



Ayrshire Dog Agility Club



SCHEDULE OF OPEN AGILITY SHOW

Held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H & H(1) and licensed by The Scottish Kennel Club

Rozelle Estate, Monument Road, Ayr, KA7 4NQ

Saturday 12th - Sunday 13th September 2026

Show Opens: 7:30am Briefing: 8:15am Judging Starts: 8:30am

The officers and committee members of the society / or the licensee holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the rules and regulations of The Royal Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation H31. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members, or the licensee, accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS SHOW WILL ACCEPT ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY		
Show Secretary	Sheryl Cuthbertson, Tel: 07974073280. Email: sheryl.cuthbertson6@gmail.com	
Show Manager	Sarita Taggart	
Online Entries <u>only</u> , via:		This show will be using 'Showtime Ring Master'. This system provides live show data via the Showtime app when loaded to your chosen device. Load the app at app.showtime-online.co.uk and download to your home screen, login using your usual showtime login credentials. Results will be made publicly available and the organisers may share results with third parties
Competitors are advised that the show organisers or their authorised agents may make results from this show publicly available and share results with third parties for the same purpose.		
Fees:	£5.00 per dog per single class entry. Members - Free	
Camping:	£22.00 for the weekend (2 nights – Friday and Saturday Night) + 2 days facilities charge	
Day Parking:	£1 per account holder per day facilities charge	

Equipment supplied by Scottish Agility Hires, contacts will have a rubber surface

Timing supplied by *ShowTIME-Integrated*

Grade changes and Entry enquiries to: admin@showtime-online.co.uk

Telephone: 01387 375955, no calls after 9pm please.

All grade changes received by email will have receipt confirmed.

General show enquiries: sheryl.cuthbertson6@gmail.com

Entries close: Monday 10th August 2026

All wins up to 25th August 2026 count for grade changes at this show

Please advise by 29th August 2026

All grade changes received by email will have receipt confirmed.

Veterinary Support: Armour Vet Group
Further details on Page 7 of schedule

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

SATURDAY 12th SEPTEMBER 2026
Dogs entered in maximum 4 classes per day

Class	Size	Description	Graded/ Combined	Grades								Judge
1	Large	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded	1	2							Edita Uherkovichova
2	Large	Jumping	Graded	1	2							Jill Davidson
3	Large	Agility	Combined	1	2							Aileen Elms
4	Large	Jumping	Combined	1	2							Donna Nixon
5	Large	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded			3	4					Peter Dall SNR
6	Large	Jumping	Graded			3	4					Jill Davidson
7	Large	Agility	Combined			3	4	5				Edita Uherkovichova
8	Large	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5				Aileen Elms
9	Large	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded					5	6	7		Peter Dall SNR
10	Large	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7		Jill Davidson
11	Large	SADOTY Agility	Combined						6	7		Edita Uherkovichova
12	Large	Jumping	Combined						6	7		Donna Nixon
13	Intermediate	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded	1	2							Edita Uherkovichova
14	Intermediate	Jumping	Graded	1	2							Jill Davidson
15	Intermediate	Agility	Combined	1	2							Aileen Elms
16	Intermediate	Jumping	Combined	1	2							Donna Nixon
17	Intermediate	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded			3	4					Peter Dall SNR
18	Intermediate	Jumping	Graded			3	4					Jill Davidson
19	Intermediate	Agility	Combined			3	4	5				Edita Uherkovichova
20	Intermediate	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5				Aileen Elms
21	Intermediate	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded					5	6	7		Peter Dall SNR
22	Intermediate	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7		Jill Davidson
23	Intermediate	SADOTY Agility	Combined						6	7		Edita Uherkovichova
24	Intermediate	Jumping	Combined						6	7		Donna Nixon
25	Medium	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded	1	2							Peter Dall SNR
26	Medium	Jumping	Graded	1	2							Jill Davidson
27	Medium	Agility	Combined	1	2							Aileen Elms
28	Medium	Jumping	Combined	1	2							Donna Nixon
29	Medium	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded			3	4					Peter Dall SNR
30	Medium	Jumping	Graded			3	4					Donna Nixon
31	Medium	Agility	Combined			3	4	5				Edita Uherkovichova
32	Medium	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5				Aileen Elms
33	Medium	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded					5	6	7		Peter Dall SNR
34	Medium	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7		Jill Davidson
35	Medium	SADOTY Agility	Combined						6	7		Edita Uherkovichova
36	Medium	Jumping	Combined						6	7		Donna Nixon
37	Small	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded	1	2							Peter Dall SNR
38	Small	Jumping	Graded	1	2							Jill Davidson
39	Small	Agility	Combined	1	2							Aileen Elms
40	Small	Jumping	Combined	1	2							Donna Nixon
41	Small	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded			3	4					Peter Dall SNR
42	Small	Jumping	Graded			3	4					Donna Nixon
43	Small	Agility	Combined			3	4	5				Edita Uherkovichova
44	Small	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5				Aileen Elms
45	Small	Agility (SDC Pts)	Graded					5	6	7		Peter Dall SNR
46	Small	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7		Jill Davidson
47	Small	SADOTY Agility	Combined						6	7		Edita Uherkovichova
48	Small	Jumping	Combined						6	7		Donna Nixon
49	LIMS	Special Junior Agility	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		Aileen Elms
50	LIMS	Special Junior Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		Jill Davidson
51	LIMS	Special Anysize Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		Aileen Elms
52	LIMS	Special Veteran Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		Aileen Elms

SUNDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2026
Dogs entered in maximum 4 classes per day

Class	Size	Description	Graded/ Combined	Grade							Judge
53	Large	Agility	Graded	1	2						Chloe Samantha Brown
54	Large	Jumping	Graded	1	2						Peter Dall JNR
55	Large	Agility	Combined	1	2						Aleshia McLauchlin
56	Large	Jumping	Combined	1	2						Paul MacKay
57	Large	Agility	Graded			3	4				Steve Pegram
58	Large	Jumping	Graded			3	4				Peter Dall JNR
59	Large	Agility	Combined			3	4	5			Chloe Samantha Brown
60	Large	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5			Aleshia McLauchlin
61	Large	Agility	Graded					5	6	7	Steve Pegram
62	Large	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7	Peter Dall JNR
63	Large	Agility	Combined						6	7	Chloe Samantha Brown
64	Large	Jumping	Combined						6	7	Paul MacKay
65	Intermediate	Agility	Graded	1	2						Chloe Samantha Brown
66	Intermediate	Jumping	Graded	1	2						Peter Dall JNR
67	Intermediate	Agility	Combined	1	2						Aleshia McLauchlin
68	Intermediate	Jumping	Combined	1	2						Paul MacKay
69	Intermediate	Agility	Graded			3	4				Steve Pegram
70	Intermediate	Jumping	Graded			3	4				Peter Dall JNR
71	Intermediate	Agility	Combined			3	4	5			Chloe Samantha Brown
72	Intermediate	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5			Aleshia McLauchlin
73	Intermediate	Agility	Graded					5	6	7	Steve Pegram
74	Intermediate	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7	Peter Dall JNR
75	Intermediate	Agility	Combined						6	7	Chloe Samantha Brown
76	Intermediate	Jumping	Combined						6	7	Paul MacKay
77	Medium	Agility	Graded	1	2						Steve Pegram
78	Medium	Jumping	Graded	1	2						Peter Dall JNR
79	Medium	Agility	Combined	1	2						Aleshia McLauchlin
80	Medium	Jumping	Combined	1	2						Paul McKay
81	Medium	Agility	Graded			3	4				Steve Pegram
82	Medium	Jumping	Graded			3	4				Paul MacKay
83	Medium	Agility	Combined			3	4	5			Chloe Samantha Brown
84	Medium	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5			Aleshia McLauchlin
85	Medium	Agility	Graded					5	6	7	Steve Pegram
86	Medium	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7	Peter Dall JNR
87	Medium	Agility	Combined						6	7	Chloe Samantha Brown
88	Medium	Jumping	Combined						6	7	Paul McKay
89	Small	Agility	Graded	1	2						Steve Pegram
90	Small	Jumping	Graded	1	2						Peter Dall JNR
91	Small	Agility	Combined	1	2						Aleshia McLauchlin
92	Small	Jumping	Combined	1	2						Paul MacKay
93	Small	Agility	Graded			3	4				Steve Pegram
94	Small	Jumping	Graded			3	4				Paul MacKay
95	Small	Agility	Combined			3	4	5			Chloe Samantha Brown
96	Small	Jumping	Combined			3	4	5			Aleshia McLauchlin
97	Small	Agility	Graded					5	6	7	Steve Pegram
98	Small	Jumping	Graded					5	6	7	Peter Dall JNR
99	Small	Agility	Combined						6	7	Chloe Samantha Brown
100	Small	Jumping	Combined						6	7	Paul MacKay
101	LIMS	Special Junior Agility	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Aleshia McLauchlin
102	LIMS	Special Junior Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Peter Dall JNR
103	LIMS	Special Veteran Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Aleshia McLauchlin
104	LIMS	Special Anysize Jumping	Combined	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Aleshia McLauchlin

