

DERBYSHIRE DOG AGILITY CLUB SUMMER SHOW



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Schedule of Premier Agility Show

(Held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H & H (1)) and licensed by the Kennel Club Limited

Locko Park, Spondon, Derby DE21 7BW

Saturday 31st July & Sunday 1st August 2021

SHOW OPENS 7.30 – BRIEFING 08.15 – JUDGING 08.30

Our Qualifiers:

Intermediate KC Olympia Agility Stakes
Crufts Large Novice ABC Agility Stakes
Crufts Intermediate Novice ABC Agility Stakes
Crufts Medium ABC Agility Stakes
Crufts YKC Jumping
Crufts YKC Pairs
Discover Dogs Small/Mixi Pairs Challenge
Kennel Club Medium Novice Cup
Kennel Club Small Novice Cup



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 so 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.

SHOW SECRETARY

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COMPETITION MANAGER

Jo Glynn

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ENTRIES CLOSE

Friday 2nd July 2021 (Postmark)

ENTRY FEES

£4.50 per individual class (£9.00 pairs)

ENTRIES

Enter on-line at www.firstplaceprocessing.co.uk

or paper entries to:

Derbyshire Dog Agility Show,
Longhedge Show Processing, Longhedge House,
Thoroton, NG13 9DS.
Email paul.sensky@longhedge.co.uk
Telephone 07760 252992



EQUIPMENT



Equipment supplied by JDA. All contact equipment will be rubber coated aluminium.

K9 Time - Electronic Timing.

CAMPING

There is no camping for competitors at this show.

VETERINARY SUPPORT

Pride Veterinary Centre, Riverside Rd, Derby DE24 8HX. Tel: 01332 678333

MEASURING

There will be measuring sessions at lunchtime on Saturday 31st July and at lunchtime on Sunday 1st August. The measurers will Jackie Gardner and Hannah Lyon on Saturday, Donna Lewis and Julia Durrant on Sunday.

In order to guarantee your place please book your measuring session in advance of the show by contacting the show secretary - showsec@derbyshireagility.co.uk.

Measuring sessions may be available to be booked on the day but are subject to availability.

To have your dog measured you will need details of your dog's Kennel Club registered name and number (registration document is NOT needed), an Agility Record Book, your dog's microchip number and the measuring fee of £4.

WHISTLES

No whistles will be used at this show.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEOING

This event, by its very nature, is in the public arena and when entering for this event the participant and, in the case of minors, their parents/guardians acknowledge this fact, which may result in the recording either by still photography or by video equipment and subsequent publication of his/her image.

Images will be available on Facebook 'Linda Gore - Photography' www.facebook.com/LindaGorePhotography or for further information contact Linda on 07917 734343.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

By entering this event you agree that we may publish your Personal Information as part of the results of this event and may pass such information to the governing body or any related organisation for the purpose of insurance, licences or for publishing results either for this event alone or combined with or compared to other events. Results may include (but not be limited to) your name, your dog's name, any club/team affiliation, your faults/time and age category where appropriate.

LIVE SCORING AND RESULTS

We will be using **FPP Live!** at this show, enabling you to view results and the status of each ring on your mobile devices.

Some results may also appear on our Facebook page and/or our website.

AWARDS

Trophies for 1st place and where entry numbers permit to 2nd and 3rd. Rosettes to at least 10% in all classes and clear round rosettes for all classes.

SHOW HELP

If you are willing and able to offer any help over the weekend, we would be very appreciative of this. We are unable to run the show without helpers. Please mark on your entry form any preference to day and/ or job.

CANCELLATION

In case of cancellation of the show the society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses.

If cancellation occurs within seven days of the show date, notification will be sent to the relevant web sites and posted on applicable Facebook groups where possible. It will be the competitor's responsibility to check with these services if continuation of the show is in doubt.

COVID-19

The Society will ensure to the best of its ability that the event is run to Covid Safe guidelines. It is your responsibility to ensure you comply with national and local restrictions including advice given about non-essential travel in and out of locally affected regions (which must not be ignored) – in the interests of the safety of all participants this may give rise to a short notice refusal of entry at the society's discretion. The Kennel Club will respect the society's exercise of its discretion.

