Lisburn & District D.T.C. SCHEDULE OF OPEN OBEDIENCE

(HELD UNDER KENNEL CLUB RULES & REGULATIONS G AND LICENSED BY THE KENNEL CLUB)

Venue: K9 Academy 10a Moneybroom Road, Lisburn. BT28 2QP

Saturday 24th March 2018

Show Opens: 9.30 A.M. Judging Commences: 10.00 A.M.

SHOW CLOSES: HALF HOUR AFTER ALL JUDGING COMPLETED

ENTRY FEES: £3.50 PER DOG PER CLASS

GUARANTORS TO THE KENNEL CLUB

CHAIRMAN	Michael McCartney, 28 Moneybroom Rd, Lisburn. BT28 2QP
TREASURER	Joan Montgomery, 25 Drumcill Rd, Lisburn. BT28 2TG
SECRETARY	Kate McCartney, 28 Moneybroom Rd, Lisburn. BT28 2QP

Chief Steward: Crawford McCartney

ENTRIES TO BE RECEIVED BY MONDAY 12TH MARCH 2018 (POSTMARK)

In calculating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the 7th day before closing (**Monday 5th March 2018**)

POSTAL ENTRIES TO BE MADE TO: LISBURN & DISTRICT DTC C/O ANNE HAMILL 66 UPPER MALVERN PARK BELFAST BT8 6TE

MOBILE: 07894 833892 EMAIL: HAMILL770 @BTINTERNET.COM

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO LISBURN & DISTRICT D.T.C.

DOGS MAY ENTER 3 CLASSES FOR WHICH THEY ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS SHOW

HON. VETERINARY SURGEON ON CALL
ADVANCE VETERINARY CARE
UNIT 7 ROSEVALE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE
171 MOIRA RD
LISBURN BT28 1RW
TEL: 028 9266 7544

RULES AND REGULATIONS

These rules and regulations are to be read in conjunction with the Kennel Club Obedience Show Regulations G under which this show is licensed. It is the responsibility of everyone entering this show to make themselves familiar with the Kennel Club G Regulations, available from the Kennel Club.

- 1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed Obedience Shows must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B.
- All dogs registered and resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
- 3. Only dogs of six calendar months of age and over are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed Obedience Shows.
- 4. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
- 5. There will be no cap on entries at this show.
- 6. Not for competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four calendar months and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their full details recorded on the entry form.
- 7. Entries for this show cannot be made on-line.
- 8. Running orders will be available on the Obedience UK website at www.obedienceuk.net. If a hardcopy of the running order is required competitors should provide a SAE with their entry. Running orders may also be emailed if an email address is provided.
- 9. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
- 10. 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 three months of the show date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within one month of the show date.
- 11. In classes without a full running order dogs will be received until one hour after the commencement of judging (10.00 am) after which no dogs may be received except under unforeseen and exceptional circumstances and by special permission of the Show Management.
- 12. Timed stays there will be no timed stays in operation at these shows.
- 13. For the duration of the show all dogs, including those in the exercise area, must be on a lead except when competing or practicing prior to competition.
- 14. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competition is forbidden.
- 15. Animals allowed 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.

- 16. Following discussion between the Chief Steward and 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.
 - b) Suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
 - c) Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
 - d) Of such temperament or 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 show Incident Book and submitted to the Kennel Club.

- 17. Dogs will 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.
- 18. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
- 19. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the Judge or Judges.
- 20. Should a judge be unable to fulfill the appointment to judge, the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.

- 21. 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 Kennel Club.
- 22. No prize money is on offer.
- 23. Sponsorship There is no sponsorship at this show.
- 24. **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.

25. Welfare of Dogs

A 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 Obedience show licensed by the Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.