PROPOSED ORDER OF CLASSES

SATURDAY				
Ring 1 Edita Uherkovichova	Ring 2 Peter Dall Snr	Ring 3 Jill Davidson	Ring 4 Donna Nixon	Ring 5 Aileen Elms
47	37	50	42	27
35	25	38	30	3
23	45	26	40	15
11	33	2	28	39
19	9	14	4	49
43	21	34	16	8
7	17	46	36	32
31	5	22	48	44
13	29	10	24	20
1	41	18	12	52
		6		51

SUNDAY				
Ring 1 Chloe Brown	Ring 2 Steve Pegram	Ring 3 Peter Dall Jnr	Ring 4 Paul Mackay	Ring 5 Aleshia McLauchlin
99	89	102	94	79
87	77	90	82	55
75	97	78	92	67
63	85	54	80	91
71	61	66	56	101
95	73	86	68	60
59	69	98	88	84
83	57	74	100	96
65	81	62	76	72
53	93	70	64	104
		58		103

Reserve Judges:

Clare Arundale and Angela Cairns

ELIGIBILITY FOR CLASSES

In the following definitions of classes 1st prizes or other prize wins are those gained in standard classes at any Kennel Club licensed championship agility, premier agility, open agility or limited agility shows (i.e. special classes and invitational events excepted).

Standard classes may be scheduled for agility shows, as Agility classes or Jumping classes. All standard classes must contain the weaving poles obstacle. Standard Agility classes must contain the following elements: "A Ramp", Dog Walk and See-Saw. With this proviso classes are defined as follows:-

A maximum of 4 standard classes may be scheduled for any dog on an individual day of competition including a maximum of 2 graded classes. Any number of special classes may be scheduled.

Class Structure. A class may either be held as a graded class or a combined class. A graded class may be scheduled for a maximum of 3 consecutive grades with separate results and awards issued for each grade. A combined class may be scheduled for more than one consecutive grade with one overall set of results.

A class will be won by the dog that has completed the course in the fastest time with the least number of faults, unless otherwise stated for special classes.

Progression. Progression from each grade will be determined by the eligibility for the class as referenced in H(1)(A)11. Results from combined classes will only count towards progression from the dog's current grade.

To count for progression wins must be gained in standard classes at Kennel Club licensed agility shows.

Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Competitors will be allowed to walk the course set at small, medium, intermediate or large height without their dog(s) before the class begins.

Points Progression. At the handler's discretion a dog may progress up to grade 4 by winning 100 points at each grade, using the Agility Warrant points scheme (Regulation K3.d refers). A minimum of 50 points must be gained in agility (not jumping) classes in the relevant grade. If this method of progression is selected, the handler must ensure the show secretary signs the dog's Agility Record Book at the first show entered at the higher grade. There is no time limit on this progression, however once a dog has progressed, it cannot return to a previous grade.

Progression on points must be done prior to the closing date of entries. It is not possible to change a grade on points once the entries have closed.

STANDARD CLASSES

Only 1st prizes and points gained in standard classes at Kennel Club licensed agility shows may be used for progression through the classes. (A dog is only eligible for one grade). In defining the eligibility of the owner or handler for Grade 1, the 2 wins and points progression referred to in the definition apply only to one dog and not an accumulation of dogs.

Grade 1

Open to owners, handlers or dogs which have not gained a minimum of two 1st places at Grade 1 at Kennel Club licensed agility shows, at least one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class. N.B Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1 are not eligible for this class.

Grade 2

Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grade 1 or have elected to progress on points from Grade 1 and are not eligible for Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7.

Grade 3

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of two 1st places at Grade 2 at Kennel Club licensed agility shows, one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class, or have elected to progress on points from Grade 2 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 4, 5, 6 or 7.

Grade 4

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of three 1st places at Grade 3 at Kennel Club licensed agility shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping classes), or have elected to progress on points from Grade 3 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 5, 6 or 7

Grade 5

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four 1st places at Grade 4 at Kennel Club licensed agility shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 6 or 7

Grade 6

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four 1st places at Grade 5 at Kennel Club licensed agility shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 7.

Grade 7

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of five 1st places at Grade 6 at Kennel Club licensed agility shows, three of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6.