If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must isolate in line with Government advice -

www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/

The competitor must not attend the event

QUALIFIERS

Classes marked as (Q) are qualifiers.

SPECIAL CLASSES

Classes marked as (S) are special classes.

Saturday 31st July Classes

No	Class	Type	Grade							Judge
01	Large Jumping	Combined	1	2						Dawn Williams
02	Large Agility	Graded	1	2						Gina Scott
03	Mini Pinkys Large Jumping	Graded	1	2	3					Anna Braley
04	Crufts Novice ABC Agility Stakes Large (S) (Q)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5			Helen Veal
05	Photizo Large Jumping	Combined			3	4				Iain Langman
06	Large Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Troy Hedger
07	Large Jumping	Graded				4	5			Maria Daley
08	Large Jumping	Combined					5	6	7	Allison Saunders
09	Large Agility	Graded						6	7	Troy Hedger
10	Large Jumping	Graded						6	7	Alan Flynn
11	Skinnners Intermediate Jumping	Combined	1	2						Dawn Williams
12	Intermediate Agility	Graded	1	2						Gina Scott
13	Intermediate Jumping	Graded	1	2	3					Anna Braley
14	Crufts Novice ABC Agility Stakes Intermediate (S) (Q)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5			Helen Veal
15	Skinnners Intermediate Jumping	Combined			3	4				Iain Langman
16	Intermediate Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Troy Hedger
17	Intermediate Jumping	Graded				4	5			Maria Daley
18	Skinnners Intermediate Jumping	Combined					5	6	7	Allison Saunders
19	Intermediate Agility	Graded						6	7	Troy Hedger
20	Intermediate Jumping	Graded						6	7	Alan Flynn
21	Medium Agility	Graded	1	2						Gina Scott
22	Medium Jumping	Graded	1	2						Dawn Williams
23	Medium Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4				Anna Braley
24	Medium Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Andy Gillibrand
25	Medium Jumping	Graded			3	4	5			Maria Daley
26	Medium Jumping	Combined					5	6	7	Allison Saunders
27	Medium Agility	Graded						6	7	Andy Gillibrand
28	Medium Jumping	Graded						6	7	Alan Flynn
29	Crufts ABC Agility Stakes Medium (S) (Q)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Helen Veal
30	Good Boy Small Agility	Graded	1	2						Andy Gillibrand
31	Small Jumping	Graded	1	2						Dawn Williams
32	Small Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4				Anna Braley
33	Good Boy Small Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Andy Gillibrand
34	Small Jumping	Graded			3	4	5			Dawn Williams
35	Small Jumping	Combined					5	6	7	Allison Saunders
36	Small Agility (Jean Shaw Trophy)	Graded						6	7	Andy Gillibrand
37	Small Jumping	Graded						6	7	Alan Flynn
38	Crufts YKC Junior Jumping (S) (Q)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Maria Daley
39	TuffStuff Veteran Jumping (S)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Iain Langman
40	Anysize Jumping (S)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Alan Flynn
41	Anysize Helter Skelter (S)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Alan Flynn

Saturday - dogs may enter a maximum of 3 classes plus juniors

Please note: the judges named against all classes are provisional and may be altered once numbers of entries are confirmed. Confirmation of judges will be on the ring plan which will be sent out with running orders.

