

**Hosting a BAA Show is Very EASY! & Very Inexpensive !**  
**The BAA is a Non Profit Organisation !**

If you are interested in hosting a BAA show in your area please feel free to contact us.

We will provide as much advice and assistance as required by the organiser.

For more information please contact June: British Agility Association  
C/o 54 Ferneley Crescent Melton Mowbray Leicestershire LE13 1RZ  
Tel. No. 01664 500327 Email: [June@baa.uk.net](mailto:June@baa.uk.net) Website:  
<http://www.baa.uk.net>

**Further Dates for BAA Shows**

March 7<sup>th</sup> 2010 Tailwaggers W3 Cheshire  
March 13<sup>th</sup> 2010 EMDAC W2 at Arena UK Grantham  
March 27<sup>th</sup> 2010 Beach-Side W4 Gt Yarmouth  
April 18<sup>th</sup> 2010 Tailwaggers W4 Cheshire  
April 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> EMDAC Asfordby  
May 22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> 2010 EMDAC at Asfordby  
June 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> MCCS at Chesterfield  
June 12<sup>th</sup> /13<sup>th</sup> 2010 EMDAC Asfordby  
June 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> MCCS at "Dogs Unleashed" Bakewell Showground Derbys.  
July 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> 2010 *Midsummer Madness* EMDAC at Asfordby  
August 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup>/30<sup>th</sup> 2010 BAA Finals at Asfordby  
Plus many others to be scheduled.



*The British Agility Association*

*The best of British Agility*

*Considering the long-term wellbeing of your dogs,  
both in Training Methods & Competition.*

***"Beach-Side Dog Agility Club"***



Presents

**BAA GRAND PRIX AGILITY**  
Run to British Agility Association Rules

on

**Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday**  
**1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> May 2010**

At

**Waxham Sands Holiday Park, Warren Farm, Horsey,  
Great Yarmouth, NR29 4EJ Tel:01692 598325**

**Judging Commences 9 a.m.**

**Closing Date: 1<sup>st</sup> April 2010**

**Entry Fees: £2.50 per class**

**Closing Date for entries As stated above or earlier if over subscribed.**

**Show Manager: Sarah King Tel: 01692 403286**

**Email: [Beachsideagility@aol.com](mailto:Beachsideagility@aol.com)**

**Show Secretary: Angela Nichols**

**Send Entries to: "Beach-Side Agility" (May Show)**  
**C/o 54 Ferneley Crescent, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire, LE13 1RZ**

**Show Enquiries: Sarah King Tel: 01692 403286**

**Entries Enquiries: EMDAC Show processing Services**

**Tel No: 01664 500327**

**Email: [June@baa.uk.net](mailto:June@baa.uk.net)**

## **Beach-Side Dog Agility Club**

**Are proud to present our FIVE DAY Agility show for 2010  
All points gained at this show count towards the British Agility  
Association Promotion, League Tables, and Finals 2010.**

### **Help!!!!**

**A condition of entering a BAA show brings a requirement that all competitors give some time, to assist at a ring. It is one of the things you are agreeing to when you sign the entry form. If you do not wish to help then please do not enter a BAA show.**

All competitors will be allocated a time slot when they will be required to make themselves available at a ring. This will be marked on your ring cards. Each ring will have a Ring Manager who will be responsible for allocating tasks and arranging relief so that all can enjoy their dogs. If everyone does their bit, then no one should need to work more than an hour or so! No one is expected to forgo running their dog in the process of helping.

### **British “Dog of the Year”**

The BAA records all results from all shows and compiles performance league tables in the categories of Introductory, Primary, Novice, Graduate, Masters, Perpetual trophies will be awarded to the leading Agility Dog of the Year at each jump height in each category.

The leading dogs & handlers from the tables will also qualify for the BAA Grand Prix Tournament Finals at the EMDAC August Bank Holiday Weekend show. There will separate Finals for Jumping and Agility. At the Finals show there will be a last chance opportunity for all to qualify for the Grand Prix Finals. Perpetual trophies will also be awarded to the Finals winners.

Points are accumulated for performances from all BAA shows during the season including the Winter Series which count towards qualification for the BAA Grand Prix Finals. There are also Trophies for the leading points scoring dogs that will be presented at the Grand Prix Finals weekend.

Pawsability classes will not be included in the points tables or Grand Prix Finals. No points will be awarded for Pairs, Team, invitation, demonstration or non-scheduled Pay on the Day classes. Points will be awarded in all other scheduled classes unless specifically excluded in the show schedule.