SPECIAL CLASSES

Societies may schedule classes other than those defined above as “special classes”. The eligibility for “special” classes must be defined by the society and included in the schedule. The word “special” must be included in the title of the class. Where special classes are classified for older and/or inexperienced dogs, the height of the hurdles, the A-ramp, and the dog walk, and the length of the long jump, may be reduced below the dimensions specified in these regulations, in which case such dimensions must be included in the class definition in the show schedule.

Marking for special classes may deviate from marking for standard classes, but must be specified in the schedule. Wins, places and clear rounds in special classes will not count towards agility warrant points or grade progression at Kennel Club shows.

Special Veteran Dog - Dogs must be over 9 years old and not entered in any other class at the show except Anysize. The course will consist of jumps and tunnels only. Large and intermediate dogs will compete with jumps set at medium height. Medium dogs will compete with jumps set at small height and small dogs will compete with jumps set at micro height 400mm, 300mm, and 200mm respectively). Large and intermediate dogs will compete first followed by medium then small. Class awards will be split into height categories. Large and intermediate together and small and medium together.

Special Anysize - Open to any height of dog which are over 18 months old and are not entered in any other class at the show, except Veteran if eligible. The course will consist of jumps and tunnels only. Large and intermediate dogs will compete with jumps set at medium height. Medium dogs will compete with jumps set at small height and small dogs will compete with jumps set at micro height 400mm, 300mm, and 200mm respectively). Large and intermediate dogs will compete first followed by medium then small. Class awards will be split into height categories. Large and intermediate together and small and medium together.

Special Junior Jumping and Agility - Open to any size of dog, however the maximum number of classes a dog can be entered in are 4 per day. Junior handlers must be under 18 years old on the first day of competition. Large dogs will compete first, followed by intermediate, medium then small. Class awards will be split into height categories; Large and intermediate, then medium and small.

General Information

Veterinary Support: Armour Vet Group
Friday 11th September 08:30 to 18:00
Saturday 12th September 09:00 to 12:00pm
Amour Vet Group, 5 High Street, Mauchline, KA5 6AJ, Tel: 01290 550200

Out of Hours: Vets Now
Friday 11th September 18:00 to Saturday 12th September 09:00
Saturday 12th 12:00pm to Monday 14th September 09:00
Vets Now, Kilmarnock Clinic, 21 Hill Street, Kilmarnock, KA3 1HA, Tel: 01563 257114

Hospital

A&E University Hospital Ayr, Dalmellington Road, Ayr, KA6 6DX
For non-critical emergency call NHS 22 on 111 or in an emergency call 999

Equipment

Electronic timing supplied by Showtime - Integrated Timing System
Equipment supplied by Scottish Dog Agility Hires. Rubber contacts will be used.

Camping

Camping is available on Friday and Saturday night for £22. This must be booked and paid for with your entry.
Judges and Scribes camping is free.
Entry to the show ground on Friday 11th September from 2pm.
Exit from show ground within **1 hour** of show closing.
Campers to supply firefighting equipment or a bucket of water outside the tent, caravan or motorhome.
Due to strict guidance from South Ayrshire Council, the toilet block will be locked overnight from 10pm to 7am. Portaloos are available at all times. The water supply is outside the toilet block.
BBQ's are not permitted.
Generators to be switched off by 9pm.
Emergency Contact on site: Sarita Taggart 07767648590 Off site: Lorraine Beaton 07759245960

Dogs

There are no designated exercise area as the show ground is within a public park. There are many dog walking options across the venue.
No training equipment allowed.
The precincts of the show include the camping area, day parking and competition rings where dogs are to be kept on the lead at all times, except when competing. Kennel Club regulations apply to all these areas.

Day Parking

Speed Limit is 5MPH. This will be strictly enforced. If you exceed the speed limit you will be asked to leave the show.

Catering

Catering will be supplied by Darcy's.

Trade Stands

There will be various trade stands at the show. For any additional trade stands who wish to attend, please contact Sharon McCourt on 07872 177137.

Tannoy

A Tannoy system will be used across the weekend. However it will not be in operation until 10am each morning to respect the residents that live in the vicinity. Please refer to the Showtime TV screen and Showtime online for running information.

Judges

Please be reminded to treat judges with courtesy and respect at all times. Intimidation or harassment will not be tolerated. If you have any questions or concerns please approach the judge politely and respectfully at a time that does not disrupt the running of the ring. Lets keep the environment positive for everyone.