Sunday 1st August Classes

No	Class	Type	Grade							Judge
42	Skinner's Large Jumping	Combined	1	2						Amy Gandy
43	Large Agility	Graded	1	2						Robert Glynn
44	Large Jumping	Graded	1	2	3					Amanda Pigg
45	Skinner's Large Jumping	Combined			3	4				Denise Mathews
46	Large Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Tina Davies
47	Large Jumping	Graded				4	5			Amy Gandy
48	Skinner's Large Jumping	Combined					5	6	7	Denise Mathews
49	Large Jumping	Graded						6	7	Tina Davies
50	Large Agility	Graded						6	7	Natalie Silcock
51	Intermediate Jumping	Combined	1	2						Amy Gandy
52	Intermediate Agility	Graded	1	2						Robert Glynn
53	Intermediate Jumping	Graded	1	2	3					Amanda Pigg
54	Intermediate Jumping	Combined			3	4				Denise Mathews
55	Intermediate Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Tina Davies
56	Intermediate Jumping	Graded				4	5			Amy Gandy
57	KC Olympia Agility Stakes Intermediate (Q)	Combined					5	6	7	Natalie Silcock
58	Intermediate Jumping	Graded						6	7	Denise Mathews
59	Intermediate Agility	Graded						6	7	Robert Glynn
60	Medium Jumping	Combined	1	2						Amy Gandy
61	Good Boy Medium Agility	Graded	1	2						Robert Glynn
62	Medium Jumping	Graded	1	2	3					Amanda Pigg
63	KC Medium Novice Cup Agility (Q)	Combined			3	4	5			Natalie Silcock
64	Good Boy Medium Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Tina Davies
65	Medium Jumping	Graded				4	5			Amy Gandy
66	Medium Jumping	Graded						6	7	Denise Mathews
67	Medium Agility	Graded						6	7	Robert Glynn
68	Medium Jumping	Combined						6	7	Denise Mathews
69	Small Jumping	Combined	1	2						Amy Gandy
70	Small Agility	Graded	1	2						Robert Glynn
71	Small Jumping	Graded	1	2	3					Amanda Pigg
72	KC Small Novice Cup Agility (Q)	Combined			3	4	5			Natalie Silcock
73	Small Agility	Graded			3	4	5			Tina Davies
74	Small Jumping	Graded				4	5			Amy Gandy
75	Small Jumping	Graded						6	7	Amanda Pigg
76	Small Agility	Graded						6	7	Robert Glynn
77	Small Jumping	Combined						6	7	Amanda Pigg
78	Discover Dogs Small/Mixi Pairs Challenge (S) (Q)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Robert Glynn
79	Pawstrading Junior Jumping (S) (U12 & O12)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Denise Mathews
80	Crufts YKC Pairs (S) (Q)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Robert Glynn
81	Veteran Jumping (S)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Denise Mathews
82	Anysize Jumping (S)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Denise Mathews
83	Anysize Helter Skelter (S)	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Denise Mathews

Sunday - dogs may enter a maximum of 3 classes plus pairs & juniors

Please note: the judges named against all classes are provisional and may be altered once numbers of entries are confirmed. Confirmation of judges will be on the ring plan which will be sent out with running orders.

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 be either 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.

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 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 **(cannot count towards agility warrant points or grade progression at KC shows)**

HELTER SKELTER: A jumping course based on a decreasing or increasing circle.

STEEPLECHASE: A jumping course consisting of jumps (not including a spread or long jump) and at least one pipe tunnel. There will be no weaves in the course.

VETERANS: Open to all dogs 9 years or over on the day of the show and not entered in any other classes over the weekend (other Veteran and Any Size classes excepted). These classes will not include a tyre or weaves. Competitors can choose what height to jump (400mm, 300mm or 200mm). The length of the long jump will be as per KC standard. The course time will be 60 seconds. All dogs will compete against each other over the same course with one set of awards.

ANY SIZE: Open to all dogs not entered in any other classes over the weekend (Veteran and Any size classes excepted.). These classes will not include a tyre or weaves. Competitors can choose what height to jump (400mm, 300mm or 200mm). The length of the long jump will be as per KC standard. The course time will be 60 seconds. All heights of dogs will compete against each other over the same course with one set of awards.

JUNIORS: These rules apply to classes 45 and 143. The YKC classes have their own rules.

All juniors must be under 18 on the day of competing. Under 12's is open to handlers under 12 years on show day and Over 12's is 12 years old and over (but under 18) on show day. All equipment heights will be in line with normal KC standard. All heights of dogs will compete against each other over the same course at the dog's applicable jump height with one set of awards for each age group. Each junior can only run a maximum of two dogs and any dog cannot be run by more than one junior.

HEIGHT LIMIT FOR DOGS

Large Dogs - For dogs measuring over 430mm at the withers.

Intermediate Dogs - For dogs measuring over 430mm and measuring 500mm or under at the withers.

Medium Dogs - For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers.

Small dogs - For dogs measuring 350mm or under at the withers.

Dogs competing in Small, Medium or Intermediate height categories must be measured for competition. Competitors must ensure that their dog is measured prior to their first competition and that the dog's Agility Record Book has been signed and dated by the measuring officials.

