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Avid Dogs Vancouver Island Classic June 2025!

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OUR ESTEEMED JUDGE: PAULA COLLINS

SCHEDULE OF AGILITY (held under UK Agility International Rules & Regulations)

June 28th, June 29th 2025

Saanich Fairgrounds {Google Map} 1528 Stellys Cross Rd, Saanichton, BC V8M 1S8

-Ring is hard packed sand indoors. 75' X 130'. Spectator Benching Available-

Entries Open: March 14th 2025 Entries Close: June 20th 2025 Limited Trial at 350 Runs/day!

> CLASSES All levels all heights

Pentathlon Gamblers, Snooker, Jumping, Agility and Speedstakes.

Two Speedstakes qualifiers for Pentathalon Speedstakes.

Biathlon Agility and Biathalon Jumping.

Masters Series Agility and Master Series Jumping.

Entry Online at <u>https://www.avidagility.com/</u>

All Payments via Paypal or Credit Card (via Paypal) No Refunds

Competition Manager: France Beckner france@avidagility.com

Trial opens: 7:00am - Briefing: 7:45am - Judging Starts: 8:00am

Trial Site & Information

The show site is indoors on packed dirt. Please bring your own crate, clean up supplies, & water for your dog. We have ample crating in the horse stalls, first come first serve. No crating in the building.

Please note: There will be no spectator chairs in the main arena for seating. Spectator seating in the stands only.

All dogs must be on leash at all times, except when in the ring. Exercise and toilet your dog in designated areas. Please pick up after your dog and use garbage containers on the site. Please be courteous to others using the area. No aggressive dogs.

A warm up jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

Trial Site Rules

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement

This is a NON-SMOKING inside of the building or near the doors.

No alcohol on the premises as per the rental agreement of the facility.

Helpers We are pleased to have a ring crew on stand-by.

Equipment – We are using Plastic jumps, Ascending Spread jump, Broad Jump, Wall Jump, tire and rubberized contacts. Slatted Dog Walk and Slatted Tapered Aframe.

Questions?

Regarding Entries to this show, please contact France Beckner <u>france@avidagility.com</u>

Tentative Event Schedule & Classes

Trials Opens (Friday 5 PM)

- General Briefing (Sat 7:45 AM)
- Judging starts (Sat 8:00 AM)

Saturday Pentathlon Gamblers Biathlon Agility Pentathlon Snooker Pentathlon Jumping Biathlon Jumping Speedstakes 1 (B/N then S/C)

Sunday

Masters Series Agility Pentathlon Agility Speedstakes 2 (B/N then S/C) Masters Series Jumping Pentathlon Speedstakes Final Speedstakes Consolation

Daily Electronic Course Maps Available: 7:30 AM at www.avidagility.com

Camping/RV: ONSITE RV AVAILABLE! Full Hookups or Open Camping

> Hotel info: Waddling Dog Hotel Link Here

Food:

Nothing onsite. Thrifty's Foods for groceries is 5 minutes. Farmers Market onsite Sunday. Eat out at Brewskies Pub, White Spot, <u>The Roost</u> is 5 minutes away.

Directions to the Trial Site

The Saanich Fairgrounds Agriplex. Enter at Gate 6. (Not the main gate) Horse Stall Benching avail.

Bitches in Season -

May run at this trial. To be able to run a BIS, you must immediately tell the trial secretary who will mark BIS on the running orders. The BIS will remain in their running order. If the dog is not wearing BIS pants, they will start on a mat provided by the show. It is the handler's responsibility to ensure the mat is available for their runs. The handler/owner acknowledges the inherent risk of running a dog on an agility course with BIS pants on and assumes all risk by doing so, and the potential risks with slips from starting from a mat. In accordance with UKI Rules and Regulations.

UK Agility International Handler Entry Form TRIAL: Avid Dogs Vancouver Island Classic June 2025!