SADOTY Qualifier - Scottish Agility Dog of the Year 2027

1. The Scottish Agility Dog of the Year Competition is an annual event organised by The Scottish Kennel Club.

The final will be held at the SKC August Show each year with the winners in each height category being awarded the title Scottish Agility Dog of the Year (height category).

2. Qualification for the final will be decided by an accumulation of points at heats. To qualify for points the dog must have been clear in the class; that is having incurred no course or time faults. Points are allocated in each height category as follows: 1st 8 points 2nd 4 points 3rd 2 points 4th 1 point.

3. To be eligible to compete the handler must reside in Scotland and the dog's owner be resident in

Scotland

whenever points are gained. If the dog/handler are not eligible for points (i.e. they are not both resident in Scotland) then the points will move down the places and be allocated to the next Handler / Dog team who are eligible for points. It is possible for the handler or dog to no longer to be resident in Scotland at the time of the final, they will however still receive an invitation to compete.

4. After the final heat the 12 dogs with the most points in each height category will be invited to the finals by the Scottish Kennel Club. In the event of a draw then additional dogs may be invited. A handler may compete in the final with more than one dog.

5. The finals in 2027 will comprise of a single round of agility with competitors running in reverse order according to the number of points they accumulated to qualify. The finals for the SADOTY 2027 will be held as part of SKC's August Agility Show. To be awarded the title of Scottish Agility Dog the Year the dog must be clear within the course time in the finals.

6. Heats will be held throughout Scotland at Open, Premier or Championship Agility Shows held by RKC registered or listed clubs. To host a heat the club applying must have its main operating address based in Scotland. For SADOTY 2027, heats must be held between July 2026 and July 2027. To be confirmed

7. Heats will be held as a standard scheduled agility class, open to all dogs eligible to compete in that class. The class will be held as a combined or graded 6/7 class. This cannot be a capped class.

8. Handlers and dogs will qualify as a team. A dog may, therefore, collect points with more than one handler and these will NOT be amalgamated. A dog may only qualify for the final with one handler, and the handler with the highest number of points will be invited.

9. Judges will be selected in each heat by the organising club who must be satisfied as to the judge's competency to judge this standard of class.

Showtime Dual Challenge

This is a points based competition. Points will be awarded throughout the year to both competitors and their allocated clubs/training group. The event will be open to dogs of all grades and heights. The results for each class will be awarded points from 10 for first, down to 1 for tenth (if there are 10 non-eliminations). At the end of the season, awards will be made based on the four heights, plus an award to the club/training group that has amassed the most points overall. Please be sure to name your club or training group on your showtime account at the bottom of the Show Entry page when entering the show.

Eligible classes at this show:

Large: 1, 5, 9

Intermediate: 13, 17, 21

Medium: 25, 29, 33

Small: 37, 41, 45

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed agility shows must be registered at The Royal Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B, or else registration or transfer of registration must have been applied for. The registration number/ authority to compete (ATC) number will be required for each entry.
2. All dogs registered and resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club authority to compete (ATC) number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without a Kennel Club registration number or an authority to compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
3. Entry fees are £5 per dog per class. Working club members £0 per dog per class.
4. No prize money is available.
5. Entries can be made online at www.showtime-online.co.uk
6. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
7. Only dogs of 18 calendar months of age and over on the day of competition are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed agility shows.
8. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
9. Not for competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged 12 weeks and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their details recorded on the entry form.
10. A bitch which is in season is allowed to attend a show providing it is kept away from the competition areas. Except those dogs that are attending the show to compete in quarter-finals, semi-finals and finals of Royal Kennel Club Prestige Events, other than events held under YKC rules, who are allowed to compete in these classes only. Qualified handlers are asked to remove their dog from the competition area as soon as they have competed in the Prestige Event.
11. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
12. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the show.
13. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip collar or lead when under test. A single flat, close fitting collar is permitted, providing the only attachment is a plain identification panel as an integral part of the collar i.e. not attached by a ring.
14. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge the committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
15. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
16. No sponsorship.
17. Rule for the Scottish Agility Dog of the Year can be found on page 8 of this schedule.
18. Kennel Club standard marking regulations apply for all standard classes.
19. Special Veteran and Anysize Jumping - Hurdles will be set at Medium 400mm, Small 300mm and Micro 200mm. Large and intermediate dogs will compete at Medium. Medium dogs will compete at small. Small dogs will compete at Micro.
20. The height limit for dogs.
 - a. Large dog classes - For dogs measuring over 500mm at the withers (include only if applicable).
 - b. Intermediate dog classes – For dogs measuring over 430mm and measuring 500mm or under at the withers (include only if applicable).
 - c. Medium dog classes - For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers (include only if applicable).
 - d. Small dog classes - For dogs measuring 350mm or under at the withers (include only if applicable).
21. Judges at an agility show may not judge a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership; or handle a dog at the show at which they are judging. Dogs may be disqualified if proved to have been handled in the class by the scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as the scheduled judge.
22. Removal of dogs from competition:

Following discussion between the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from the Show if it is:-

 - a. A bitch which is in season (apart from dogs attending the show to compete in quarter finals, semi-finals and finals of Kennel Club Prestige Events, other than events held under YKC rules).