## **Entertainment:**

### **Saturday Evening – QUIZ & CHIPS**

### **Sunday Evening – BINGO**

## **CAMPING**

From Friday Onwards

Please book your camping direct with the Campsite

Contact Harry

At

Waxham Sands Holiday Park NR29 4EJ

Telephone: 01692 598325

If you wish to camp together you need to allocate one person to do the group booking decide how many hook-up/non hook-up pitches are required.

## About the venue

The venue is a Holiday Park Available to us off -season.

There are Showers & Toilets.

There is a shop on site selling “those essentials”.

There is no Clubhouse/Bar but a catering van will be on site.

A Marquee will be available for our evening entertainment

Camping is limited to around 200 units & Electric hook up is available to around 96 units (FIRST COME FIRST SERVED)

**BOOKED DIRECT WITH THE CAMPSITE.**

**Please respect the venue to ensure we can use it again! All owners must pick up after their dogs – no exceptions!**

**Parking:** Please park vehicles as directed.

Dogs are permitted on the beach Please pick up after your dogs

## Directions to venue:

A47 from Norwich

Travelodge (Great Yarmouth Acle) A47

At roundabout take the 2nd exit onto the A1064

Bear left onto Main Road - B1152

Turn right onto the A149

Turn left onto Repps Road - B1152

Bear left onto Horsey Road - B1159

Arrive at Waxham Sands Holiday Park B1159

## Vet on call:

Haven Veterinary Centre

Queen Annes Road

Great Yarmouth

NR31 0LE

01493 416700

## Other BAA Leagues include:

### BAA JUNIOR HANDLER LEAGUE

Points from all scheduled JUNIOR HANDLER classes at BAA shows count toward the "BAA Junior Handler of the Year Award" and the Junior Handler GRAND PRIX FINAL.

Separate Classes for:

Under 12's Elementary (*For Introductory & Primary capable Handlers*) (Grade 1, 2, & 3 KC)

12 to 16's Elementary

Under 12's Advanced (*For Novice & Above capable Handlers*) (Grade 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7 KC)

12 to 16's Advanced

### Over 60's Female Handler

(*You need to register to be part of these leagues*)

### Over 60's Male Handler

*See entry form or*

### GUNDOG LEAGUE

*Contact June 01664 500327*

### RESCUE LEAGUE

*Email: [June@baa.uk.net](mailto:June@baa.uk.net)*

Please visit the BAA website at <http://www.baa.uk.net> for further show information, comprehensive on line results service, Schedule & Rules Downloads and much more.

British Agility Association Rules for Agility Competitions apply to these events.

Copies of full show and competition rules available on request on entry form cost £1.00

(Please include an A5 sae) or from the BAA website. [www.baa.uk.net](http://www.baa.uk.net)

The Major differences are:

- Reviewed dog heights
- 4 jump heights with option of veterans etc: to jump at lower jump height. Maximum permitted jump height is 24 ins.
- Dogs may retain their status for the entire show year
- Up contacts of contact obstacles will not be marked.
- There will be no tyre obstacle in any class.
- In Introductory classes, refusals are not marked, **except at the weaves**, and handlers may carry a silent toy in the ring.
- Lower Dog-Walk & A Frame in Veterans.
- No training allowed on the course either before or whilst under test.
- Training aides are not permitted either in or around the rings.

Any dog and handler is eligible to enter BAA shows (though there are some restrictions at the August Bank Holiday Finals Weekend Show). No membership fee or dog registration fee is required. All dogs are automatically registered into the BAA database free of charge when you enter your first BAA show. Your dog will be allocated a BAA registration number which will be on your ring card. **Please make a note of this number** and use it on all future BAA show entries as it greatly assists in processing your entries, and ensures your league points tallies are maintained correctly.

## **BAA Major Competitions**

Seeking the “Best of British Agility Dogs & Handlers”

### **“The British Open Grand Prix Championships”**

Featuring:

The British Open Grand Prix Maxi Championships

The British Open Grand Prix Medium Championships

The British Open Grand Prix Mini Championships

The British Open Grand Prix Micro Championships

This competition is OPEN to all dogs from Primary, Novice, Graduate & Masters levels.

All dogs will compete over the same course with awards & titles to each height.

Maxi, Medium, Mini, Micro.

