not veterans or anysize).
3. All teams must consist of four dogs of the same height classification, handled by four separate handlers. All teams will compete over the same course at the appropriate height of the team of dogs competing. The heights are Large, Intermediate Medium and Small.
4. Substitute dogs for teams are permitted, provided that (i) the dog(s) is/are already entered in the show, (ii) the dog(s) is/are not already entered in another team in this heat and (iii) alterations are made before the run and recorded on the scribe sheet.
5. Dogs may only compete in one team in any given heat. Should one dog be entered in more than one qualifying team across the heats then the first team to have qualified will go through to the final and any subsequent teams will not be eligible (this **DOES NOT** apply to handlers).
6. The course must contain two changeover lines, clearly marked with start/finish poles, each with a minimum gate width of 4m. Dogs 1 & 3 start behind line A and finish behind line B. Dogs 2 & 4 start behind line B and finish behind line A. (Handler 1 may use a recall start). The inward and outward courses can be different, but both dogs from behind the same line must run the same course.
7. The course each dog is required to negotiate shall contain no less than 14 and no more than 20 obstacles.
8. This is a relay event and two suitable batons must be provided. All baton changes must be completed with the handlers and dogs behind the appropriate changeover line. Failure to comply with this, or an incorrect baton change (i.e. throwing or dropping the baton at changeover) will incur a penalty of 50 points on each occasion. Stewards may be appointed by the judge to adjudicate changeovers if required.
9. For each dog an elimination on the course incurs a single penalty of 100 points, however the judge will continue to mark any further faults on the remainder of the course and the faults of any remaining dogs.
10. The team with the fastest time and the least faults, wins. The top two teams from each heat qualify for the final (unless the heat is split – see rule 11).
11. 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. The winning team from each part will be regarded as the two qualifying teams from that heat.
12. Only the members of an original qualifying team (as specified on the scribe sheet at the time of the run) or the two original named reserves, will be allowed to compete in the final.
13. In the event of a team being unavailable for the final, a reserve team will be called from the heat in which the qualifying team qualified.

Individual trophies and rosettes will be provided for 1st and 2nd placed teams and individual rosettes will be provided for 3rd to 6th placed teams (in the event of a split heat, trophies will go to 1st and rosettes to 3rd for each part).

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Golden Valley DTC – 20th Open Agility Show

Top Barn Farm, Holt Heath, Worcester, WR6 6NH - 20th & 21st June 2020

This form must be used by one person only (or partnership). Writing MUST BE IN INK OR INDELIBLE PENCIL. Use one line only for each dog. The name of the dog and all the details as recorded with the Kennel Club must be given on this entry form. If an error is made the dog may be disqualified by the Committee of the Kennel Club. All dogs must be REGISTERED at the Kennel Club in the name of the owner. If the registration or transfer of ownership has not been confirmed it must be applied for before the closing date of entries. In case of dispute proof of postage of such applications may be required by the Kennel Club. Dogs under 18 months of age on the day of competition cannot be entered for competition. On no account will entries be accepted without fees. If a dog is in the process of Registration or Transfer at the time entry is made, add the letters NAF or TAF as appropriate after its name. Please put classes in numerical order and USE BLOCK CAPITALS throughout when completing this entry form. PLEASE CHECK ALL DETAILS BEFORE POSTING. Note: Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of a Parent or Guardian and must be supervised at all times including when

HANDLER				OWNER* (if different to handler)			
Name	Address			Name			
Tel No				Address			
Mobile	Postcode			Postcode			
email	Vehicle Reg			Tel No			

KC Registered Name of Dog*	KC Reg No* (SB/ATC No)	Breed*	Dog/ Bitch*	Date of Birth*	Size S/M/L	Grade	Classes (In Numerical Order) or NFC	Secs Use

* these details must be given in terms identical with registration of the dog at the Kennel Club - ENTER NFC's ABOVE must be aged 4 months or over and registered with the KC or name applied for

PAIRS – All dogs must be entered by owners on individual entry forms to be eligible for pairs				ENTRIES	
Class	KC Registered Name of Dog	Size	Handler	Please tick to confirm the owner is aware that small, medium and intermediate dogs must be measured prior to competing in accordance with Regulation H(1)(B)4.	Please tick if you would like to download your ring cards etc from www.agilityaid.co.uk/ / www.agilityshows.online see rule 37 (do not pay postage)
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x classes at £3.50	£
x pairs at £7.00	£
x teams at £12.00	£
x classes (helping member) £2.00	£
x pairs (helping member) £4.00	£
x teams (helping member) £8.00	£
x postage at £1.50	£
TOTAL	£

<p><u>CLOSING DATE</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">7th May 2020</p> <p style="font-size: small;"><i>Use only this form or photocopies Incorrect forms may be returned</i></p>	<p><u>ENTRIES & FEES TO:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Golden Valley DTC c/o Agility Aid, 30 Groveside, Henlow, Bedfordshire, SG16 6AP</p> <p>Cheques Payable to: Golden Valley DTC</p>	<p>Dogs in Vehicles on Hot Days: 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.</p> <p>A dog must at the time of entry for the competition, be registered as required by Kennel Club Rules and Regulations in the competitors' name (or else registration or transfer of registration applied for).</p>	<p>Declaration: I/We agree to submit to and be bound by Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned and that this entry is made upon the basis that all current single or joint registered owners of this dog(s) have authorised/consented to this entry. I/We also undertake to abide by the Regulations of this Show and not to bring to the Show any dog which has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious or contagious disease during the 21 days prior to the Show, or which is suffering from a visible condition which adversely affects its health or welfare. I/We further declare that, I believe to the best of my knowledge that dogs are not liable to disqualification under Kennel Club Agility Show Regulations.</p>	<p>Signature of Owner (or Authorised Agent)</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Date.....</p>
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WE WOULD VERY MUCH APPRECIATE YOUR HELP FOR JUST ONE HOUR

Please circle when you would be prepared to help: **Saturday** all day / am / pm **Sunday** all day / am / pm Is there any ring party you would like to join or a judge you would like to help party:

Please circle the job/s you would be prepared to do: **Ring Manager** **Scrim** **Scorer** **Pads** **Caller** **Poles** **Leads**

If you are able to help you will be allocated a ring to work on, please will you call at the ring first thing in the morning and agree the time you are available with the ring manager thank you.

Camping available via club:
www.goldenvalleydte.co.uk/new/campinginfo.php

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