- b. Suffering from any infectious diseases 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 control 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.

The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the competition/show Incident Book and submitted to The Royal Kennel Club.

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23. Removal of competitors:
No equipment shall be moved without permission of the judge. Any concerns regarding the course shall be discussed with the judge/show management. Any unauthorised movement of equipment may result in removal of the competitor from the show. All such removals should be reported to The Royal Kennel Club in the Incident Book.
24. Dog agility is a competitive and physically strenuous activity. It is the responsibility of the owner/handler to ensure their dog is 'fit for function' and that they themselves are fit to take part. By signing the entry form you confirm that to the best of your knowledge your dog is fit and able to take part in agility classes on the day of the show.
25. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 18 days before the start of the competition, 26th August 2026, shall be counted when entering for any class. For these purposes a competition shall be defined as all classes covered within the same schedule. In the event that a dog becomes eligible for the next grade at a particular show, after the entry for that show has been sent, it is the competitor's responsibility to notify the show secretary at least 14 days before the date of the show. The dog will then be moved into the appropriate class(es) for the next grade. The dog must be moved into the corresponding number of classes as were entered at the lower grade. If there are fewer or no classes available for the next grade the competitor will be offered a refund of the relevant entry fees.
26. Should circumstances so dictate the society, in consultation with the judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to The Royal Kennel Club.
27. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses. If the show processor has the provisions to do so, competitors will be refunded in the manner in which they had entered the show, but in any event the society will refund fees within 3 months of the show date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the show date.
28. Except for mobility aids, nothing shall be carried in the hand while the dog is under test and food shall not be carried in the hand or given to a dog whilst in the ring. Competitors are prohibited from wearing bags or leads whilst under test.
29. No dogs' crates or boxes should be left near or between rings. Societies may, if they wish, designate areas where dogs' crates and boxes may be left in the vicinity of the rings.
30. No smoking or vaping is allowed within the ring area.
31. The handler must set their dog up to start within the ring. Dog and handler must enter the ring together and under no circumstances may a dog be left outside the ring off lead and recalled or sent to the handler in the ring.
32. Should the judge deem a re-run is required, any result and/or faults gained in the previous run must be discounted.
33. Separate entry forms must be completed by each owner and must be signed by the owner or his authorised agent in accordance with provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied by the appropriate fees.
34. Free Passes – Not Applicable
35. Competition of Dogs Suffering from Contagious or Infectious Disease – No dogs suffering from infectious or contagious disease or having been exposed to such disease during the period of 21 days prior to the competition may compete. Competitors infringing the Regulation will be liable to be fined and/or dealt with under Kennel Club Rule A11.
36. It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order. Competitors must run as close to their running order as possible. Failure to do so may be reported to The Royal Kennel Club.
37. An exhibitor or competitor should ensure that contact details for any handler are available and must be provided upon request in any investigation of a breach of this regulation by such handler.

38. Animals in Event

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 Board.

However, at the discretion of the show society, a dog brought to the show by a spectator may be admitted into the precincts of the dog show, with the proviso that those in charge of the dog sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under proper control at all times.

39. A pay on the day class will be held if time permits.

40. A practice ring may be available to dogs entered for competition at the show, if space allows. This ring must be supervised by a responsible adult with agility knowledge.

41. Welfare of Dogs

An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club rules and regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars, is not permitted at any agility show licensed by The Royal Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.

DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS

Your dog is vulnerable and **at risk** if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk, forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused.

Please take note of the following guidance:

- When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
- If your vehicle is not air-conditioned, seriously consider if travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
- Your vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, with plenty of free flowing air around each dog.
- When at the show, NEVER leave your dog in the vehicle.
- Keep your dog in the shade.
- Always have plenty of water available to ensure your dog stays hydrated.
- Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion or stand in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time.

Remember, if you feel hot, your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated. This could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare.