



Heathfield Agricultural Show

To be held at :

HEATHFIELD AGRICULTURAL SHOW

Little Tottingworth Farm,
Broad Oak, Heathfield, East Sussex, TN21 8UE



SATURDAY 25th MAY 2023

SHOW OPENS: From 6.00 am BRIEFING: 9.30 am

JUDGING: 9.45 am

ENTRY FEE: £20.00 per dog for 3 Classes

www.wealdagility.co.uk

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Entry via agility-time.net

JUDGE: Brea George / Stacey Irwin

CLOSING DATE: Wednesday 15th May 2024

**ON SITE SHOW VET ON CALL: Uckfield Vets,
Full details held alongside ring on the day.**

TRADE STANDS & REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE ALL DAY
**EQUIPMENT: Weald will be using First Contact equipment; all
contacts have rubber surfaces.**

**Prizes and Trophies: TROPHIES TO FIRST PLACE, ROSETTES: 1st 2nd AND
3rd PLACE . Clear round rosettes in all classes to be collected on the
day**



DIRECTIONS TO THE VENUE TN21 8UE

Heathfield Show will be widely sign posted in all directions please enter via the **RED** car park and then the **RED GATE** (car park pass will be posted, the bands for entry to show will be given to you by our car parking stewards. If you require additional passes for family and friends please purchase from the Heathfield show website <https://www.heathfieldshow.org/>)

PLEASE NOTE: The earlier you arrive the closer you will be able to park to the RED GATE . Vehicles must park as directed. Entry to the venue will not be earlier than 6.00am. Please contact the Show Secretary prior to the show if you require disabled parking.

Please be aware that Heathfield show traffic is very heavy and busy and an allowance should be made for this when planning your journey.



CLASSES

Run generally as Kennel Club Rules. Large/Intermediate (results combined), Medium Small/Micro (results combined).

Class 1 – 1-2 Combined Agility Incorporating the “Sussex Open Championships”

Class 2 – 3-5 Combined Agility Incorporating the “Sussex Open Championships”

Class 3 – 1-2 Combined Jumping

Class 4 – 3-5 Combined Jumping

Class 5 – 1-5 Combined Steeplechase (no weaves)

There may be a Pay on the Day class if time permits, for those dogs already entered into the show only.

Agility classes to include contact obstacles and Jumping classes where there are no contact obstacles. Weaves will be included in both.

The ring will be fenced in.

Training in the ring will be permitted. The handler must tell the scime before the run and the run will be NFC. Toys will be allowed but no food treats. The handler will be allowed no more than the maximum course time and should leave the ring by the most direct route upon request from the judge.

Higher grade dogs may enter NFC (not for competition) All large dogs will run at Intermediate height with combined results. Micro enter as small and height will be adjusted on the day, results combined.

Grade changes should be notified to the Show Secretary.

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THE HEIGHT LIMIT FOR DOGS

Large Dog classes: For dogs measuring over 500mm at the withers.

Intermediate dog classes: For dogs measuring over 430mm at the withers and under 500mm

Medium Dog classes: For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers.

Small Dog classes: For dogs measuring 350mm or under at the withers

1. Withdrawal of dogs from Competition: A dog shall be withdrawn from competition and removed from the Show if it is:
 2. A bitch which is in season.
 3. Suffering from any infectious diseases or contagious disease.
 4. Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
 5. Of such temperament or so much out of hand as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
 6. Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.
 7. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary.
 8. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the Club/Society will on receipt of a stamped, addressed envelope refund fees to all those that had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the show date, less reasonably incurred expenses.
 9. Food shall not be carried in the hand or given to a dog in the ring.
 10. Should the judge deem a re-run is required, any result and/or faults gained in the previous run must be discounted.
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11. It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class.

12. A pay on the day class may be held if time permits.

The Sussex Open Championships is restricted to dogs and handlers that both reside in Sussex. The Champion will be the dog that has the greatest proportional win over the second place across all the grades and heights. There will only be one trophy for this, which will have to be signed for and returned 2 months before next year's show. Prizes and rosettes will be awarded as per usual no matter where the handler and dogs come from for all those that enter this class.

For the purposes of show processing and scoring at the event your detail will be entered into a computer system and stored in accordance with GDPR. Show results will be published online at agility-time.net



WELFARE OF DOGS

An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at this 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.

Please note in line with the Heathfield Show Dog Policy dogs cannot be left in cars, with the exception of Specially adapted vehicles.

We have a special exemption for this but with certain conditions.

We will have our own parking area, monitored by our own stewards and all competitors' cars must display a mobile telephone number where they can be contacted.

There will be space next to the ring for well-behaved dogs in a fenced off gated area.

Anybody parking outside of our allocated parking area will not be able to leave their dogs in their cars.





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FOR NEW COMPETITORS

Only dogs that take part in Agility Training at a recognised Agility club may enter.

There is no need for the dog to be registered with the Kennel Club or any other organisation.

If you do not have a KC grading enter as grade 1.

Dogs do not need to be measured. If in doubt about your dog's height seek assistance from your trainer.

WEALD AGILITY SOCIETY SCHEDULE OF UNAFFILIATED AGILITY COMPETITION