26. Food and/or toys shall not be carried or given to a dog under test except in Introductory Class where silent toy and food rewards may be used between and after exercises and in a Special Class if specified in the class definition. Competitors must not distract other dogs when rewarding their dog with food, toy or play (Refer to Obedience Code of Conduct)

DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES

- 1) In the following Definitions of Classes First Prize wins in Limited Show Obedience Classes and Open Shows confined to one breed do not count for entry in Open and Championship Show Obedience Classes but do count for eligibility at Limited Obedience Shows or Open Shows confined to one breed.
- 2) A dog must be entered in the lowest scheduled class for which it is eligible and may also be entered in another class if desired plus one additional class at the society's discretion. For this show, dogs may be entered for 3 classes for which they are eligible
- 3) Societies may schedule classes other than those defined below. 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.

PRE BEGINNERS	To compete in Pre-Beginners a handler or dog must not have won a First Prize in either Pre-Beginners or Beginners nor gained a third place or above in any other obedience class. (Introductory Class excepted).
BEGINNERS	To compete in Beginners a handler or dog must not have won a total of two or more First Prizes in Beginners Class, or one First Prize in any other Obedience Class. (Introductory Class and Pre-Beginners excepted).
NOVICE	For dogs which have not won two First Prizes in Obedience Classes. (Introductory Class, Pre-Beginners and Beginners excepted).
CLASS A	For dogs which have not won three First Prizes in Class A, B and Open Class C in total.
CLASS B	For dogs which have not won three first prizes in Class B and Open Class C in total.
OPEN CLASS C	At Open and Premier Shows, and in the Open C Classes held at Championship Shows, open to all dogs.

CLASSIFICATION AND JUDGES

SATURDAY 24th MARCH 2018

Class Number	Class	Judge
1	Class A	Sarah Jane Campbell
2	Pre Beginners	Sharon McGowne
3	Class B	Sarah Jane Campbell
4	Novice	Sharon McGowne
5	С	Sarah Jane Campbell
6	Beginners	Sharon McGowne

NB: There will be 2 rings in operation and classes will run sequentially

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Please make All Cheques/P.O. Payable to Lisburn & District DTC

Running orders will be posted on www.obedienceuk.net.

If you wish your running order by post, please include a SAE with your entry
On no account will entries be accepted without fees

MERIT SCORE

INSTRUCTIONS - This form must be used by one person only (or partnership). Writing MUST BE IN INK OR INDELIBLE PENCIL. Use one line only for each dog. The name of the dog and all the details as recorded with the Kennel Club must be given on this entry form. If an error is made the dog may be disqualified by the Committee of the Kennel Club. All dogs must be REGISTERED at the Kennel Club and if a registered dog has changed ownership the TRANSFER must be registered before the date of the Show. Puppies under 6 months of age on the first day of the Show cannot be entered for competition. If a dog is in the process of Registration or Transfer at the time entry is made, add the letters NAF or TAF as appropriate after its name. For new registrations the first choice name on the Registration Application form should be used. Please put classes in numerical order and USE BLOCK CAPITALS throughout when completing this entry form. PLEASE CHECK ALL DETAILS BEFORE POSTING.

REGISTERED NAME OF DOG	BREED	FULL DATE OF BIRTH		D or B	TO BE ENTERED IN CLASSES	(Championship Class C Only)
KC Rea No. (ar.*ATC No.)						
KC Reg No (or *ATC No) KC Reg No (or *ATC No)						
DECLARATION I/We agree to submit to and be bound by the Kennel Club Limited Rules and Regulations in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned and that this entry is made upon the basis that all current single or joint registered owners of this dog(s) have authorised/consented to this entry. I/We also undertake to abide by the Regulations of this Show and not to bring to the Show any dog which has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious or contagious disease during the 21 days prior to the Show, or which is suffering from a visible condition which adversely affects its health or welfare. I/We further declare that I believe to the best of my knowledge that the dogs are not liable to disqualification under Kennel Club Regulations.			In the case of joint registered ownership the name of every owner must be given here Name (s)			
Usual Signature of Owners:			Your address will appear in the catalogue unless you tick this box ENTRIES AND FEES WHICH MUST BE PREPAID TO BE SENT TO: LISBURN & DISTRICT DTC: C/o Anne Hamill, 66 Upper Malvern Park, Belfast. BT8 6TE			

*The Kennel Club Registration Number (or the Authority to Compete number for dogs resident outside the UK) must be stated or the entry will be returned.