DATE: June 28th, June 29th, 2025 ONLINE ENTRY ONLY – <u>www.avidagility.com</u> Closing Date: June 20, 2025

YOU & YOUR DOG MUST HAVE UKI NUMBERS TO ENTER. MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNTS MUST BE CREATED ONLINE

Handler Name:	Handler UKI Number:
If handler is different to owner – Please complete next column: Owner name and UKI Number:	
Address:	No. N. M.
City:	State/Province:
Zip/Post Code:	Country:
Email:	Cell Phone:
Total Number of Pentathlon Entries (5 runs)	x \$85.00 CAD
Total Number of Masters Entries (2 Runs)	x \$34.00 CAD
Total Number of Biathlon Entries (2 Runs)	x \$34.00 CAD
Total Number of Regular/Special Entries (2 Rur	ns) x \$17.00 CAD
All Payments must be made via Paypal or with C	redit Card via Pavnal as guest TOTAL FEE

Helpers: Please help at our show?! Care will be taken to allow you plenty of time for your own dogs and to explain to you what your job involves. Available: Saturday Sunday

Helpers Name: _

Preferred Job (s)

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Entry is not valid unless agreement is read and signed. Thank You for your Help!

Terms	and C	onditions	- please	read	page 5
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Please fill out both handler and dog entry forms completely and legibly.

Signature of Exhibitor/Owner or of parent or legal guardian of minor:

Date:

By signing this, I accept and agree to the UK Agility International (UKI), UK Agility Ltd Terms and Conditions when submitting my entry to this trial.

UK Agility International Dog Entry Form Avid Dogs Vancouver Island Classic June 2025! DATE: June 28th June 29th 2025

You must submit the Handler Entry Form (previous page) with the Dog Entry Form

If you supply incorrect information including - Handler numbers, dog numbers, LEVELS, height, your results will be void and a fee maybe applied. So be sure to double check all your details, when completing the entry forms.

Handler Name:	Handler UKI Number:
Dog Call/Pet Name:	Dog UKI Number:
Breed:	Dog DOB:
If handler is different to owner – Please provide o	wner details below:
Owner name:	Owner UKI Number:

If you supply incorrect information including - Handler numbers, dog numbers, LEVELS, height, your results will be void and a fee maybe applied. So be sure to double check all your details, when completing the entry forms.

My dog has a permanent measurement (indicated by an asterisk by their height in my UKI account)

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Class	tick to enter	Fee	Class	tick to enter	Fee
Speedstakes 1		\$17.00	Speedstakes 2		\$17.00

Signature of Exhibitor/Owner or of parent or legal guardian of minor:

Date:

Terms and Conditions You must read and agree to these terms by signing in the box when submitting your entry form

By entering this event, you, as the entrant, acknowledge that you are authorized to act on behalf of both yourself and any other UK Agility International (UKI) members who will participate under your entry and you agree to the following:

1. Assumption of Risk & Liability

The exhibitor/owner certifies that any and all dogs brought to the facility, whether participating or not, do not pose a hazard to persons, dogs, or property. The exhibitor/owner assumes full responsibility, liability, and any resulting expenses for any damages caused by their dog(s).

UK Agility International (UKI), UK Agility Ltd, their agents, officers, associates and members shall not be held liable for any loss, injury, damage, claims, demands, or liabilities involving your dog, yourself, or any third-party equipment. You agree to indemnify and hold harmless UKI and its representatives (including the club/group/ trial organizers, show management) from any claims, including legal fees, arising from injury or damages caused during participation in any event or training.

2. Hazards & Safety

The exhibitor/owner acknowledges all potential hazards associated with the training facility, event, and premises, including but not limited to:

The condition of the grounds; Lighting and security measures (or lack thereof); Electrical appliances and fittings; Parking areas and fencing; The potential for a dog to escape from the training or competition area; The presence of unfamiliar animals and people; The presence of other dogs; Agility equipment; Course design and course set up; The possibility of another ill animal or your own getting ill. The exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from any and all of these including allowing their dogs to run wearing collars, stop pad protectors, bitch in season pants, or any similar items.

By entering, you voluntarily assume any and all risks associated with these hazards and any other potential hazards not listed. All participants must exercise caution, monitor their dogs, and clean up after themselves and their animals.

3. Conduct & Enforcement

UK Agility International reserves the right to:

- Excuse any participant for what it deems excessive harshness toward a dog and for behavior considered aggressive or abusive toward another person or dog.
- **Revoke, suspend, or ban** any entry or membership at its sole discretion if deemed necessary to protect the interests of UK Agility and any of its associates, agents, officers, or members.

Participation in UKI events, including membership, is a **privilege, not a right**. UK Agility International has full authority to impose suspensions or bans without prior notice.

4. Rules & Regulations

By entering, you agree to comply with all UK Agility International Rules & Regulations, including any amendments. Additionally, you confirm that:

- You will not bring any dog that has been knowingly exposed to an infectious or contagious disease within 21 days prior to the event.
- To the best of your knowledge, your dog is not subject to disqualification under UK Agility International Show Regulations.
- You accept full responsibility for you and your dogs' own safety and participation.

UKI CANADA Classic - General Rules

- This event is open to all dogs and handlers irrespective of their level in UKI and their organization affiliation.
- There is no pre-qualification necessary to enter classes.
- There is a separate competition for each jump height.

- Dogs and handlers need to be UKI members. Register online at <u>www.ukagilityinternational.com</u>
- Dogs may only compete in one height throughout the whole event.
- Handlers who are collecting points for Canadian Open Byes, must be the same dog and handler partnership that compete in these events and at the Canadian. Open and must run in the height that the Q's and Byes were gained at.
- A dog may only be handled by one handler throughout the event.
- Classes will be run in strict running order unless otherwise specified. Running orders will be randomly drawn for the first round of each class of Biathlon, Pentathlon and Masters Series Heat.
- Classes will be run under UKI rules and regulations with additional rules detailed below. Any further amendments will be posted and or announced in the event confirmation letter.
- At the event management's discretion, individual runs of the Classic Biathlon or Classic Pentathlon can be entered. Those competitors can compete for a qualifying leg and if clear, earn 4 level points, but they will not be able to earn placement points. They also are not counted in the tournament tallies or given any results placement. If they receive a clean run the dog's result will be recorded as the course time so as no comparison and placement will be made with those entered in the tournament
- UKI reserves the right to rule at the event on anything not covered in these rules. Any amendments to these rules will be announced to competitors either in the confirmation information or general briefings.

Pentathlon Winners – The Winners of the Speedstakes Final from the Classic Pentathlon in each jump height will receive automatic entry into the 2nd Round of the Games Challenge regardless of their Round 1 score, at the 2025 UKI Canadian Open. Winners also receive a bye into Rd 2 of the Canadian Nationals and qualify for the Master's Final at the 2025 UKI Canadian Open.

Biathlon Winners - Winners of the Overall Placement of the Classic Biathlon (without an E in either round) in each jump height will receive an automatic Bye into Rd 2 of the UKI National Championship Class at the 2025 UKI Canadian Open.

Biathlon

- Consists of a Jumping round and Agility round with the results combined.
- Either round can be run first. Running order for second round will be in reverse order of first round results.
- Cumulative scoring; least faults wins with time as tie breaker only, in all aspects of the Biathlon.
- In the event of a tie for the Agility Biathlon Winner, the scores from the Agility round will determine the winner. If there is still a tie, the dogs will compete in a run-off on the last biathlon course.
- Eliminations in first round will still progress to second round, with E's running random in the beginning of the RO for the second round

Pentathlon

- Consists of 4 preliminary classes with points allocated for placements in each class that are combined into one result to enable participation to run in the Final.
- The 4 preliminary classes include: Snooker, Gamblers, Agility & Jumping and are run and scored under UKI Rules & Regulations.
- The Final consists of a Speedstakes course and is run and scored under normal UKI Rules & Regulations.
- The tabulation for each of the 4 preliminary classes is based upon the number of dogs entered within each jump height in each event. The winner of the class (i.e. Snooker) will receive the highest points which is equal to the total number entered in that jump height. Example: If 12 dogs are entered in the 22 inch height then the winner will receive 12 points, 2nd place 11, 3rd place 10 and so on.
- Eliminations (dogs not stopping the timers by going over the finish jump in Gamblers and Snooker) will score 0 points
- Eliminations in Jumping or Agility will score 0 points
- A no show in any of the classes or if any of the classes are run for NFC will result in a loss of eligibility to move onto to the Final, regardless of ranking in the other classes.
- The top 50% from the 4 preliminary rounds will progress onto the Speedstakes Final.
- Dogs with 3 or more 0 scoring results in preliminary classes will not progress onto the Final.
- The bottom 50%, including those that scored three or more zero's, will move onto the Speedstakes Consolation Run that is scored under normal UKI Rules & Regulations.
- A tie at the 50% cut off will round up to move all tied dogs into the Final.
- The running orders for the preliminary classes will be random order.

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Pentathlon continued:

- The running orders for the Final will be reverse order of the combined result of the preliminary score after the 4 rounds. If there is a tie for running order placement, the Agility placement followed by the Jumping placement, followed by the Gamblers placement will determine the running order.
- The running orders for the Consolation run will be in random order and are not strict.

Managing Conflicts for Handlers with Multiple Dogs in Non-Seeded Classes

In the initial classes of each event (non-seeded runs) a random draw will produce the running order. Handlers with more than one dog will have their running orders altered to achieve the following:

• A gap of 10 dogs (9 dogs between their runs) will be created by moving the first-drawn dog earlier in the running order. If this does not achieve a 10-dog gap then the second-drawn dog will be moved down in the running order.

• If there are not enough dogs in the class to achieve the 10-dog gap the biggest gap possible will be created. If this gap does not achieve the minimum 10 dog gap, then a break of 6 minutes will be given. The 6 minute countdown will start as the handler's first dog crosses the finish line; the handler must enter the ring with their second dog before the countdown is complete.

• Handlers with more than 2 dogs will have their dogs split using the 10-dog gap rule. If there are not enough dogs to achieve this, the dogs will be split evenly through the running order and the 6 minute rule will be adhered to. If a handler has dogs in different height divisions, and the 10 dog gap cannot be achieved, the 6 minutes will run through while the jump heights are being changed

Multiple dog conflicts in Seeded classes:

In the seeded classes a handler has earned their running order and the advantage this brings; therefore, their dogs will not be automatically moved to create a gap. Instead, they will be given 5-minute break between dogs. However, a handler may choose to move their first dog to a spot earlier in the running order to create a gap of 10 dogs (9 dogs between their runs). If this is unable to be achieved, the 6 minute rule will be used. A handler must notify the results office within 30 minutes of the results being posted of the previous class in that particular event if they wish to move their running order for the next round. Failure to do so will mean they will be given a 6 minute break. By entering more than one dog in this event, handlers indicate their acceptance to comply with these rules.

UKI Progression Points

Clear rounds in Masters Agility, Biathlon Agility and Pentathlon Agility will count towards level progression for Agility points. Clear rounds in Masters Jumping, Biathlon Jumping and Pentathlon Jumping will count towards level progression for Jumping points. Clear Rounds in Pentathlon Gamblers and Snooker will count towards level progression for Games points. Clear Rounds in all Pentathlon Speedstakes classes, including consolation and final rounds will count towards level progression for Speedstakes points.

All clear rounds will count towards the Bye qualifications for the Canadian Nationals Round 2 bye at the Canadian Open.

About UKI

Speedstakes Titling Program SS Beginners : For dogs that are not eligible for SS Novice, SS Senior and SS Champion levels in the Speed Stakes Program.	International Titling Program Beginners: For dogs that are not eligible for Novice, Senior and Champion levels in the International Program.
SS Novice : For dogs that have gained a minimum of 12 points in the SS Beginners classes. Or a newly registered dog who is eligible for Beginners, but the owner/handler currently runs a Champ level dog in the International Program.	Novice : For dogs that have gained a minimum of 12 points, where 8 of those points must be obtained in agility classes. Or a newly registered dog who is eligible for Beginners, but the owner/handler currently runs a Champ level dog in the International Program.
SS Senior : For dogs that have gained a minimum of 20 points in the SS Novice classes.	Senior : For dogs that have gained a minimum of 20 points in the Novice classes, where 12 of those points must be obtained in
SS Champion : For dogs that have gained a minimum of 36 points in the SS Senior classes.	agility classes, 4 from jumping, and 4 from games. Champion : For dogs that have gained a minimum of 36 points in Senior classes, where 12 of those points must be obtained in agility classes, 12 from jumping, & 12 from games.

AKC/CKC	USDAA/AAC	CPE	UKI International Program	UKI Speedstakes Program
Novice & Open / Intermediate	Starters	Levels 1-4	Beginners	SS Beginners
Excellent	Advanced	Level 5	Novice	SS Novice
Masters	Masters	Level C	Senior	SS Senior
MACH or AG.M.CH	ATCH or ATCHC	N/A	Champion	SS Champion

	UKIJUN	Reference for WAO tryout			
UKI Jump Height **	A-frame Height *	UKI Dog Height	UKI SELECT	WAO tryout height	WAO Height Cutoffs
8 inch	5'3"	12.75" & under	4 (s)	250	320mm (12.60")
12 inch	5'3"	15" & under	8 (s)	300	380mm (14.96"
16 inch	5'7"	17.5" & under	12 (s)	400	440mm (17.32"
20 inch	5'7"	22" & under	16 (s)	500	500mm (19.69"
22 inch	5'7"	Any	20 (s)		
24 inch	5'7"	Any	20 (s)	600	+ 500 (19.69")

Measuring Dogs - Please ensure you understand the new criteria regarding dogs being measured. UKI Rule Book edition 10 If a dog is under 3 and newly registered, a temporary measure or proof of the dog's height must be done by the dog's 3rd trial. A permanent measure must be obtained by a UKI official measurer between 12-18 months after the dog's first/ temporary measure. Any registered dog that only has a temporary measure, must follow the above rule. If a newly registered dog is over 3, they must obtain a measure by an official UKI measurer by their 3rd trial and this measurement will be permanent.

Canadian Open: August 28-31, 2025

Chilliwack Heritage Park, 44140 Luckakuck Way, Chilliwack, BC (hosted by Spitfire Dog Sports) Qualifying period – July 23, 2024, to July 21, 2025

Qualifying scores must be gained in the height you will run at the Canadian Open

The same dog and handler team that gains byes can only run the events at the Open

The Bye Tracker for the 2025 Canadian Open UKI Canadian Open | UK Agility International

WAO tryout: To try out for the 2025 WAO team, you must run the Open events at the WAO height you will be trying out for. WAO questions and information requests need to be directed to the team management, which can be found at Country Managers | World Agility Open

Canadian Masters Series Tournament Rules

The aim of the Masters Series is to encourage more competitive running in UKI classes and improve the overall standard of top level agility. The Masters has been created for dogs and competitors whose goal is to compete at both National and International level.

- The Masters is considered one class made up of 2 rounds: an Agility and Jumping round with results combined.
- Entry open to ALL dogs of all levels.
- Separate competition for each jump height.
- Running order for second round will be in reverse order of the first runs results. If a handler has 2 dogs entered within a jump height, they may move their first dog up so that there are as many dogs as possible between their dogs. If this is not possible, they will receive a 6 minute break. If a handler has more than 2 dogs within a jump height and the entry is not large enough for a large enough gap in between all their dogs, the first of their dogs drawn will be allowed to run in between a jump height change, if a jump height change is available before their height. If it is not, the final decision will be made by the judge and show manager, taking into consideration fairness to the competitor and other entrants in the Masters Class. Day of Entries must run first within the running orders of the first class. The second class must run in reverse order of placing from first class. Handlers must run for competition in both rounds to receive a combined score and be eligible for the Final, awards & prizes. The dog must run in the height that it will compete at in the Canadian Masters Series Final. The same dog and handler must run both rounds. Any extraordinary circumstances to be ruled by UKI.
- Cumulative scoring; dog with the lowest score wins. Faults converted into seconds (5 faults = 5 seconds) and time faults treated the same as course faults but converted on a 1:1 ratio.
- Winners in each height of the Agility round and the Jumping round qualify for the Masters Series Final. Even if an elimination is scored in either round.
- Eliminations will result in 100 faults with a 60-second course time. Therefore, dogs that score 320 cumulative and over will not be placed nor awarded prize money.
- A no-show or NFC in either class will result in a disqualification from the heat and therefore will not be eligible for individual class placement, overall placement or eligibility to qualify for the Final, and will be scored 1000 faults.
- If 1-5 dogs are entered in a jump height 1st & 2nd place from the combined scores of Agility and Jumping rounds qualify for the Canadian Masters Series Final at the Canadian Open. If 6 10 dogs are entered in a jump height 1st 3rd will qualify, above 10; 1st 4th will qualify.
- Prize money to be paid out to at each heat for the combined winners per the prize fund below.
- In the event there is not a monetary winner within a height, the prize money will be sent to UKI to be added to the Masters Series Final.
- Winners (1st place only) Overall of any Canada Masters Series Heat are also eligible to receive a bye into the Masters Series Final at the US Open (Florida). This can only be used at one of the Opens. If going to both events, 2 byes will be necessary.
- In the event of a tie for the combined results, the result from the Agility round will be the deciding factor. If there is still a tie, the dogs will compete in a run-off on the 2nd rounds course. If there is a tie for the Individual class wins, a runoff will be required on that course to determine the winner and subsequent placings.

Entered in height	1st	2nd	Total fund	Fund per	centage
1	\$4.00		\$4.00	100%	
2	\$8.00		\$8.00	100%	
3	\$12.00		\$12.00	100%	
4	\$16.00		\$16.00	100%	
5	\$20.00		\$20.00	100%	
6	\$24.00		\$24.00	100%	
7	\$28.00		\$28.00	100%	
8	\$32.00		\$32.00	100%	
9	\$36.00		\$36.00	100%	
10	\$40.00		\$40.00	100%	
11	\$30.80	\$13.20	\$44.00	70%	30%
12	\$33.60	\$14.40	\$48.00	70%	30%
13	\$36.40	\$15.60	\$52.00	70%	30%
14	\$39.20	\$16.80	\$56.00	70%	30%
15	\$42.00	\$18.00	\$60.00	70%	30%
16	\$44.80	\$19.20	\$64.00	70%	30%
17	\$47.60	\$20.40	\$68.00	70%	30%
18	\$50.40	\$21.60	\$72.00	70%	30%
19	\$53.20	\$22.80	\$76.00	70%	30%

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BY ENTERING UKI EVENTS, COMPETITORS AGREE TO the following, and the terms and conditions listed on page 5

UK Agility International Rules and Regulations apply to the whole event and all people and dogs must comply with these at all times. As a competitor it is your responsibility to be aware of the rules and regulations as they stand at the time of the show. This show will run under the current edition UK Agility International rules found on the UKI web page. Each competitor acknowledges through their entry to the UKI event that their participation is a privilege and not a right.

Competitors through submission of entry acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of **UK Agility International rules and regulations** including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry.

Please ensure to read the **move up rules – section 2.0.** At a UKI trial where the dog is competing for more than one day and the dog completes the requirements for a level on a prior day, they must move up the following day.

All dogs and handlers must be registered with UK Agility International to compete. UK Agility International's official rules & regulations are available to view free from the UKI web page. If you or your dog is not already registered, please register online at www.ukagilityinternational.com

All dogs are entered at this show at their owners' risk and whilst every care will be taken the show management and UKI will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury however caused to dogs, persons or property while at the UKI event.

Dogs under 18 calendar months of age on the day of the Show are not eligible to compete in UKI Trials, with the exception of dogs over 15 calendar months of age eligible to compete in Nursery Classes & Speedstakes classes.

A dog shall be withdrawn from competition without refund if it is: suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, interfering with the safety of any person or other animal or if it is likely to cause itself damage or its welfare is in danger if it continues competing.

It is expressly understood that competitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs, children and guests. Any competitor whose dogs, children, or guests create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior, will at the discretion of the show management, be asked to remove the offending dogs, children, guests from the event grounds. Any competitor or competitor's dog that is dismissed from the show by the judge and or show manager in accordance with UKI rules and regulations will have no recourse to any refund of fees paid such as entry fees, camping fees, crating fees and any other fees associated with the event.

It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order. 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 will result in elimination.

Dogs left in hot cars, or dogs appearing to be in distress, will be dealt with as seen fit by the Show Management.

Should a judge be unable to fulfill the appointment to judge, the show management reserves the right to appoint another judge. Should circumstances so dictate the show manager, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to UK Agility International. In the event of abandonment of the show through circumstances beyond our control, the SHOW MANAGEMENT may defray such expenses from the entry fee to cover the cost of the show preparation. These accounts will then be made public.

Rules of Conduct:

UKI promotes dog agility pursuant to regulations consistent with international standards as a competitive, spectator sport. All competitors, officials, and event personnel shall conduct themselves in a professional and sportsmanlike manner consistent with the foregoing statement of purpose and seek to uphold, and enhance where possible, the image of the sport and UKI through such conduct and actions including on social media platforms.

By virtue of their entry, competitors acknowledge and agree to comply with all UKI rules and regulations and agree to accept any sanctions that are imposed for failure to comply. The judge has responsibility for determining when it is appropriate to excuse a dog and competitor from the ring. The show officials have responsibility for determining when an infraction should result in a verbal warning, written warning and/or expulsion of a competitor, dog, or any person from the

event by conducting the procedure outlined in the UKI rule book. UKI head officials, through further investigation, may impose sanctions including suspension or expulsion from future events.

The following is a partial list of infractions on which the judge or trial officials will take action: Abuse of a dog on the grounds; actions that may have the appearance of abuse of a dog; willful misconduct or interference with a competitor's right to show; any acts of poor sportsmanship; violation of procedural rules; compulsive, correctional training on the grounds; willful misrepresentation on entry forms; willful misrepresentation of animals; dog aggression; failure to exercise diligence in the control of the behavior of their dog including a dog clearly not under the control of the handler; concerns for the welfare of a dog or who is unfit for competing; intimidation and/or impolite confrontation of judges, event officials, event helpers, or other competitors; creating excessive delays as a failure to respect the authority of event officials.

Social Media Conduct

Cyber bullying of any kind towards UKI, trial management & staff, competitors, judges, helpers or volunteers will not be tolerated. Examples of cyber bullying include but are not limited to, communications that seek to intimidate, manipulate, falsely discredit, put down, try to control, rudely confront, demand, and comments that try to incite further issues. Further, UKI is committed to maintaining an environment that is built on mutual respect and is free from racism, discrimination and harassment. In keeping with this goal, any behavior that is hateful towards race, color, religion, creed, national origin or ancestry, ethnicity, sex, and gender will not be tolerated. Any of these cases may sanction removal from all associated social media pages and even lead to expulsion of UKI events and even further expulsion of organization membership.

Refund and Entry Cancellation Policy

Entries will not be accepted, changed, or altered after the closing date or capping level has been reached except for the purpose of moving to a higher level. A full refund is available for any membership that is not older than 14 days from the date of account creation. A full refund is available before the closing date or capping level is met for any show. There will be no cost if refund money is to be left in your UKI account. If a refund is requested, a 5% administration fee for a credit card refund will be assessed, per transaction. *After the closing date, a partial entry may be available for extraordinary circumstances, but this lies with the individual show management based on their own policies. Contact the show management for details, NOT UKI.*

Payment of entry fees and Instant Account Top up Fees must be made directly to the UKI member account or directly to the trial before a competitor may compete. PLEASE BE AWARE – at the closing date of entries, If you are paying by check, your account balance under "My Account" will show as \$0.00 USD. A note will confirm that you are paying the trial directly. This enables you to enter and pay for other trials online. If you have a \$0.00 USD zero balance display on your UKI Home page, it does not constitute a cancelled entry. Only you are responsible to cancel your entry online by going back into the show you entered and clicking CANCEL MY ENTIRE ENTRY. UKI will not cancel any entries. If in doubt, you must check your entries from the My Entries link as well as reviewing your account transactions. If you have not cancelled your entry as above before the closing date, you are still responsible to pay the entry fee.

Additional administration charges may be imposed to a member's account due to negligence that result in administration time to correct. Possible infractions, not limited to, are submitting incorrect trial entry information, including incorrect handler and dog number, creating duplicate membership or dog accounts and late payment fees. Charges are based on an hourly rate of \$20 per hour.

Media & Sponsor Rights Release

Through the entry into this event, all competitors grant to UKI and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future. Further, I hereby release UKI and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right. Sponsors of UKI events may email entrants with their product and or service information. If a competitor does not wish to receive emails from these sponsors, they must email the show management before the close of the trial entry date to declare this, ensuring they receive a receipt email that this information has been received by the trial management.