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

Trade Stands

The following trade stands will be on site: -

Pete Smith's Firehouse Pizzas, Bluebells Ice Cream, Mini Pinky's Doughnuts, Pawstrading, Tuffstuff Ltd, Photizo Light Therapy, Taggles Woof Stuff

Others to be confirmed (please see our website for the latest details)

Main Show Sponsor

Derbyshire Dog Agility Club wishes to thank Skinners Pet Foods for their contribution and support to this event



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Mini Pinky's Doughnuts

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www.crystalvisionawards.co.uk



Pete Smith's

Firehouse Pizzas



Bluebells Ice Cream

www.bluebelldairy.co.uk



Photizo Light Therapy

www.photizo.co.uk

Crufts Large Novice ABC Agility Stakes (Special) 2021 / 2022

Eligibility

This competition is a special agility competition open to all dogs excluding Border Collies, Working Sheepdogs and any of their crosses. In the event of any dispute regarding the parentage of a dog competing in the ABC Agility competition, any concerns should be recorded in the Incident Book and reported to The Kennel Club.

Those dogs eligible to compete in competition for large dogs are those measuring over 50cm at the withers. Dogs should be eligible to compete at Grade 1-5 at the time of qualifying for the semi-final. Any subsequent wins gained by the dog will not alter its eligibility to compete in the semi-final or final.

Competition Rules

The competition will be held under Kennel Club rules and regulations for Agility and any handler entering the competition will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules and regulations. Standard rules will apply and all equipment used shall be of a standard size for that height category.

The semi-final will consist of one round of agility competition and one round of jumping competition; the top eight dogs qualifying for Crufts will be those with the least combined faults in the fastest combined time calculated over the two rounds of the semi-final. If there is equality of faults and time, the agility round will take precedence.

The final will consist of one round of agility. The winner of the Crufts Large Novice ABC Agility Stakes will be the dog and handler with the least faults in the fastest time.

Qualifying

There will be 10 qualifying shows throughout the year. The first 10 placed dogs in each heat will have the following points awarded: 1st place = 10 points, 2nd place = 9 points etc. down to 10th place = 1 point. Qualifying points will be awarded down to 10th even if the show does not award class places down to 10th.

If a qualified handler or dog is unable/unfit to attend the final, reserves will be taken from dog/s with the highest number of points from the heats which have/has not qualified.

The top fifteen dogs, with the most points, will be invited to a semi-final at Discover Dogs 2021. There will be a charge of £10 per dog. A maximum of three representatives of any one breed will be invited to the semi-final. This decision will be at the organisers' discretion. Discover Dogs will be held at Excel, London. Car parking will not be provided by the Kennel Club. The first eight highest placed dogs at the semi-final will be invited to compete in the finals to be held at Crufts Dog Show, NEC Birmingham in March 2022.

Crufts Intermediate Novice ABC Agility Stakes (Special) 2021 / 2022

Eligibility

This competition is a special agility competition open to all dogs excluding Border Collies, Working Sheepdogs and any of their crosses. In the event of any dispute regarding the parentage of a dog competing in the ABC Agility competition, any concerns should be recorded in the Incident Book and reported to the Kennel Club.

Those dogs eligible to compete in competition for intermediate dogs are those measuring over 43cm and measuring 50cm or under at the withers. Dogs should be eligible to compete at Grade 1-5 at the time of qualifying for the semi-final. Any subsequent wins gained by the dog will not alter its eligibility to compete in the semi-final or final.

Competition Rules

The competition will be held under Kennel Club rules and regulations for Agility and any handler entering the competition will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules and regulations. Standard rules will apply and all equipment used shall be of a standard size for that height category.

The semi-final will consist of one round of agility competition and one round of jumping competition; the top 8 dogs qualifying for Crufts will be those with the least combined faults in the fastest combined time calculated over the two rounds of the semi-final. If there is equality of faults and time, the agility round will take precedence.

The final will consist of one round of agility. The winner of the Crufts Intermediate Novice ABC Agility Stakes will be the dog and handler with the least faults in the fastest time.

Qualifying

There will be 10 qualifying shows throughout the year. The first 10 placed dogs in each heat will have the following points awarded: 1st place = 10 points, 2nd place = 9 points etc. down to 10th place = 1 point. Qualifying points will be awarded down to 10th even if the show does not award class places down to 10th.

If a qualified handler or dog is unable/unfit to attend the final, reserves will be taken from dog/s with the highest number of points from the heats which have/has not qualified.

The top 15 dogs, with the most points, will be invited to a semi-final at Discover Dogs 2021. There will be a charge of £10 per dog. A maximum of three representatives of any one breed will be invited to the semi-final. This decision will be at the organisers' discretion. Discover Dogs will be held at Excel, London. Car parking will not be provided by The Kennel Club.

The first eight highest placed dogs at the semi-final will be invited to compete in the finals to be held at Crufts Dog Show, NEC Birmingham in March 2022..

Crufts Medium ABC Agility Stakes (Special) 2021 / 2022

Eligibility

This competition is a special agility competition open to all dogs excluding Border Collies, Working Sheepdogs and any of their crosses. In the event of any dispute regarding the parentage of a dog competing in the ABC Agility competition, any concerns should be recorded in the Incident Book and reported to The Kennel Club.

Those dogs eligible to compete in Medium dog competition are those measuring over 35cm and those measuring 43cm or under at the withers and eligible to compete in combined Grades 1 to 7 for Medium dogs.

Competition Rules

The competition will be held under Kennel Club rules and regulations for Agility and any handler entering the competition will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules and regulations. Standard rules will apply and all equipment used shall be of a standard size for that height category.

The semi-final will consist of one round of agility competition and one round of jumping competition; the top 8 dogs qualifying for Crufts will be those with the least combined faults in the fastest combined time calculated over the two rounds of the semi-final. If there is equality of faults and time, the agility round will take precedence.

The final will consist of one round of agility. The winner of the Crufts Medium ABC Agility Stakes will be the dog and handler with the least faults in the fastest time.

Qualifying

There will be 10 qualifying shows throughout the year. The first 10 placed dogs in each heat will have the following points awarded: 1st place = 10 points, 2nd place = 9 points etc. down to 10th place = 1 point. Qualifying points will be awarded down to 10th even if the show does not award class places down to 10th.

If a qualified handler or dog is unable/unfit to attend the final, reserves will be taken from dog/s with the highest number of points from the heats which have/has not qualified.

The top 15 dogs, with the most points, will be invited to a semi-final at Discover Dogs 2021. There will be a charge of £10 per dog. A maximum of three representatives of any one breed will be invited to the semi-final. This decision will be at the organisers' discretion. Discover Dogs will be held at Excel, London. Car parking will not be provided by The Kennel Club.

The first eight highest placed dogs at the semi-final will be invited to compete in the finals to be held at Crufts Dog Show, NEC Birmingham in March 2022.

Kennel Club Medium & Small Novice Cup Agility Stakes 2021 - 2023

Eligibility

All events must be judged under the appropriate Kennel Club regulations H & H (1) in force at the time of the event. Competitors entering any competition will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these regulations.

Dogs should be eligible to enter a Grade 3, 4 or 5 class at the time of qualifying for the semi-final. Any subsequent wins gained by the dog will not alter its eligibility to compete in the Semi-Final or Final.

Competition Rules

There will be up to 14 separate heats for large, intermediate, medium and small height dogs at Kennel Club licensed shows throughout the country, plus an additional heat on Thursday 12th August at the International Agility Festival.

Competitors may enter more than one dog in a heat. Competitors may qualify more than one dog for the Semi-Final at the International Agility Festival, however only the competitor's highest placed dog at the Semi-Final will qualify for the Crufts Grand Final.

Once a dog has qualified for the Semi-Final, further heats may be entered for competition although any placings in these heats will not affect the dog's eligibility for the Semi-Final.

Qualifying

The first two previously unqualified dogs from each heat will go forward to the Semi-Final at the Kennel Club International Agility Festival 2022. There will also be a Novice Cup heat at the Kennel Club International Agility Festival, where the first five previously unqualified placed dogs will also go forward to the Semi-Final. If the heat is split then two dogs will be taken from each part.

If a competitor does not take up the invitation to compete in the semi-final, the invitation will be rolled down to the next applicable dog from the relevant heat.

The top six large dogs, six intermediate, six medium dogs and six small dogs from the Semi-Final round of the Kennel Club Novice Cup will be invited to compete in the Final at Crufts 2023.

Please note that due to Covid-19 cancelled heats, there will be no semi-final in 2021. Dogs and handlers who qualify for the 2021 semi-final will have their qualification carried forward to the semi-final at the International Agility Festival in 2022.



Discover Dogs Small / Mixi Pairs Challenge (Special) 2021

This is a competition consisting of eight heats of jumping. The competition is open to small dogs, partnering a medium dog, intermediate dog or a large dog, and heats will be scheduled as a Special combined class for grades 1 to 7.

Eligibility

The competition is open to two dogs with separate handlers. One dog must be a small dog, 35cm or under at the withers, the partner can be a medium dog, over 35cm but 43cm or under at the withers, or an intermediate dog over 43cm and measuring 50cm or under at the withers, or a large dog over 50cm.

Handlers with more than one dog may enter in more than one pair. However, they may only qualify a maximum of two dogs for the final. No substitute handlers will be allowed in the final.

Should a qualified dog or handler within a pair be unable/unfit to enter the final that pair will not be able to compete. Their place in the final will be offered to the next available pair with the highest points who have not qualified.

Competition Rules

The competition will be held under Kennel Club rules and regulations for Agility and any handler entering the competition will be deemed to have agreed to abide by these rules and regulations. Standard rules will apply and all equipment used shall be of a standard size for that category.

This is normally a relay competition involving a baton change between each dog's run. However due to Covid-19 there will be no baton changeover and the event will be run as 2 individual scored runs following each other. The times and faults of each dog's run will be added together to produce a pairs score.

An elimination will incur a penalty of 100 faults. Once a dog has been eliminated it cannot incur further faults. However, if either member of the pair fail to complete the course or either of the dogs foul the ring the pair will be disqualified.

The competition will involve changes of height of the obstacles being jumped by the medium/intermediate/large dogs at two stages during the class. The judge will decide which height of dog to start with and will announce the changes of height when relevant. It is the competitors' responsibility to be available accordingly. The course will be walked by everyone before the beginning of the class.

The final will consist of two rounds of jumping competition. The winners of the Discover Dogs Small / Mixi Pairs will be the pair with the least combined faults in the fastest combined time calculated over the two rounds of the final. Discover Dogs will be held at Excel, London in 2021. Car parking will not be provided by the Kennel Club.

Qualifying

Points will be awarded to the specific pair (consisting of two handlers with their dogs) which competes at the heat. Points are not transferable between different pair combinations. Pairs will score 15 points for 1st place down to 1 point for 15th place. Points will be accumulated over all eight heats and the 15 pairs with the most points will go through to the final at Discover Dogs 2021.



The Kennel Club Olympia Intermediate Dog Agility Stakes 2021 *Supported by Skinner's*



This competition will be classified as combined Grades 5-7 and judged under the Kennel Club Regulations for standard classes.

Dogs should be eligible to enter a Grade 5-7 class at the time of qualifying for the Quarter-Final.

Competitors may enter more than one dog in a heat. Competitors may qualify more than one dog for the Quarter-Finals. However, only the competitor's highest placed dog at the Quarter-Finals will qualify for the Semi-Final.

Once a dog has qualified for the Quarter-Final, further heats may be entered for competition although any placings in these further heats will not affect the dog's eligibility for the Quarter-Final/Semi-Final.

The first 5 previously unqualified placed dogs from each heat will go forward to the Quarter-Finals at Vale View Equestrian, if the heat is split then three dogs will be taken from each part. The first 20 dogs from this Quarter-Final will qualify for the Semi-Final held at The London International Horse Show.

The 20 dogs who qualify for The Kennel Club Intermediate Dog Agility Stakes will compete in a Semi-Final held at The London International Horse Show. The top 10 highest placed dogs in the Semi-Final will qualify for the evening Grand Final held at The London International Horse Show (subject to the above).

Those dogs eligible to compete in Intermediate Dog Agility competitions are those measuring over 430mm and measuring 500mm or under at the withers.

The competition is open to all YKC members only, aged 6 years and up to, but not including 18th birthday handling any Kennel Club registered dog. There are eight classes divided by age of member and size of dog as listed below:

- 6-11 Years with Large/Intermediate/Medium/Small dogs
- 12-17 Years with Large/Intermediate/Medium/Small dogs

Please enter the class age category you will be on the day of the qualifier.

The YKC method for Crufts qualification is a points based system as follows:

- 1st Place = 30 points / 2nd Place = 15 points / 3rd Place = 10 points

Points are gained per handler/dog combination. If the same handler gains points with another dog in U18J - these points will be separate.

30 or more combined points during the year in U18J competitions should guarantee qualification to the U18J final at next year's Crufts, however, the YKC may have to drastically alter how members qualify for Crufts 2022. This may be because fewer shows were able to hold YKC qualifiers this year, or possibly that we are required to restrict entry numbers to Crufts 2022 on government advice. More up to date qualification information will be released on the YKC website closer to the time. The YKC will endeavour to keep the qualification process as close to the above as possible.

Members must ensure that their fees to the Young Kennel Club (YKC) are up to date and fully paid in order to enter any Young Kennel Club class.

These schedule rules must be read in conjunction with the most up to date YKC Agility Rules found on the YKC website.

The competition is open to YKC members only, aged between 6 and 24 years.

There are 12 classes divided by age of member and size of dog as listed below:

- 6-11 years with large/intermediate/medium/small dogs
- 12-17 years with large/intermediate/medium/small dogs
- 18-24 years with large/intermediate/medium/small dogs

When entering a pair, you should use the age of the oldest member to determine which category to use. At each qualifier, a handler may only enter 1 age category per dog height, if the handler wishes to enter the same height pairs competition with multiple pairs, all subsequent entries must be for the same age range

e.g. Jim is 9 and has a large dog, he partners with Bob who is 12 also with a large dog. They will enter the "Large 12-17 YKC Pairs" competition. If Jim wants to enter another dog into the "YKC large dog pairs" at this qualifier, he must do so with someone who is in the 12-17 age range (which can be Bob again providing they are both using different large dogs).

To comply with potential social distancing measures, the baton change has been removed from qualifiers in 2021 and Crufts 2022.

Pairs must use the same size dog for both members. Once a qualifier has been entered, members may not switch dogs or handlers.

The pair who are placed first in each category will qualify for Crufts 2022. (12 qualification spots per qualifier.)

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Both members must ensure that their fees to the Young Kennel Club (YKC) are up to date and fully paid in order to enter any Young Kennel Club class.

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Jean Shaw Trophy

The Jean Shaw Trophy will be awarded to the overall winner of Small Agility G6-7 on Saturday (Class 36). The dog with the least faults in the fastest time.

Jean was a long standing club member whom we sadly lost in June 2020. She was a much loved club member who was dedicated to her CKCS dogs. We miss her hugely and we know her many friends on the Agility circuit do too. This trophy is dedicated to her.

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 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 are £4.50 per dog per class and £9.00 per pair.
4. No Prize Money is on offer.
5. Entries will only be accepted on the official form or photocopy thereof. Entries may also be made via the internet at www.firstplaceprocessing.co.uk
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 more than once in a class, including special classes.
9. 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.
10. No bitch in season is allowed to compete.
11. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
12. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
13. 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 i.e. not attached by a ring.
14. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
15. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
16. Thank you to our sponsors, The Kennel Club, YKC, Skinners Pet Foods, Good Boy, Pawstrading, Tuff Stuff Ltd, Mini Pinkys, First Place Processing, Voodoo Rosettes, Photizo.
17. The KC qualifiers held at this show are: - Intermediate KC Olympia Agility Stakes, Crufts Large Novice ABC Agility Stakes, Crufts Intermediate Novice ABC Agility Stakes, Crufts Medium ABC Agility Stakes, Crufts YKC Jumping, Crufts YKC Pairs, Discover Dogs Small/Mixi Pairs Challenge, Kennel Club Medium Novice Cup, Kennel Club Small Novice Cup. Detailed rules can be found on the previous pages.
18. Kennel Club Standard marking Regulations apply for all standard classes.
19. Competitors can choose what height to jump (450mm, 350mm or 228mm) for Veterans classes. For the Any size class the hurdles will be the same as for Veterans. All other equipment in all other special classes will be as per KC standard.
20. The Height limit for dogs:
 - a. Large Dogs – For dogs measuring over 500mm at the withers
 - b. Intermediate Dogs - For dogs measuring over 430mm and measuring 500mm or under at the withers.
 - c. Medium Dogs - For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers.
 - d. Small Dogs – 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 will 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 (06/07/2021) 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 competitors' responsibility to notify the show secretary at least 14 days before the date of the show. The dog will then be moved into the appropriate class (es) for the next grade. The dog must be moved into the corresponding number 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.
25. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to the Kennel Club.
26. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the club 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 the provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied with the appropriate fees.
30. Passes are not required to gain entry to the show/showground.
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. A practice ring may be available to dogs entered for competition at the show, if space allows. This ring must be supervised by a responsible adult with agility knowledge.
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. All dogs entered at this show are at the owner's risk. Whilst every care will be taken, the Committee and Organisers will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury, however caused to persons, dogs or property at the show.

38. Overpaid entries will NOT be refunded.
39. Competitors must follow the instructions of the Stewards with respect to parking, camping and conduct within the show boundaries and any person directing abuse will be removed from the showground.
40. Goods may NOT be sold within the precincts of the show without prior permission of the committee.
41. Campers must remain within their allocated space and MUST NOT obstruct the roadways. All units must be equipped with own fire extinguishers and/or bucket of water at the tow bar.
42. Training equipment is not allowed.
43. DOGS ARE NOT TO BE LEFT LOOSE IN 'GARDEN' AREAS OR TETHERED TO VEHICLES WITHOUT BEING ATTENDED.
44. No overnight parking permitted unless a camping space has been booked and paid for and you are within your allocated space. Any persons with vehicles parked overnight, not in accordance with this rule, will be asked to leave the showground.
45. Please pick up after your dog and deposit the waste in the bags provided. If you fail to clean up after your dog, you will be asked to leave the venue.
46. No refunds after closing date other than in exceptional circumstances and at the organising club's discretion.
47. Rosettes and Trophies will NOT be forwarded.
48. If choosing to download your ring cards you are agreeing to your running orders for this show being available to the public on the web site.

DIRECTIONS TO

LOCKO PARK  LOCKO PARK

FROM DERBY

If you are approaching from Derby on the A52 (Brian Clough Way), we recommend leaving the A52 at the A6005 exit towards Borrowash. Then at the roundabout, take the 3rd exit back on to the A52 towards Nottingham but stay on the slip road exiting the A52 again at the Spondon\Ilkeston A6096 exit immediately before Spondon Methodist Church. This is easier, if you are towing, than taking the exit directly off the A52.

As the road bears to the right turn left onto Church Street, sign posted Heanor\Morley and also marked by a brown road sign for Bluebells Ice Cream Farm.

Continue up Church Street, past St Werburghs School on the right-hand side and the road changes to be Locko Road. Continue up Locko Road until you go past the Cricket club on right-hand side and out on to a country lane.

Go past 'Bluebells Ice Cream Farm' and then the entrance to Locko Park is situated to the right as the road bends round to the left. Look out for Agility signs at the roadside.

FROM NOTTINGHAM \ M1 SOUTHBOUND

If you are approaching from Nottingham\M1 J25 leave the A52 at Spondon exit (signposted Spondon\Chaddesden) by Asda, go around the roundabout and head back towards Nottingham (A52) but stay on the slip road and follow the directions as above.

FROM M1 NORTHBOUND

If you are approaching from M1 J24 then take the A50 towards Derby\Utttoxeter\Stoke. Leave the A50 at Junction 2 and take the A6 towards Derby up Raynesway (50mph speed limit), which is the second exit off the roundabout. At the end of Raynesway get into the outside lane and at the roundabout take the 3rd exit, past Asda on your right. At the next roundabout take the exit for Nottingham (A52) but stay on the slip road and follow the directions as above.

SAT NAV

Do not use the postcode DE21 7BW for Sat Navs. Use 'Locko Road, Spondon' or DE21 7AR (for Bluebells Ice Cream Farm) instead.

AND FINALLY

We have a lovely venue. Please help us keep it that way so that we can return in future years. Please keep Locko Park clean, remember to clear up after your dog and use the bins provided. We will have separate bins for dog waste and normal waste. Please make sure you use the correct bins.