



**OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST
COBEQUID DOG CLUB
56th & 57th RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIALS
INDOORS**

ALL TRIALS ARE *LIMITED ENTRY*
THESE EVENTS ARE HELD UNDER THE RULES OF
THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB AT
**STAY 'N PLAY CANINE CENTRE,
214 Crossley Ave, Truro, NS B2N 7H7**

Proceeding with these trials will be dependent on current rules for
social gathering

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6th 2021
(Announcement regarding Storm Date will be made on Facebook)
Storm Date: SUNDAY FEBRUARY 7th, 2021

ENTRIES CLOSE: Wednesday JAN 20th, AT 10:00 PM
NO SAME DAY ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED - MOVE-UPS ALLOWED
***CDC accepts entries for mixed breed dogs that have a CCN
(Canine Companion Number) issued by the CKC***

RALLY OBEDIENCE JUDGE

Tracy Snyder, 206 MacElmon Rd., PO Box 15, Debert, NS B0M 1G0

SHOW AND TRIAL SECRETARY:

NANCY DOWNING, General Delivery, Economy NS B0M 1J0 (902) 890-7583

2NancysShowSecretaryServices@gmail.com

Entries also may be dropped off @ 214 Crossley Ave., Truro NS B2N 7H7

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JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS

RALLY-OBEDIENCE

Tracy Snyder

Novice A & B, Intermediate, Advanced A & B, Excellent A & B, Master

CHAPTER 8, SECTION 8 OF THE DOG SHOW RULES: A Judge officiating at a show held under these rules shall not be subjected to INDIGNITIES of any kind during the progress of the show, and it shall be the duty of the Club holding the show to see that this rule is effectively carried out.

ENTRIES (including G.S.T)

- Entry per Dog per Trial \$28.00
- Entry per RAE/Dog per Trial \$50.00
- Exhibition Only per Dog per Show or Trial \$8.00
- TCN Fee per Event \$11.50
- Catalogue - \$5.00

Payment by Cash, Check or Money Order – (Post-Dated Cheques will NOT be accepted)
Payable to the **Cobequid Dog Club**

eTransfers accepted at:
2NancysShowSecretaryServices@gmail.com

Please Note: Credit card payments accepted ONLY

through **THE ENTRY LINE**

REFUND POLICY

If, due to COVID, these Trials are not able to be held; refunds will be issued to exhibitors - MINUS 20%. While all efforts will be taken to expedite refunds, they may take up to 14 days (depending on volume & other work commitments).

If because of; an act of God, riot, civil disturbance, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations, or decree, or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the CDC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows/Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.

**Masks WILL be correctly
worn (covering nose & mouth)
during all exercises & at all
times within the building by all
Trial Participants.**

CATALOGUES

Catalogues-\$5.00. Please pre-order catalogues as there will none available at the show.
CATALOGUES WILL NOT BE MAILED TO ABSENT EXHIBITORS. ADVERTISING: ½ Page-\$25.00, Full Page-\$40.00, \$50.00 covers.

ALL ADS MUST BE CAMERA READY FOR PRINTING

PRIZES

A Cash prize will be offered (via eTransfer) each day for the following:

Highest qualifying Score in Each Class \$10.00

ENTRY INFORMATION

1. Attention U.S. Exhibitors: A Personal cheque will be accepted, however, it must be payable in US funds and for the full entry amount. Personally discounted cheques will not be accepted. Do not mark cheque "payable in Canadian" or "funds at par". Your co-operation is appreciated.
2. If entering the same dog in conformation, obedience or exhibition only, please use a separate entry form for each class.
3. An **INCOMPLETE ENTRY FORM WILL BE RETURNED.** Please ensure that your postal code is included. ALL NSF CHEQUES WILL BE CHARGED A \$30.00 SERVICE CHARGE.
4. Exhibitors must abide by the errors made when making the entry, regardless how or who made the entry.
5. An entry will not be accepted unless accompanied by the required fees. Post-dated cheques will not be accepted.
6. The Cobequid Dog Club reserves the right to reject any entry subject to CKC rules.
7. Only dogs, which are eligible for registration or are registered by the CKC, may be entered in these Show & Trials.
8. Overpayment of entry fees up to a maximum of \$5.00 will be considered a donation to CDC Trophy Fund.
9. The Exhibitor is responsible for knowing and complying with the Dog Show Rules of the CKC.
10. **There will be no prong or spike collars permitted at this venue.**
11. Obedience Trial – Move Up A dog that is individually registered in the records of the CKC and has fulfilled the requirements for a title, in accordance with Section 9.4.2 and 10.4.2 of the Obedience Rules, may be moved to the next level of Obedience competition providing the transfer was submitted to the Trial secretary, **IN WRITING** by the owner or handler, one hour prior to the opening of the first trial, trial schedule permitting.
12. If because of; an act of God, riot, civil disturbance, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations, or decree, or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the CDC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows/Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.

Temporary Competition Number (TCN) - * Effective March 2, 2020

A Temporary Competition Number (TCN) must be obtained before submitting an entry for an event. The same TCN must be used for all event entries for a dog until the dog is permanently registered. Once a dog is permanently registered or has an ERN, the TCN will be replaced with the registration number or ERN. A TCN cannot be used for Listed Breeds (MCN) or dogs that will require a Performance Event Number (PEN) or Canine Companion Number (CCN).

There is no fee to obtain a TCN however exhibitors will still be required to pay TCN Fees (formerly called Listing Fees) when entering events using a TCN.

TCN Numbers may be obtained online via the CKC website where the number is issued instantly. Exhibitors may also mail in a printed application or contact CKC Shows and Trials by phone for a number.

Dogs may still enter CKC events until without a registration number or ERN until March 2, 2020 by marking TCN on the entry form (or Listed if it is an older entry form). An email address is required on the entry form in this case. Before applying for a TCN online, exhibitors are encouraged to

check their dog's profiles to determine if the CKC has already created a TCN for that dog. There will be a tab called TCN Dogs in the owner's Portal account.

* If your dog does not have a registration number or ERN and has already competed in a CKC event and earned points, scores or awards, there is no need to apply for a TCN. The CKC will update its records accordingly.

GENERAL INFORMATION

THE PRECINCTS OF THE TRIAL WILL BE THE SHOW BUILDING AND ENTRANCE. The show premises will be **opening at 7:30 am each day. The Trial Judging will start at 9:00am** unless entries warrant an earlier start. Judging schedule and identification will be mailed/mailed as soon as possible after the entry closing date. The Cobequid Dog Club will use care and diligence for the welfare of the dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume liability in the event of an accident or other misfortune to dogs, exhibitors or patrons. Judging will not be delayed to accommodate an exhibitor or handler who fails to have his/her dog in the ring when required. The Show Superintendent will be in full charge of the trials. Exercise pens will be restricted at the discretion of the Show Superintendent. **Only dogs entered in the show are permitted within the show precincts please.** If because of; an act of God, riot, civil disturbance, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations, or decree, or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the CDC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows/Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.

CLASSES

RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIAL OFFICIAL CLASSES: The following CKC official classes will be provided: Novice A, Novice B, Intermediate, Advanced A, Advanced B, Excellent A, Excellent B Master

Please ensure jump heights are indicated on entry form for Advanced & Excellent.

EXHIBITORS ARE EXPECTED TO KNOW THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR DOG SHOWS, OBEDIENCE AND RALLY TRIALS. BOOKLETS ON DOG SHOW, OBEDIENCE AND RALLY TRIAL RULES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE C.K.C. or on the C.K.C. website

EVENT REGISTRATION NUMBER (ERN)

All dogs that are foreign born and foreign owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC events will require an Events Registration Number (ERN).

To obtain an ERN number simply does the following:

1. Send a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate reflecting current ownership, for example AKC Registration Certificate with a written request for an ERN number.
2. Include with the above a cheque or money order in the amount currently required payable to the Canadian Kennel Club.
3. Ensure that you provide us with your full return address to enable the ERN number to be sent to you.
4. Faxed requests will be accepted. Please indicate your Visa/MasterCard number expiry date, cardholders name and signature.

This Event Registration Number MUST be applied for within 30 days of the first day of entering a CKC event. Dogs may be entered as "LISTED", however, failure to apply for an ERN number within 30 days will result in cancellation of any wins, awards or scores.

Please forward your request to:

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB, Shows and Trials Division
200 Ronson Drive, Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9

Ph :(416) 675-5511 Fax: (416) 675-6506

ATTENTION ALL CANADIANS WHO ARE NOT CKC MEMBERS

Effective January 1, 2011, the CKC has instituted an annual Non-Member Participation Fee for awards and titles for a CANADIAN non-member of the CKC. These fees apply only to dogs wholly owned by a non-CKC member and are not applicable to CKC members. Non CKC member participants must either purchase a CKC membership or pay the non-member participation fee within 30 days of notification or the CKC will cancel any awards and titles. More information, and application forms can be downloaded from the CKC website: <http://www.ckc.ca>.

IMPORTANT REMINDER:

All exhibitors will be responsible for the clean up of their own dogs or dogs they are handling anywhere on the show site and surrounding areas.

COVID-19 EVENT PROTOCOLS

Competitor Trial Checklist (beyond the Usual)

- Face Mask - all Competitors must provide their own
- Hand Sanitizer

Prior to the Trial

- Socialize dog to people in Face Mask & the scent of Hand Sanitizer
- All entries are to be done electronically, as much as possible. You can enter via Entry-line, or if unable to do an electronic entry, Cash/Cheque Entry fees are to be placed in a plastic bag and attached to the entry form for presentation to the Show Secretary.

Upon Arrival at the Trial

- Call (or Text) the Show Secretary to let them know you have arrived. You can get your armbands & elastics delivered to your vehicle, or you will be asked to line up outside (without your dog & wait to come into the building) while maintaining social distancing of 2m in the designated line up area. No more than 2 competitors will be allowed inside the Lobby at a time.
- In the Lobby area, the Show Secretary will be masked, & behind a sneeze guard
- Scheduling will be done to ensure that there will be no more than the government mandated limit number of people on the show site at any time. To that end, there should only be **one person per dog on site.**
- Competitors have the option of receiving either an electronic or hard copy of their scoresheet - please inform the Trial Secretary when you arrive at the event which you would prefer and provide an email.
- Hand Sanitizer is to be used on entering & exiting the building in addition to when necessary, on the show site.

Within the Building

- There will be multiple hand sanitizer stations on-site. Although hand washing is preferable, hand sanitizer can be used if hands are not visually dirty. Hand sanitizer will be at the entrance to building and at the ring table. It will be expected that whenever entering or exiting the building, people will hand sanitize as per facility protocols.
- The 'Door Steward' will be the only person opening/closing the manual door into the Inside Arena & should also wipe off high touch areas, such as washroom door knobs, taps and toilet flush between classes.
- Disinfectant wipes are to be used to clean door handles, seats, etc in the washroom facilities after use.

When entering the ring:

1. The stewards will be masked.
2. The judge may or may not be masked.
3. Any judges briefing will be done with social distancing enforced.
4. For Walk-throughs in Rally, competitors will be required to wear a face mask as social distancing cannot be guaranteed. It must be worn properly covering both nose and mouth. Walk-throughs may also be split depending on class size. If split, order will be based on ring order.
5. You will be placing your leash and dumbbell on a tray beside the ring.
6. For Open and CDI competitors, you will be responsible for getting your dumbbell during your time in the ring. We have asked judges to keep dumbbell exercises sequentially.
7. When leaving the ring, you will wait at a marked area so that the next exhibitor team can enter.
8. Unless NS Gov increases gathering limits, currently there will not be a chance to have someone video you. If you wish to have your run recorded, please ask a member of the trial committee & we will try to accommodate you.

Prizes, Awards & Announcements

- One at a time, Competitors will pick up their awards outside from a masked & gloved Event Official following all COVID-19 restrictions. Competitors have the option of having their scoresheets sent to them electronically instead of receiving the hard copy.
- There will be a private Facebook page where scores will be posted as soon as they are available & other announcements may be made.
- All monetary prizes will be awarded via eTransfer therefore all competitors will need to provide an email address to the Trial Secretary.

This is a self-clean show. Please pick up after your dog! Poop bags and Garbage cans will be provided.

Dogs should arrive in adequate time for their class (allowing for absentees). The club requests that the competitor vacate the trial grounds when class is complete and awards are presented. Competitors can opt to leave as soon as finished if they prefer. If they earned a monetary award, it will be eTransferred to them. Ribbons will not be mailed out.