The FINALS will consist of 1 Agility & 1 Jumping course which will be set at Novice level.

The top scoring dogs from each level/height competing in qualifying classes at the following BAA shows will qualify for the Finals. FINALISTS WILL BE INFORMED

EMDAC April, Beach-Side May, MCCS June, & EMDAC June.

Finalists will consist of 32 Maxi, 16 Medium, 8 Mini & 8 Micro.

Therefore 8 Maxi, 4 Medium, 2 Mini & 2 Micro will qualify from each show.

The Finals will take place at EMDAC show in July at Asfordby Amateurs Sports Club, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire.

#### **Quality Trophies & Rosettes to the Winners.**

### **FEATURING THE “British Trio’s Challenge”**

*(Three dogs of the same height but different levels, individually collect points at BAA shows throughout the season, to then collectively qualify for the British Trio’s finals.)*

**Don’t miss out on this very popular & Unique to BAA, Challenge !**

**Pick up an application form at shows or Download from**

[www.baa.uk.net](http://www.baa.uk.net)

**If you cannot find a Trio then contact June Or advertise/seek on the BAA Discussion Forum.**

## **British Grand Prix FINALS 2010**

Held at Asfordby Amateurs Sports Club

Asfordby Near Melton Mowbray

Leicestershire

### **August Bank Holiday Weekend**

## **Awards**

**Quality place Rosettes & Trophies dependent on entry levels. Clear round Rosettes in all classes where appropriate.**

**Dependent on entry some levels may be combined for awards**

## **SHOW RULES**

**British Agility Association Rules for Agility Competitions** apply to these events. Copies of full show and competition rules available on request on entry form cost £1.00 (SAE Required) or on the BAA website. [www.baa.uk.net](http://www.baa.uk.net)

- 1. Training is not permitted on the course either before or whilst under test**
- 2. Training aides are not permitted in or around the rings.**
- 3. Competitors are required to report for allocated ring duties.**
- 4. The show organiser reserves the right to refuse entries.**
- 5. In the event of over subscription entries may be limited.**
- 6. Competitors enter at their own risk and must sign and date the declaration on the entry form.**
- 7. All participating dogs must be aged 18 months or over.**
- 8. In the unlikely event that any BAA event is cancelled, the organisers reserve the right to deduct unrecoverable expenses incurred before returning entry fees.**
- 9. The show organiser reserves the right to combine/split classes depending on entry levels.**
- 10. Please respect the venue and pick up after your dogs (anyone found not picking up after their dog will be excluded from future BAA shows), and also dispose of all rubbish responsibly.**
- 11. Competitors are solely responsible for ensuring that they are available for their classes.**
- 12. Have fun with your dogs!**

Dogs which currently compete in Grade 4 or above (KC) by virtue of handlers wins with another dog may enter at one level below – PRIMARY.

INITIAL entry levels are:

KC Grade 1	= INTRODUCTORY
KC Grade 2	= PRIMARY
KC Grade 3*	= PRIMARY or NOVICE
KC Grade 4	= NOVICE
KC Grade 5*	= NOVICE or GRADUATE
KC Grade 6	= GRADUATE
KC Grade 7	= MASTERS

\*Grades 3 & 5 have a choice of entry level.

For dogs not jumping their regulation BAA jump height they can be entered in either:

**Pawsability** - for dogs of any age that for whatever reason are not able to jump at their designated jump height as specified in height definitions. Choice of jump height 9, 13.75 or 17.75ins. No dog in this class will be permitted to jump over 17.75ins. This category is designed for young dogs just starting their agility careers and also for dogs that are returning to agility after a layoff from illness/injury. Dogs can enter this class at any time and when ready, return to their appropriate ability level & jump height. It also gives opportunity for veteran dogs to enter at lower height before fully committing to veteran classes.

NB: where Pawsability classes are not available competitors may enter NFC in other appropriate levels.

Or alternatively:

**Veteran** – for dogs of 7 years of age and over. Choice of jump height 9, 13.75 or 17.75ins. No veteran dog will be permitted to jump higher than 17.75ins. Once a dog enters BAA Veteran it will be expected to remain there for the remainder of its agility career and will not be permitted in future shows at Introductory, Primary, Novice, Graduate or Masters.

Status for all BAA shows is that effective at 1<sup>st</sup> October or initial entry level if entering first BAA show after that date. Dogs may retain their status for the entire BAA show season (1<sup>st</sup> October to September 30<sup>th</sup>), if the handler wishes.

BAA will keep a record of results during the season. At the end of season the top performing dogs will be promoted to next level, for the following season.

An ‘On Application’ relegation system also operates to allow dogs to move down the levels. For full details of progression system, please refer to ‘BAA Rules for Agility Competitions & the BAA website.

## Schedule of Classes

Saturday 1st May 2010

1. Introductory Agility
2. Introductory Jumping
3. Introductory Contact Heaven
4. Introductory Up n Under
5. Primary Agility (British Open Qualifier)
6. Primary Jumping
7. Primary Contact Heaven
8. Primary Up n Under
9. Novice Agility (British Open Qualifier)
10. Novice Jumping
11. Novice Contact Heaven
12. Novice Up n Under
13. Graduate Plus Agility (British Open Qualifier)
14. Graduate Plus Jumping
15. Graduate Plus Contact Heaven
16. Graduate Plus Up n Under
17. Veteran Agility
18. Veteran Jumping
19. Veteran Contact Heaven
20. Veteran Up n Under
21. Elementary Junior Jumping
22. Advanced Junior Jumping

Plus Pay On The Day (Time Permitting)

Graduate Plus classes are open to all dogs eligible for Graduate level and above  
i.e. all Graduate & Masters dogs.

*Agility classes have contact equipment, Jumping classes do not.*

Pawsability dogs may enter other classes at any height NFC.

**Class Descriptions:** Judges will provide a more comprehensive description at the show where necessary.

**Contact Heaven.** Contacts on this course will be taken more than once.

**Up & Under** A course comprising of jumps & tunnels

## Schedule of Classes

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2010

23. Introductory Agility
24. Introductory Jumping
25. Introductory Take Your Own Line Agility
26. Introductory Steeplechase
27. Primary Agility
28. Primary Jumping
29. Primary Take Your Own Line Agility
30. Primary Steeplechase
31. Novice Agility
32. Novice Jumping
33. Novice Take Your Own Line Agility
34. Novice Steeplechase
35. Graduate Plus Agility
36. Graduate Plus Jumping
37. Graduate Plus Take Your Own Line Agility
38. Graduate Plus Steeplechase
39. Veteran Agility
40. Veteran Jumping
41. Veteran Take Your Own Line Agility
42. Veteran Steeplechase
43. Elementary Junior Jumping
44. Advanced Junior Jumping

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**Steeplechase** A Flowing Course Consisting of Jumps.

A dog may be entered in ONE height category only, Micro, Mini, Medium or Maxi

*Please check definitions below – you may find your dog is eligible at a different height category than you compete elsewhere. You may also have a choice of height category.*

*Please specify jump height category on the entry form.*

### Micro

For dogs that measure 14in or under at the withers. Jump height will be 9in.

### Mini

For dogs that measure 16in or under at the withers. Jump height will be 13.75in.

### Medium

For dogs that measure over 14in and 20in or under at the withers. Jump height 17.75in.

### Maxi

For dogs that measure over 17in at the withers. Jump height will be 24in.

**Level Classification** A dog may be entered in *Designated* level only, and must be specified in the appropriate box for each dog on the entry form. Levels are:-  
Introductory, Primary, Novice, Graduate, Masters & Veteran.

If you enter at a jump height less than in the size definitions above, you must enter Pawsability where available or otherwise NFC.

**ON THE ENTRY FORM YOU MUST SPECIFY YOUR DOGS BAA REGISTRATION NUMBER – this ensures that your dog is entered at its correct level and it also ensures that your points tally is maintained correctly throughout the year.**

For dogs new to BAA please enter level as follows:

All dogs AND handlers new to agility should enter as **INTRODUCTORY**.  
Handlers with new dogs that have never competed at Novice or above should enter their new dogs as **INTRODUCTORY**.  
For handlers that have competed at Novice or above, their new dogs should enter as **PRIMARY**.

**Dogs/handlers that compete under other organisations are required to make INITIAL entry to BAA shows at the appropriate level as follows:**

**COMPANION DOG SHOW**  
**SUNDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2010**

1. Prettiest Bitch
2. Handsome Dog
3. Best Youngster (up to 18 months)
4. Best Veteran 9 years plus
5. Waggiest Tail
6. Best Rescue
7. Happy Families
8. Unusual Brace
9. Dog the Judge would like to take home
10. Best Overall (not 7,8,9)

**Entries £1.30 POTD (in aid of Air Ambulance) Placing 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in each class**

**Online Running Orders**

**The BAA offer all their competitors the option to download Running Orders, Ring Plans and Show Information for all BAA Shows. Please note that the online running orders ARE NOT SENT BY E-MAIL and are only available via download from the BAA website. The BAA will only publish running orders for competitors who request it. For those wishing to take advantage of our Online Running Orders service, please tick the box on the entry form & do not send an SAE. Please include your Email address. Running orders will be available approximately 2 weeks before each show at [www.baa.uk.net](http://www.baa.uk.net)**

**We value your comments/suggestions. Please take the time to write down any comments/suggestions and hand in at the show.**

**Schedule of Classes**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2010**

45. **Introductory Agility**
  46. **Introductory Jumping**
  47. **Primary Agility**
  48. **Primary Jumping**
  49. **Novice Plus Agility**
  50. **Novice Plus Jumping**
  51. **Veteran Agility**
  52. **Veteran Jumping**
  53. **Elementary Junior Jumping**
  54. **Advanced Junior Jumping**
- **Pay on the Day Game For A Laugh Pairs (Entries for this class will be taken on the Sunday)**

**Novice Plus classes are open to all dogs eligible for Novice level and above – i.e. all Novice, Graduate & Masters dogs.**

*Agility classes have contact equipment, Jumping classes do not.*

**Pawsability dogs may enter other classes at any height NFC.**

*Class Descriptions: Judges will provide a more comprehensive description at the show where necessary.*

*Game For A Laugh Pairs: Two courses to walk, Competitors will draw a coloured ball to determine which course will be taken.*

## Schedule of Classes

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2010

- 55. Introductory Agility
- 56. Introductory Jumping
- 57. Introductory Helter Skelter
- 58. Introductory Snakes & Ladders
- 59. Primary Agility
- 60. Primary Jumping
- 61. Primary Helter Skelter
- 62. Primary Snakes & Ladders
- 63. Novice Agility
- 64. Novice Jumping
- 65. Novice Helter Skelter
- 66. Novice Snakes & Ladders
- 67. Graduate Plus Agility
- 68. Graduate Plus Jumping
- 69. Graduate Plus Helter Skelter
- 70. Graduate Plus Snakes & Ladders
- 71. Veteran Agility
- 72. Veteran Jumping
- 73. Veteran Helter Skelter
- 74. Veteran Snakes & Ladders

**Plus Pay On The Day (Time Permitting)**

**Graduate Plus classes are open to all dogs eligible for Graduate level and above –  
i.e. all Graduate & Masters dogs.**

*Agility classes have contact equipment, Jumping classes do not*

**Pawsability dogs may enter other classes at any height NFC.**

**Class Descriptions:** Judges will provide a more comprehensive description at the show where necessary.

### **Helter Skelter.**

*Helter Skelter is a jumping course based on decreasing or increasing circles*

### **Snakes & Ladders.**

*Snakes & Ladders is loosely based on the board game, is a Jumping class & you have a choice of whether or not to attempt the contact equipment.*

## Schedule of Classes

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2010

- 75. Introductory Agility
- 76. Introductory Jumping
- 77. Introductory Power & Speed
- 78. Introductory Clockwork Tunnels
- 79. Primary Agility
- 80. Primary Jumping
- 81. Primary Power & Speed
- 82. Primary Clockwork Tunnels
- 83. Novice Agility
- 84. Novice Jumping
- 85. Novice Power & Speed
- 86. Novice Clockwork Tunnels
- 87. Graduate Plus Agility
- 88. Graduate Plus Jumping
- 89. Graduate Plus Power & Speed
- 90. Graduate Plus Clockwork Tunnels
- 91. Veteran Agility
- 92. Veteran Jumping
- 93. Veteran Power & Speed
- 94. Veteran Clockwork Tunnels

**Plus Pay On The Day (Time Permitting)**

**Graduate Plus classes are open to all dogs eligible for Graduate level and above –  
i.e. all Graduate & Masters dogs.**

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**Pawsability dogs may enter other classes at any height NFC.**

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### **Power and Speed**

*Is set in 2 sections, an agility section (power) and a jumping section (speed), the power section is completed first and is not timed, then the speed section which is timed. Any fault in the power section equals elimination.*

### **Clockwork Tunnels.**

*Based on the face of a clock, with tunnels acting as the hands & sequences set around the clock face.*