DOGS VICTORIA CONFIRMED DATE: 10/02/2022 SIGNATURE:



WARRNAMBOOL DOG TRAINING SCHOOL INC (affiliated with the VCA) PRESENTS THE WARRNAMBOOL OPEN AGILITY AND OBEDIENCE TRIAL 2022

Venue, Harris Street Reserve 66 Harris St Warrnambool.

Trial Secretary; Gordon Baldwin

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Date; March 12 & 13th 2022 Entries Close 04/03/2022

Check in; 7.30am

Start time; Agility and Jumping 8.30am

Obedience and Rally 9.00am

Entries via K9 entries, paper entries accepted but not preferred. Mail paper entries to WDTS PO Box 280 Warrnambool Vic 3280 Entry fees are \$9.00 per entry.

Catalog free to download from K9 entries <u>www.k9entries.com</u>

Presentations; Agility and Jumping at end of day (Saturday) and once rings have been packed away and everyone who packed up is present (Sunday)

Obedience and Rally at completion of classes both days

Ribbons to all qualifying 1st, 2nd and 3rd placegetters. Title ribbons also awarded. Small gift for 1st place in obedience and rally.

Jumping and agility being run as a bare bones trial.

Measuring, Stephen Pearson and Brian Feilder have kindly offered to measure dogs. Measuring to take place at the end of trialing Saturday night while waiting for presentations.

No vetting will be offered.

Catering is not available at the grounds

Trial will be held under rules and regs of VCA and a copy will be available

Judges/Classes

Saturday Morning

- Ring 1 Stephen pearson (Pending Maxine Corry-Thomas) JD-JDX-JDM
- Ring 2 Brian Feilder ADM-AD-ADX
- Ring 3 Vanessa Laughlin JDX-JDM-JD
- Ring 4 Clive Makepeace UDX-UD-CDX-CD-CCD
- Ring 5 Ross Carlson CCD-CD-CDX-UD-UDX
- Ring 6 Eddy Howden Novice-Advanced-Excellent-Masters (rally)
- Ring 7 Ray Ashman Masters-Excellent-Advanced-Novice (rally)

Saturday Afternoon

- Ring 1 Paul Schroeder JD-JDX-JDM
- Ring 2 Roger Padfield ADM-AD-ADX
- Ring 3 Scotty Fletcher JDX-JDM-JD

Sunday Morning

- Ring 1 Stephen pearson (Pending Maxine Corry-Thomas) JD-JDX-JDM
- Ring 2 Scotty Fletcher ADM-AD-ADX
- Ring 3 Brian Feilder JDX-JDM-JD
- Ring 4 Clive Makepeace UDX-UD-CDX-CD-CCD
- Ring 5 Eddy Howden CCD-CD-CDX-UD-UDX
- Ring 6 Ross Carlson Novice-Advanced-Excellent-Masters (rally)
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Sunday Afternoon

- Ring 1 Paul Schroeder JD-JDX-JDM
- Ring 2 Vanessa Laughlin ADM-AD-ADX
- Ring 3 Stephen Pearson JDX-JDM-JD

NFC

Stephen Pearson and Brian Feilder have both agreed to offer NFC in their rings. See rules below.

The trial precinct layout



Rings are in red, Gazebo areas in Yellow, Entry/exit in Orange. Scale is an approximate estimation only.

For QR check in please enter via entry/exit gate.

NOTE: for all competitors to read - for Competition and NFC

- 1. The handler may walk the course and then decide if they want to run NFC instead of competition. The handler MUST notify the assembly steward they are running NFC before the ring starts.
- 2. When a NFC handler enters the ring, they must clearly indicate to the judge by using a T signal time-out (tips of fingers of one hand touching the palm of the other hand) or by making an X with their arms that it is a NFC run. The judge will confirm the signal back to the handler and scribe.
- 3. The course MUST still be run as numbered by the judge but the handler may stop and reward as necessary (refer rule 7 for acceptable rewards). If the dog has performed an obstacle incorrectly or not to your liking you may go back and repeat that obstacle safely. Failure to run as numbered (ie. making up your own course) will have you dismissed from the ring.
- 4. Dogs to be run as catalogued.
- 5. The judge and ring stewards will still perform their normal duties during NFC runs. No time or faults will be recorded. The scribe will enter DQ on the score sheet.
- 6.NFC runs can only be run at the height and class as nominated on the entry form.
- 7.NFC runs will allow handlers to use non-audible toys in the ring but the toy must not be dropped or leave the handlers person. No food or toys containing food are to be used in the ring.
- 8.A competitor running NFC will only be given time in the ring up to the Standard Course Time (SCT). Timing for NFC will start when the dog negotiates the first obstacle or if the handler triggers the electronic timing gate (within reason). In the case of manual timing, the time will start when the first part of the dog's body crosses the plane of the first obstacle.
- 9. The scribe or Judge is to indicate to the handler that their time is finished at the end of the SCT for a NFC run. At the end of the SCT the handler should promptly remove their dog from the ring. Failure to quickly exit the ring at SCT may result in the judge dismissing the competitor.

10.A judge can at any time ask you to leave if they feel the training/performance being done in their ring is dangerous.

~MOST OF ALL HAVE FUN with your dog! Show them how amazing they really are~

TRIAL EVENT CONDUCTED UNDER CURRENT COVID-19 CONDITIONS
"Events subject to Covid-19 restrictions and requirements current at the time"
TRIAL INFORMATION FOR JUDGES, STEWARDS & COMPETITORS COVID
INFORMATION

Please self-assess your health before attending, if you have symptoms, or have been placed in isolation, please do not attend, and seek medical advice. All attendees over 18 will need to QR code and show proof of or exemption from vaccination at the gate those under 18 may be asked to provide proof of age documents.

Please practice Covid safe behaviour.

Are you experiencing these symptoms?

Fever (If you have a thermometer, take your own temperature. You are considered to have a fever if above 37.5°C) YES NO

Chills YES NO
Cough YES NO
Sore throat YES NO
Shortness of breath YES NO
Runny nose YES NO
Loss of sense of smell YES NO

Judges/Stewards

- Each ring will have a table for you to place your belongings.
- Each ring will have hand sanitizers and wipes on the table for your personal protection.

Anyone Attending Trial:

- · Only people who are fully vaccinated or medically exempt can enter the trial.
- QR code check in is mandatory with a proof of double vaccination or medical exemption COVID gate check in marshals will be available to assist without QR code check in capability at the gates.

If you are unable to QR code your name will be entered on a written list.

- Competitors will only be permitted to collect their own number/s. No collection of other competitor's number/s.
 - If you are feeling unwell it is advisable you do not attend the trial at all.
- Please abide by COVID safety rules at all times and if you become unwell, notify the trial secretary and go home.

- · Gazebos can be set up but please be mindful of distance between gazebos.
- Competitors are responsible for their own leads either place lead in a pocket or wrap around shoulder or waist.
 - Please remember the 1.5-metre rule and socially distance where possible.
 Masks
 - · Masks are required to be worn inside.

The WDTS reserves the right to change classes and judges as they see fit. The WDTS reserves the right to make adjustments to the schedule due to weather or other conditions as required.