

OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST

ALL-BREED OBEDIENCE TRIALS

ALL-BREED RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIALS

October 31 & November 1, 2020

Unbenched Indoors Unexamined

These events are held under the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club

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The Woof Pack, 1190 Conquerall Mills Rd, Conquerall Mills, Nova Scotia

(Just outside of Bridgewater)

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

NO DAY OF ENTRIES SATURDAY OR SUNDAY

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Entries Close 6:00 pm, Monday, October 19, 2020

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Non Pure-bred dogs are accepted in Obedience and Rally

Please note: This facility is an indoor arena with a dirt floor. It is not heated, so dress for Nova Scotia weather!

JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS:

SATURDAY, October 31, 2020

OBEDIENCE (AM) Diane Hiseler, 127 Saywood Dr, Bible Hill, NS B6L 4H1

Pre-Novice, Novice A, B, C & Novice Inter., Open, HA & HB, 18A & 18B, Utility A & B

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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.

Payment by Cash, Cheque or Money Order - Payable to Rottweiler Club of Canada

Entry per Dog per Trial - \$28.00 Entry per RAE/RMX/OTCHX/MOTCH Dog per Trial - \$50.00 Exhibition Only per Dog per Day - \$10.00 TCN Fee per Trial - \$11.50 Catalogue - \$8.00

Please Note: Credit Card payments accepted ONLY through DogShow.Ca

No post-dated cheques accepted. All NSF cheques will be subject to a charge of \$25.00. N.S.F. cheques are considered non-payment of entry fees and are punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards. All fees must be paid before the show.



Attention USA exhibitors: Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted, however, they are to be payable in Canadian funds.

A copy of the Rules pertaining to Dog Shows & Obedience Trials is available from the Canadian Kennel Club. Each exhibitor is responsible for knowing and complying with the rules of the Canadian Kennel Club regarding their events.

A judge officiating at a show shall not be subject to indignities of any kind during the progress of the Trials and it is the duty and obligation of the show-giving club to see that this rule is effectively carried out. (Dog Show Rules, Sec. 4.1.3)

No person my approach a judge either directly or otherwise, orally or in writing, to favour his entry. Disciplinary action will be taken against any person who violates this rule or against a judge who fails to report any contravention of this rule to the CKC within 14 days of the act. (Dog Show Rules Sec. 4.1.6)

ENTRY INFORMATION

- **1.** If entering the same dog in Obedience, Rally or exhibition only, please use a separate entry form for each class.
- 2. An INCOMPLETE ENTRY FORM WILL BE RETURNED. Please ensure that your postal code is included.
- **3.** Exhibitors must abide by the errors made when making the entry, regardless how or who made the entry.
- **4**. An entry will not be accepted unless accompanied by the required fees.
- 5. The Rottweiler Club of Canada reserves the right to reject any entry subject to CKC rules.
- **6.** Only dogs, which are eligible for registration or are registered by the CKC, may be entered in these Trials.
- **7.** Overpayment of entry fees up to a maximum of \$5.00 will be considered a donation to RCC Trophy Fund.
- 8. The Exhibitor is responsible for knowing and complying with the Dog Show Rules of the CKC.
- 9. There will be no prong or spike collars permitted at this venue.
- **10**. Obedience/Rally Trials 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/Rally competition providing the transfer was submitted to the Trial secretary, **IN WRITING** by the owner or handler, one hour prior to the start of the next trial, trial schedule permitting.
- **11.** 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 RCC, it is impossible to open or complete the 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.

* 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/emailed as soon as possible after the entry closing date. The Rottweiler Club of Canada 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.**

CLASSES

OBEDIENCE TRIAL OFFICIAL AND NON-OFFICIAL CLASSES: Pre-Novice, Novice A, Novice B, Novice C, Novice Intermediate, Open A (H & 18), Open B (H & 18), Utility A, Utility B

Please ensure jump heights are indicated on entry form for Open & Utility.

RALLY OBEDIENCE TRIAL OFFICIAL CLASSES: 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.

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 Event Registration Number (ERN).

To obtain an ERN number simply do 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 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.
- 5. This Event Registration Number MUST be applied for within 30 days of the first day of entering a CKC event. 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

- Face Mask all Competitors must provide their own
- Hand Sanitizer
- Entries are encouraged to be done electronically if possible. You can enter via DogShow.ca

Upon Arrival at the Trial

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.

- 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.
- Competitors will pick up their awards from a masked Event Official following all COVID-19
 restrictions. Competitors have the option of receiving either an electronic or hard copy of their
 scoresheets.
- There will be limited crating space in designated areas indoors clearly marked. Please prebook your space.
- Hand Sanitizer is to be used on entering & exiting the building in addition to when necessary, on the show site.
- The 'Door Steward' will be the only person opening/closing the manual door into the Inside Arena & should also wipe off high touch areas.
- The judge and stewards will be masked.
- Any judge's briefing will be done with social distancing enforced.
- Walk-throughs may also be split depending on class size. If split, order will be based on ring order.
- You will be placing your leash and dumbbell on a tray beside the ring.
- For Open and CDI competitors, you will be responsible for getting your dumbbell during your time in the ring.
- When leaving the ring, you will wait at a marked area so that the next exhibitor team can enter.
- 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. Ribbons will not be mailed out.
- Masks must be worn correctly. All participants are to provide their own face masks, the Rottweiler Club of Canada 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 Rottweiler Club of Canada 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 Rottweiler Club of Canada 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 or Stand 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 participate

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.

VETERINARY CLINIC

South Shore Veterinary Hospital (902) 543-5602 2760 HWY 325 Bridgewater, NS