

BEACON AGILITY DOG TRAINING CLUB



VESEYAN SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB

Little Hardwick Road
Streetly
West Midlands WS9 0SQ.

SCHEDULE

of

FLYBALL EVENT

OPEN AGILITY TEST

[held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H and H(1)]

SATURDAY
8th MAY 2004

Show opens: 12.00 pm

Briefing: 12.45 pm

Judging: 1.00 pm

SUNDAY
9th MAY 2004

Show opens: 7.30 am

Briefing: 8.15 am

Judging: 8.30 am

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Traci Gaunt (*Chair*), 8 Locket Close, Old Hall Estate, Bentley, Walsall WS2 0LX.

Barry Anslow (*Secretary*), 14 Greenfield Croft, Daisy Bank, Bilston WV14 8XD.

Jan Webb (*Treasurer*), 1 Driffold, Sutton Coldfield B73 6HE.

Competition Manager: Mark Wassell

ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday, 26th MARCH 2004 (Postmark)

Entries and Fees to:

Beacon Agility Show,

c/o Dog Data, 27 Cinnabar Drive, Sittingbourne, Kent ME10 5LA.

Entry enquiries:

Tel: 01795 599922 — E-mail: dogdata@agility.plus.com

(Phone between 7 - 9pm)

Show Secretary: **Robert Griffiths (01543 675133)**

General Show enquiries before 10.00 pm

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

Sunday, 9th May 2004

AGILITY RINGS WILL HAVE ELECTRONIC TIMING SUPPLIED BY TARYNTIMERS

Ring A

Judge

CLASS

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| 1. | Senior Jumping | Claire Smith |
| 2. | Intermediate Jumping | Claire Smith |

Ring B

Judge

CLASS

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| 3. | Novice Agility | Alan Hale |
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Ring C

Judge

CLASS

- | | | |
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| 4. | Intermediate Agility | Phil Hicks |
| 5. | Midi Agility | Phil Hicks |
| 6. | Mini Agility | Phil Hicks |

Ring D

Judge

CLASS

- | | | |
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| 7. | Midi Jumping | Joy Hitchcock |
| 8. | Mini Jumping | Joy Hitchcock |
| 9. | Midi Jumping Helter Skelter | Joy Hitchcock |
| 10. | Mini Jumping Helter Skelter | Joy Hitchcock |

(The order of classes shown is the probable Running Order)

PAY ON THE DAY WILL BE HELD, TIME PERMITTING

Reserve Judge: Kate Howard

Saturday Ring *[These classes only - Saturday, 8th May]*

Pedigree Crufts **Team Flyball** (Qualifying event) Pat Harte

Y.K.C. Crufts **Team Flyball** (Qualifying event)

(**EXTRA ENTRY FORMS AT:** <http://www.agilitynet.com>)

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 & Registration B. The registration number will be required for each entry.
2. Entry Fees: Agility: £2.00 per dog per class, helping Beacon members £1.00 per dog per class. Flyball: £12.00 per team. Payable in pounds sterling and drawn on a UK bank or postal order.
3. No prize money will be given.
4. The Committee reserve to itself the right to refuse entries.
5. Puppies under 18 calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible to compete for Kennel Club licensed Agility Tests.
6. 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.
7. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
8. No bitch in season is allowed to compete.
9. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
10. Dogs must not wear slip chains, collars or leads when under test.
11. Should a Judge be unable to fulfill the appointment to judge the Committee reserve the right to appoint another Judge.
12. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the Judge or Judges.
13. Sponsors: **Pedigree Masterfoods, Johnsons Veterinary Products, Rosemary Elliot, Young Kennel Club, Panini Espresso, Star Shot.**
14. Kennel Club Standard marking will apply.
15. "Jump" obstacles will have a maximum height as follows: Standard dogs 30 inches; Midi dogs 20 inches; Mini dogs 15 inches.
16. Judges at an Agility Test may not enter for competition a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership; or handle a dog at the Test at which they are judging.
17. A dog shall be withdrawn from competition and removed from the Test if it is:
 - (a) A bitch which is in season.
 - (b) Suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
 - (c) Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
 - (d) Of such temperament or is so much out of hand as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
 - (e) Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.
18. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 19th March 2004 shall be counted when entering for any class.
19. It is the competitors' responsibility to be available for their class and running order.
20. Handlers working more than one dog in a class must ensure that the dogs compete in the sequence in which they are drawn. Failure to do so may result in elimination.
21. Dogs must at the time of entry for competition, be registered as required by the Kennel Club Rules & Regulations in the competitor's name (or registration or transfer applied for). In the case of a partnership the full name of every partner must be given. In the case of dogs recorded as owned by a limited company, the directors and the secretary of the limited company will jointly be considered for the purpose of the Regulations. A dog acquired

subsequent to entry having been made at a Competition may compete as the new owner's property provided that an application for the transfer has been forwarded to the Kennel Club before the Competition, and the new owner has undertaken to abide by the Regulations and conditions of the original entry form.

22. 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 General Committee.
23. Please clean up after your dog and place in bins provided. Anyone knowingly not doing so may be asked to leave the venue and forfeit any remaining class entries.
24. Rosettes and trophies will not be forwarded.
25. In the event of abandonment of the Show through circumstances beyond our control, the committee may defray such expenses from the entry fees to cover the cost of the Show preparation.
26. Refunds will only be made at the Show Committee's discretion.
27. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the judge, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to the Kennel Club.
28. The tests will be held under Kennel Club regulations and Judges will mark tests in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations H and H(1).
29. Practice will not be allowed in any ring before, after or during the test.
30. All dogs will be entered at this Show at their owners' own risk. Whilst every care will be taken, the organisers will not accept responsibility for the loss, damage or injury, however caused, to dogs, persons or property whilst at this test.
31. Adults who accompany children are expected to be responsible for their children's behaviour and actions.

FLYBALL COMPETITION — CRUFTS 2005 *(Supported by Pedigree)*

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. This is a knockout team competition. Two teams will compete against each other on two identical sets of separate equipment. The best two of three runs will decide the winner to go forward into the next round.
2. Each team shall consist of four handlers and dogs plus two reserves.
3. A Club may enter more than one team and a Club may qualify more than one team for the final. No handler or dog can be entered in more than one team.
4. All teams entered in the heats must be from Clubs that are registered with the Kennel Club.
5. All dogs entered in the teams must be registered with the Kennel Club.
6. It is desirable that the team (dogs and handlers) which qualifies for Crufts is the same team which competes at Crufts. Team Captains must notify the Crufts Office of any team changes before the final and the reason for the change.
7. The first and second placed team at each heat will be invited to compete at Crufts Dog Show 2005.
8. At the completion of each heat, the host Club must forward to the Kennel Club details of the first to fourth placed teams. Details required are:
 - a. Name of host Club and date of event,

- b. Team Captain: name, address and telephone number.
 - c. Handler's name and full KC registered name and number of each dog in the team.
 9. **Teams that have qualified for the final will not be able to participate in any further Crufts Flyball heats that year.** This is due to the nature of the competition which is a knockout and it would be unfair for unqualified teams to be knocked out by a qualified team.
 10. Each team to supply their own unpunctured tennis balls. Kennel Club/Crufts type boxes will be provided at the event. Buckled collars must be worn.
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Y.K.C. FLYBALL COMPETITION — CRUFTS 2005

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. This is a knockout team competition. Two teams will compete against each other on two identical sets of separate equipment. The best two of three runs will decide the winner to go forward into the next round.
2. Each team to supply their own unpunctured tennis balls. Kennel Club/Crufts type boxes will be provided at the event. Buckled collars must be worn.
3. Each team shall consist of four handlers and dogs plus two reserves.
4. All dogs entered in the teams must be registered with the Kennel Club
5. All handlers must be fully paid up members of the Y.K.C.
6. Teams may have **one** handler from the 18 - 25 age group. The Team Coach, to assist the team in the ring, may be an adult.
7. All handlers must be from Clubs that are registered with the Kennel Club but a team may consist of members from more than one Club.
8. All handlers must comply with Y.K.C. Regulations as outlined in the Y.K.C. Handbook.
9. It is desirable that the team (dogs and handlers) which qualifies for Crufts is the same team which competes at Crufts. Team Captains must notify the Y.K.C. Office of any team changes before the final and the reasons for the change.
10. The first and second placed team at each heat will be invited to compete at Crufts Dog Show 2005.
11. At the completion of each heat, the host Club must forward to the Y.K.C. details of the first to fourth placed teams. Details required are:
 - a. Name of host Club and date of event,
 - b. Team Captain: name, address and telephone number.
 - c. Handler's name, Y.K.C. number and full KC registered name of each dog in the team.
12. **Teams that have qualified for the final will not be able to participate in any further Crufts Flyball heats that year.** This is due to the nature of the competition which is a knockout and it would be unfair for unqualified teams to be knocked out by a qualified team.

These competitions will all be held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H & H(2). Please refer to current KC Year Book, page 3.119, for specific H(2) Flyball Regulations

N.B. Dogs and handlers may only be entered in one Crufts Flyball Qualifier (i.e. Junior or Adult) at the same event.

❧ PRIZES ❧

~ SATURDAY ~

Flyball: **Trophy** 1st - **Rosettes** to 4th (6 per team)
Junior Flyball: **Trophy** 1st - **Rosettes** to 4th (6 per team)

~ SUNDAY ~

Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd in ALL Classes
Rosettes to 10% in ALL Classes

Rosettes to highest placed Junior (aged 16 or under on the day of the Show) in each Class. It is the responsibility of the handler to inform the Scrimmer of their Junior status. Clear round Certificates will be available if requested from the Secretary's tent.

Midi Tournament:

Perpetual Trophy
Rosettes to 8th

**HOT AND COLD REFRESHMENTS ON SATURDAY & SUNDAY
LICENSED BAR FROM 12.00 NOON SUNDAY ONLY**

Vet. on call:

10.00 am - 12.00 pm — Firstvet, 39 Leighswood Road, Walsall. Tel: 01922 451158

Other times — Northside, 1236 Aldridge Road Tel: 0121 360 6010

Vet. Ambulance will be available if required

Please contact Show Secretary for details

We would like to thank our sponsors:

Pedigree Masterfoods
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Star Shot
Rosemary Elliot

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MOTLIE MIDI TOURNAMENT

RULES

All midi dogs will automatically be entered for the *Motlie* Midi Tournament Trophy presented by Rosemary Elliot.

Dogs must compete in each of the 3 classes to be eligible. Points are imposed as follows:

Placings 1 - 10	points equal to place achieved	(eg. 3rd place = 3 points)
Placings 11 - 30	all receive 20 points	(eg. 13th place = 20 points)
Placings over 30	all receive 40 points	(eg. 33rd place = 40 points)
Eliminations or non-competition	500 points	

The lowest score wins the Trophy for the year. Rosettes to 8th place. In the event of a tie, the score for the Agility class will decide.

ELIGIBILITY OF CLASSES

In the following definitions of classes First Prize wins are those gained at any Kennel Club Open licensed event (i.e. invitation events and special classes excepted).

Agility classes to include contact points and Jumping classes where there are not contact obstacles. With this proviso classes are defined as follows:

SENIOR	Open to dogs having won at least 2 first prizes, one of which must be an Agility Class, at a licensed Agility Test (Elementary and Starters wins excepted).
NOVICE	Open to dogs not eligible for Senior or Advanced.
INTERMEDIATE	Open to all except dogs eligible for Elementary and Starters at a licensed Agility Test.
MINI	Those dogs eligible to compete in competitions for small dogs (Minis) are those measuring 1ft 3ins or under at the withers.
MIDI	Dogs eligible to compete in Midi classes are over 1ft 3ins and 1ft 5ins or under at the withers.

Dogs may only compete over one height classification

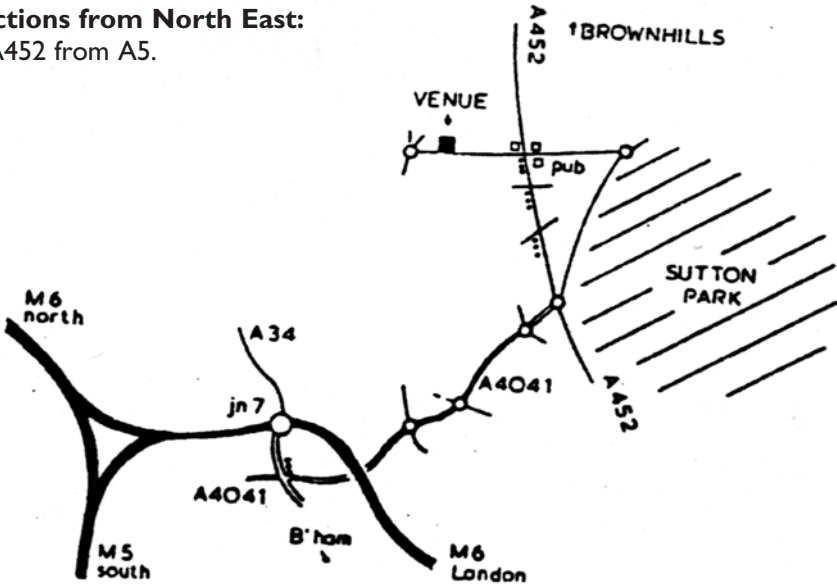
DIRECTIONS

Post Code of venue: **WS9 0SQ**

Turn off the M6 at Junction 7, signposted Birmingham (A34). Head towards Birmingham and at the second set of traffic lights, turn left into Queslett Road (A4041). Continue down Queslett Road until you reach the fourth island. Turn left onto the Chester Road (A452) towards Brownhills. At the third set of traffic lights turn left into Little Hardwick Road. The venue is about half a mile on the right.

Directions from North East:

Join A452 from A5.



**PLEASE RESPECT THE VENUE
AND PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOGS!**

For Safety's Sake No Practising On the Showground.

THANK YOU

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www.beaconagility.org.uk

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