Masks

Masks **must** be worn correctly when social distancing cannot be maintained. Masks **WILL** be worn during all exercises & at all times within the building by all exhibitors. All participants are to provide their own face masks, the Cobequid Dog Club **will not** have masks available for participants.

Anyone who is not following the Covid 19 protocols as laid out, and is unwilling to follow those rules, even after being reminded, can be asked to leave the premises without refund. The Cobequid Dog Club is trying to be responsible and ensure individuals' safety and those risking others health will not be tolerated.

The Cobequid Dog Club will be following:

- all Federal, provincial and local health rules when holding a trial.

The following are **allowable temporary changes** to the Obedience Rules and Regulations applicable while operating under COVID restrictions.

- The chair where the leash and other equipment is to be placed should be located at a convenient place determined by the judge but can be located in the ring or if not appropriate, just outside of the ring such that the handler can obtain the item without leaving the ring. The chair will be cleaned between exhibitors.
- If a re-throw of the dumbbell is required, the handler should be allowed to ask the dog to stay and the handler will go and pick up the dumbbell and return to where the dog was left. If the dog moves during this process, it will not be judged unless it is out of control
- For the article exercise in Utility, the handler can retrieve the articles to be scented from the article bag and put them on the 'article' chair
- In the Rally Advanced Class, the handler can put the leash in their pocket or hang it around the neck as in the Pre-Novice recall
- The exhibitor may either leave the dog on a sit stay or heel with the dog to the location of the chair to both obtain and return their leash and articles used during the exercises.
- Only those dogs earning a qualifying score will receive ribbons. No awards will be presented in the ring, but will be available at a separate location & be awarded observing COVID restrictions. The Cobequid Dog Club will NOT mail ribbons or awards to exhibitors.

Ring Procedure

In the Novice Intermediate, Open and Utility classes, before the handler enters the ring they shall place the dumbbell, glove and articles on a chair/table in a place designated by the judge until required and upon completion of their routine the handler shall retrieve the dumbbell, glove and articles before exiting the ring. The leash shall be placed by the handler in the same location as the dumbbell, glove and articles once they enter the ring. The handler shall retrieve the leash from the location designated by the judge before leaving the ring.

Exercises and Scores

The judge will post the choice of a Group Sit or Down at least 30 minutes before the start of the class and not more than one hour before the start of the trial in a location available for viewing by all competitors. This location may be inside or outside if the trial is held indoors.

Figure 8 - Pylons will be used for this exercise instead of Ring Stewards

Sit for Examination - The judge will approach the dog (from the side) and touch its head only.

Group Sit or Down Exercise - A dog who fails any of the individual exercises is not eligible to compete

Jumps - The high jump in all classes will be set according to Rally jump heights. There will not be any additional accommodation made for veteran jump height given the lowered levels. The Broad Jump will be spaced to cover a distance equal to twice the height of the high jump

Routines - to be used will be Routine #1 only i.e., the routine used in the A class. CHANGE OF POSITIONS In the 18B class sequence (a) will be used

Articles - for the 'Seek Back' & 'Scent Discrimination' will be visually approved by the judge.

Rally Walk-Throughs - A & B classes of each level will be combined and given a 10 minute walk-through in groups of 10 exhibitors & then each group of 10 will be judged. The next group will then have their walk-through, be judged, etc. until the level is completed. Social Distancing **MUST** be maintained during the walk-through & masks **WILL** be worn by the exhibitors.

Anyone entering with EntryLine will have to sign the Waiver (below) either when arriving at the venue, OR bring with them the Waiver that will be included in the Judging Schedule.

The Cobequid Dog Club will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and participants, but will not be responsible, or assume liability, in the event of accident, or other misfortunes, to either dogs or participants. **The participant shall absolve The Cobequid Dog Club and its members of any liability thereof. In particular, Participants acknowledge that they are taking part in this event with full knowledge of the existence of the coronavirus pandemic and understand and accept that while the Cobequid Dog Club will make all reasonable effort to run a safe event, and will adhere to all Nova Scotia government coronavirus requirements and restrictions in force on the date of the event in doing so, it is impossible to eliminate all risk and by entering and attending the event, the participant accepts the risk of contracting COVID-19 and will absolve the Cobequid Dog Club and its members and Stay N Play Canine Centre of any liability in the event that they test positive for COVID-19 after this event.**

Date:

Signed:

Armband #: