

4-H Dog Entry Sheet—Due July 16, 2018



Exhibitor Name: _____ **County:** _____

(please print)

Exhibitor's Number: _____ (office will fill this in)

4-H Age _____ **(As of January 1st)**

Club Name: _____ **or Independent** _____

Department G - Dog

| Division Number | Class Number | Class Description | Name of Dog | Breed | Sex of Dog | Age of Dog |
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Agility Jump Heights - please mark one if doing Agility classes

Dogs 11 inches or less - 4 inch jump height _____

Dogs 11 to 14 inches - 8 inch jump height _____

Dogs 14 to 18 inches - 12 inch jump height _____

Dogs over 18 inches - 16 inch jump height _____

Signature of person completing this form _____ **Date** _____

Phone Number (home) _____ **(cell)** _____

Division 121 - Showmanship Classes:

G10. Junior - ages 8-10 as of January 1st

G20. Intermediate - ages 11-13 as of January 1st

G30. Senior- ages 14 & over as of January 1st

Division 122 - Obedience Classes:

BEGINNING NOVICE. All exercises performed on leash.

Dogs must heel including figure 8; come on recall; stand for examination; long sit for one minute and long down for three minutes. The leash may lay on the floor in front of the dog or be held by the handler.

CLASS NUMBER:

G10. Division A. Exhibitor and the dog is in their first year of county competition.

G20. Division B. Exhibitor or dog is beyond first year of competition.

G30. Novice. Dogs must heel on leash including figure 8; stand for examination off leash; heel free; come on recall off leash, long sit for one minute off leash; long down for three minutes off leash.

G40. Graduate Novice. Dogs must heel on leash; stand for examination off leash; heel free including figure 8; drop on recall; long sit for three minutes and long down for five minutes both with handler out of sight.

G45. Advanced Graduate Novice. Heel on leash and figure 8 (off leash), drop on recall, dumbbell recall, recall over high jump, recall over broad jump, and long down.

G50. Open. All exercises off leash. Heel free & figure 8; drop on recall; retrieve on flat; retrieve over high jump; broad jump; long sit for 3 minutes and long down for 5 minutes; both with handler out of sight.

G55. Graduate Open. Signal exercise, scent discrimination, directed retrieve, moving stand and examination, go out, and directed jumping.

G60. Utility. The dog will perform five exercises: the signal exercise, the scent discrimination exercise with leather and metal objects; the directed retrieve, moving stand and examination; directed jumping. Exhibitors must supply their own scent articles and gloves for the directed retrieve.

Division 123 - Agility Classes:

A. Procedure -Agility will follow those procedures and classes described in Nebraska 4-H Dog Show Guidelines 4H 420: <http://go.unl.edu/4h420>. Refer to Nebraska 4-H Dog Show Guidelines 4H 420: <http://go.unl.edu/4h420> to determine class entry. Wither heights of all agility

dogs must be included with advanced entries. Level 1 & 2 Agility classes are run on leash. Level 3, 4, and 5 are all run off leash. One of each obstacle noted in each level are mandatory and duplicate obstacles may be added to make up quantities of obstacles in each level. Obstacle equipment needing repair or deemed unsafe by judge will be excluded from the competition. Judges determine the arrangements of the obstacles on the course. Level 5 - youth can use additional equipment for competition that they have access to and can use in practice. Obstacles that are used for agility competition events may be included from (AKC, CPE, USDAA, NADAC, UKC, etc.)

B. Agility Jump heights - Measure dogs at withers to determine jump height: Dogs 11 inches or less - 4 inches, Dogs over 14 inches up to and including 14 inches - 8 inches, Dogs over 14 inches up to and including 18 inches - 12 inches, and Dogs over 18 inches - 16 inches.

CLASS NUMBER:

G10. Level 1 - 6 obstacles - 3 bar jumps which have two bars each, short dog walk, pause box or table, and tunnel (open).

G20. Level 2 - 10 obstacles - several bar jumps which have two bars each, short dog walk, pause box or table, tunnel (open), chute (collapsed or closed tunnel), solid panel jump and tire jump (hoop jump).

G30. Level 3 - 10 obstacles - same obstacles as Level 2 but dogs run off leash for Level 3.

G40. Level 4 - 13 obstacles - bar jump which has one bar each, bar jump which has two bars each, tall dog walk, pause box or table, tunnel (open), chute (collapsed or closed tunnel), solid panel jump, teeter totter (seesaw), weave poles (single set with 6 poles), and tire jump (hoop jump).

G50. Level 5 - 15-20 of any of the following obstacles such as: bar jump which has one bar each, bar jump which has two bars each, tall dog walk, pause box or table, tunnel (open), chute (collapsed or box or table, tunnel (open), chute (collapsed or closed tunnel), solid panel jump, A-frame short, A-frame tall, teeter totter (seesaw), weave poles (single set with 6 poles), weave poles (double set with 12 poles), and tire jump (hoop jump) broad jump, dump jump, triple bar jump, swing bridge, crawl, etc. Number of obstacles used for a course will depend on ring size and available equipment at show site. Course layout may include more advanced handling techniques.

Division 124 - Rally Classes:**RULES:**

A. Rally obedience is a dog sport based on obedience. Many of the Rally exercises are the same as, or have the same parts (elements) of traditional obedience.
B. Rally obedience is a dog performance class that uses directional signs that are numbered to indicate the course the handler is to follow during the performance. The team of dog and handler heel from sign to sign, and perform the exercises indicated by the numbered sign at each location. At the start sign, the judge gives permission to start the course and then the dog and handler go through the course. The judge will say "Are you ready"? followed by "Forward." No other directives are given. The course consists of signs that instruct the team what to do. Unlike traditional obedience, handlers are allowed to encourage their dogs during the course. There are 4 classes and the number of stations/signs is noted below (start and finish signs are not included in the sign count and are automatically used). Signs may be duplicated and used more than one time to create the course.

CLASS NUMBER:

G10. Beginning Rally - Dog is on leash and there are 5 to 10 stations. These beginning Rally signs are suggested - halt sit, halt down dog, right turn, left turn, about turn right, slow pace, fast pace, and normal pace.

These are the same commands that exhibitors use in beginning novice obedience levels.

G11. Rally 1 - Dog is on leash and there are 10 to 15 stations.

G12. Rally 2 - Dog is on leash and there are 12 to 17 stations.

G13. Rally 3 - Dog is off leash and there are 15 to 20 stations.

NOTE: Although every course will have many of the same exercises, the sequence of those exercises in the course design may vary. As the levels go up the difficulty of the exercises goes up as in ordinary obedience. Our rally classes will follow the AKC rules for the same levels. The signs and rules are available online at AKC's website. A difference between rally and regular obedience is that you may talk to your dog as much as you want to guide and instruct him.