



OFFICIAL PREMIUM LIST  
COBEQUID DOG CLUB

185<sup>nd</sup> - 188<sup>rd</sup> **ALL BREED CHAMPIONSHIP DOG SHOWS**  
INDOORS

THESE EVENTS ARE HELD UNDER THE RULES OF  
THE CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB AT  
DON HERDERSON MEMORIAL SPORTSPLEX  
Brookfield, NS

Proceeding with these trials will be dependent on  
current rules for social gathering

**FRIDAY APRIL 23<sup>rd</sup>, SATURDAY, APRIL 24<sup>TH</sup> and  
SUNDAY APRIL 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021**  
**ENTRIES CLOSE: Thursday April, 1<sup>st</sup> AT 10:00 PM**

**CONFORMATION JUDGES**

Avery Gaudin	NB	Douglas Gaudin	NB
Lee Steeves	NS	Michael J. Woods	NS
Mary Spinelli	NS		

**SHOW AND TRIAL SECRETARY:**

NANCY MCRAE, 102 Lyman St. Truro, NS B2N 4S4 (902) 890-1073  
[Nancymc15@outlook.com](mailto:Nancymc15@outlook.com)

Entries also may be dropped off @ 214 Crossley Ave., Truro NS B2N 7H7

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB  
Mr. Jeff Cornet, Executive Director  
200 Ronson Drive, Suite 400,  
Etobicoke, Ont. M9W 5Z9

CKC DIRECTOR (NS & NFLD/LAB)  
Mr. Frank MacArthur

CKC Obedience Rep. (NS)	CKC Conformation Council (NS)	CKC Junior Handler Rep. (NS)
Mrs. Christine Graham	Colin Veinot	Angela Slauenwhite & Kyle Manual

**COBEQUID DOG CLUB EXECUTIVE**

PRESIDENT Susan Ling	V/PRESIDENT Beth Rutherford
SECRETARY Linda Hupman	TREASURER Gary Blaikie
DIRECTORS Dawn Fougere, Nancy McRae, Glenda Johnson, Kimberly Pennie	

Please Note: for the Gaudins to be able to judge will depend on the Border between NB and NS opening. When the Gaudins were contracted the Atlantic Bubble was in place. The CDC would not expect Mr. and Mrs. Gaudin to self-quarantine for two weeks in NS in order to judge. A decision will be made before the entries close for refunds less handling fees for the two shows they are judging.

Please thoroughly read this premium list and the Covid 19 protocols. We are so pleased to be able to offer these set of shows. The Don Henderson Memorial Sportsplex will be the venue for the CDC going forward for the spring shows.

The Cobequid Dog Club appreciates everyone's patience in these Covid 19 times.

**JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS**

**FRIDAY, April 23, 2021 Start time 4:00pm**

**CONFORMATION**  
**EVERY GAUDIN**  
**DOUGLAS GAUDIN**

All Breeds in Groups 2, 3, 4 & 6—Groups 2, 3, 4 & 6  
All Breeds in Groups 1, 5 & 7- Groups 1, 5 & 7  
**Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show,  
& Best Altered in Show**

**SATURDAY, April 24, 2021**

**CONFORMATION**  
**DOUGLAS GAUDIN**  
**EVERY GAUDIN**

**SHOW 1 (200 limit)**  
All Breeds in Group 2, 3, 4 & 6—Groups 2, 3, 4 & 6  
All Breeds in Group 1, 5 & 7- Groups 1, 5 & 7  
**Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show  
& Best Altered in Show**

**CONFORMATION**  
**MICHAEL WOODS**  
**LEE STEEVES**

**SHOW 2 (200 limit)**  
All Breeds in Group 3, 4 & 7- Groups 3, 4 & 7  
All Breeds in Group 1, 2, 5, & 6—Groups 1, 2, 5, & 6  
**Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show  
& Best Altered in Show**

**SUNDAY, April 25, 2021**

**CONFORMATION**  
**LEE STEEVES**  
**MICHAEL WOODS**

All Breeds in Group 3, 4 & 7- Groups 3, 4 & 7  
All Breeds in Group 1, 2, 5, & 6—Groups 1, 2, 5, & 6  
**Best in Show, Reserve Best in Show, Best Puppy in Show  
& Best Altered in Show**

CHAPTER 8, SECTION 8 OF THE DOG SHOW RULES: A Judge officiating at a show held under these rules shall not be subjected to INDIGNITIES of any kind during the progress of the show, and it shall be the duty of the Club holding the show to see that this rule is effectively carried out.

**SHOW COMMITTEE**

SHOW CHAIRPERSON  
SHOW SUPERINTENDENT  
TREASURER  
CHIEF RING STEWARD  
VETERINARIAN  
CONFORMATION SHOW CHAIR  
JUNIOR HANDLING CHAIR.  
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Members of the Cobequid Dog Club  
Dawn Fougere  
Members of the Cobequid Dog Club

REC. SECRETARY Susan Ling

## ENTRIES (including G.S.T)

Payment by Cash, Check or Money Order – (Post-Dated Cheques will NOT be accepted)

Payable to the Cobequid Dog Club

Entry per Dog per Show	\$30.00
Sweepstake classes	\$15.00
Exhibition Only per Dog per Show	\$10.00
TCN Fee per Event	\$11.50
Catalogue -	\$10.00

**eTransfers accepted at: (10% handling fee must be added to your entry total)**

[2NancysShowSecretaryServices@gmail.com](mailto:2NancysShowSecretaryServices@gmail.com)

Please Note: Credit card payments accepted ONLY through THE ENTRY LINE



## CONFORMATION CLASSES

Junior Puppy	A dog 6 months up to 9 months on the day of the show
Senior Puppy	A dog between 9 months and up to 12 months on the day of the show
12-18 Months	A dog between 12 months and up to 18 months on the day of the show
Canadian Bred	A dog which was born in Canada
Bred by Exhibitor	A dog owned and handled by the breeder
Open Class	A dog 6 months of age or older
Specials Only	Dogs who are Canadian Champions
Altered Class	For sexually altered dogs
Exhibition Only	Dogs 3 months and over not in competition.

- **No baby puppy classes are offered in the regular shows this is not a typo.**

## Saturday pm show and Sunday PUPPY SWEEPSTAKES

Puppy Sweeps shall be for any dog 3 months up to but not including 18 months of age.

To enter this class, the dog **must be entered** in one of the CKC regular classes or in Specials or Exhibition Only..

There will be eight classes in all, divided by sex.

Baby Puppy Class	for Dogs at least 3 months of age up to but not including 6 months.
Junior Class	for Dogs at least 6 months of age up to but not including 9 months.
Senior Class	for Dogs at least 9 months of age up to but not including 12 months.
12-18 Open	for Dogs at least 12 months of age up to but not including 18 months.

The winners of all eight classes will compete for Best in Sweepstakes. A rosette will be awarded to first, second, third and fourth places in each class as well as to Best in Sweeps and Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps. A suitable prize will also be offered to Best in Sweeps and Best Opposite in Sweeps.

## Saturday pm show and Sunday VETERANS SWEEPSTAKES

Veterans Sweeps shall be for any dog 7 years of age and up.

To enter this class, the dog **must be entered** in one of the CKC regular classes, Specials or Exhibition Only.

There will be three classes in all, divided by sex.

7-9 years for Dogs at least 7 years of age up to but not including 9 years

9-11 years for Dogs 9 years of age up to but not including 11 years.

11 years + for Dogs 11 years of age and older

The winners of all three classes will compete for Best Veteran in Sweepstakes. A rosette will be awarded to first, second, third and fourth places in each class as well as to Best in Sweeps and Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps.

A suitable prize will also be offered to Best in Sweeps and Best Opposite in Sweeps.

For both **Puppy** and **Veterans** Sweepstakes the class winners will compete for best in

**Sweepstakes with the prize money distributed as follows:**

50% of the entry fees for each sweeps class will go to the winner of each class;

15% of the total sweeps entry fees will go to the Best in Sweeps;

10% of the total sweeps entry fees will go to the Best Opposite Sex in Sweeps

25% will be retained for administrative purposes.

## CHAMPIONS AND CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS

The Schedule to be employed in the determination of points allocated a dog awarded a dog awarded "winners" shall be as follows:

Dogs Competing*	1	2	3-5	6-9	10-12	13 or more
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Points Allocated	0	1	2	3	4	5
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\*Includes dog awarded "winners"

The System provides for additional points if dog awarded "winners" also places in the Group. They are as follows:

BREEDS COMPETING	DOG PLACED FIRST	DOG PLACED SECOND	DOG PLACED THIRD	DOG PLACED FOURTH
AT GROUP LEVEL				
13 or more breeds	5	4	3	2
10 to 12 breeds	4	3	2	1
6 to 9 breeds	3	2	1	1
5 breeds	2	1	1	1
4 breeds	2	1	1	0
3 breeds	2	1	0	0
2 breeds	1	0	0	0
1 breed	0	0	0	0

A class dog awarded Best in Show at any All Breed Championship Show will be credited with Five (5) points inclusive of any points earned at the breed and group level. In no case may a dog earn more than five points at a single show. In counting the number of eligible dogs in competition, a dog that is disqualified, dismissed, excused or ordered from the ring by the judge shall NOT be included in the calculation for championship points.

## REFUND POLICY

If, due to COVID, these Shows are not able to be held; refunds will be issued to exhibitors - MINUS 20%. While all efforts will be taken to expedite refunds, they may take up to 14 days (depending on volume & other work commitments).

If because of; an act of God, riot, civil disturbance, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations, or decree, or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the CDC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows/Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.

## CATALOGUES

Catalogues-\$10.00 Please pre-order catalogues ONLY. CATALOGUES WILL NOT BE MAILED TO ABSENT EXHIBITORS. ADVERTISING ½ Page-\$25.00 Full Page-\$40.00 \$50.00 covers ALL ADS MUST BE CAMERA READY FOR PRINTING

## PRIZES

### A Quality prize will be offered each day for the following:

Best in Show      Best Puppy in Show      Best Altered in Show  
Best in Group      Best Puppy in Group

## OFFICIAL JUNIOR HANDLING

There will be Junior Handling **CONFORMATION** Sunday. Registration will be in the Show Secretary's table in the morning, and must be done at least one hour in advance of the scheduled judging. Dogs competing in Junior Handling must be entered in one of the regular classes or in Exhibition Only.

**A fee of \$2.00 for Junior Handling is required at time of registration**

## ENTRY INFORMATION

1. An INCOMPLETE ENTRY FORM WILL BE RETURNED. Please ensure that your postal code is included. ALL NSF CHEQUES WILL BE CHARGED A \$35.00 SERVICE CHARGE.
2. Exhibitors must abide by the errors made when making the entry, regardless how or who made the entry.
3. An entry will not be accepted unless accompanied by the required fees. Post-dated cheques will **not** be accepted.
4. The Cobequid Dog Club reserves the right to reject any entry subject to CKC rules.
5. Only dogs, which are eligible for registration or are registered by the CKC, may be entered in these Show & Trials.
6. Overpayment of entry fees up to a maximum of \$5.00 will be considered a donation to CDC Trophy Fund.
7. The Exhibitor is responsible for knowing and complying with the Dog Show Rules of the CKC.

Temporary Competition Number (TCN) - \* Effective March 2, 2020

A Temporary Competition Number (TCN) must be obtained before submitting an entry for an event. The same TCN must be used for all event entries for a dog until the dog is permanently registered. Once a dog is permanently registered or has an ERN, the TCN will be replaced with the registration number or ERN. A TCN cannot be used for Listed Breeds (MCN) or dogs that will require a Performance Event Number (PEN) or Canine Companion Number (CCN).

There is no fee to obtain a TCN however exhibitors will still be required to pay TCN Fees (formerly called Listing Fees) when entering events using a TCN.

TCN Numbers may be obtained online via the CKC website where the number is issued instantly. Exhibitors may also mail in a printed application or contact CKC Shows and Trials by phone for a number.

Dogs may still enter CKC events until without a registration number or ERN until March 2, 2020 by marking TCN on the entry form (or Listed if it is an older entry form). An email address is required on the entry form in this case. Before applying for a TCN online, exhibitors are encouraged to check their dog's profiles to determine if the CKC has already created a TCN for that dog. There will be a tab called TCN Dogs in the owner's Portal account.

\* If your dog does not have a registration number or ERN and has already competed in a CKC event and earned points, scores or awards, there is no need to apply for a TCN. The CKC will update its records accordingly.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

THE PRECINCTS OF THE TRIAL WILL BE THE SHOW BUILDING, ENTRANCE, PARKINGLOT & GROUNDS . The show premises will be opening one hour before start of the show. Judging schedule and identification will be emailed as soon as possible after the entry closing date. The Cobequid Dog Club will use care and diligence for the welfare of the dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume liability in the event of an accident or other misfortune to dogs, exhibitors or patrons. Judging will not be delayed to accommodate an exhibitor or handler who fails to have his/her dog in the ring when required. The Show Superintendent will be in full charge of the trials. Exercise pens will be restricted at the discretion of the Show Superintendent. Only dogs entered in the show are permitted within the show precincts please. If because of; an act of God, riot, civil disturbance, extreme weather event, governmental orders, regulations, or decree, or other acts or circumstances beyond the control of the CDC, it is impossible to open or complete the Shows/Trials, no refund of entry fees will be made.

**EXHIBITORS ARE EXPECTED TO KNOW THE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR DOG SHOWS BOOKLETS ON DOG SHOW RULES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE C.K.C. or on the C.K.C. website**

## EVENT REGISTRATION NUMBER (ERN)

All dogs that are foreign born and foreign owned and enter Canada for the sole purpose of entering CKC events will require an Events Registration Number (ERN).

To obtain an ERN number simply does the following:

1. Send a photocopy of the dog's registration certificate reflecting current ownership, for example AKC Registration Certificate with a written request for an ERN number.
2. Include with the above a cheque or money order in the amount currently required payable to the Canadian Kennel Club.
3. Ensure that you provide us with your full return address to enable the ERN number to be sent to you.
4. Faxed requests will be accepted. Please indicate your Visa/MasterCard number expiry date, cardholders name and signature.

This Event Registration Number MUST be applied for within 30 days of the first day of entering a CKC event. Dogs may be entered as "LISTED", however, failure to apply for an ERN number within 30 days will result in cancellation of any wins, awards or scores.

Please forward your request to:

CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB, Shows and Trials Division  
200 Ronson Drive, Etobicoke, ON M9W 5Z9  
Ph :( 416) 675-5511 Fax: (416) 675-6506

### **ATTENTION ALL CANADIANS WHO ARE NOT CKC MEMBERS**

Effective January 1, 2011, the CKC has instituted an annual Non-Member Participation Fee for awards and titles for a CANADIAN non-member of the CKC. These fees apply only to dogs wholly owned by a non-CKC member and are not applicable to CKC members. Non CKC member participants must either purchase a CKC membership or pay the non-member participation fee within 30 days of notification or the CKC will cancel any awards and titles. More information, and application forms can be downloaded from the CKC website: <http://www.ckc.ca>.

### **IMPORTANT REMINDER:**

**All exhibitors will be responsible for the clean up of their own dogs or dogs they are handling anywhere on the show site and surrounding areas.**

# COVID-19 EVENT PROTOCOLS

The Dog Show is NOT OPEN to the General Public or Spectators. Due to NS Government COVID restrictions, only people DIRECTLY involved in the showing of the exhibit should be on-site. We appreciate you following the Show-N-Go format that we need to follow right now. If you cannot comply with these rules for public safety,

**Please Do Not Enter or Attend! There will be no loopholes.**

## General Safety Practices

- The Cobequid Dog Club and all show participants will follow federal, provincial, local and guidelines that apply to the area and site where the event is held.
- Practice social distancing consistent with guidelines. Do not congregate in groups larger than five; or within your own family circle only.
- When an exhibitor is done for the day, they must leave the show site in order to minimize congregating.
- Parking will only be in designated areas.

## WAIVERS & SITE ACCESS

**Waiver must be signed by everyone within the Show precincts (Building, Grounds, & Parking Lot).** To be valid, the Questionnaire & Waiver **must** be dated within the 14 days prior to the last day of the show.

**Show Site Access Process:** Waiver is to be handed into the club upon arrival at the show site, attendance wristband will be provided at this time. **No replacement wristbands will be provided during the course of the shows.** No electronic copies of the Questionnaire & Waiver will be accepted.

**No Waiver, No Entry... No Excuses.**

## MASKS

1. **The correct wearing of masks (covering the mouth & nose) is mandatory, by all event participants, at all times while within the precincts of the event.**
2. **The only time masks may be removed is while eating or drinking & then the mask must be immediately put on again. If exhibitors are sitting in their vehicles, masks may be removed.**
3. **In the event someone has a medical exemption from wearing a mask, then sadly they will have to secure someone to handle their dog(s) for them. While we respect medical exemptions; however, we also have to respect keeping others as safe as we can.**
4. **If you use disposable masks, we ask that you cut the strings/elastics before properly disposing of the masks in the garbage.**
5. **People without a mask will be asked to leave the event.**
6. **Masks will not be provided by, or be available from, the Cobequid Dog Club.**

## HAND WASHING, SANITIZER & DISPOSABLE GLOVES

- **Each Judge's & Ring Steward's table will have hand sanitizer on it (for use by Judge & Ring Steward).**

- **Wearing disposable gloves is not encouraged. The COVID virus gets on them in the same way it gets on your hands. Your hands can get contaminated when you take off the gloves.**
- **Signage will be posted throughout the facility to emphasize the importance of frequent hand-washing & proper hygiene practices.**
- **Hand Sanitizing stations will be available.**
- **Exhibitors are also encouraged to bring their own hand sanitizer.**
- **Everyone is encouraged to wash their hands as often as possible.**

**"Wash your Hands, Wash your Hands"**

## SOCIAL DISTANCING

- **Mandatory 2 meters Social Distancing will be maintained at all times** (unless you are within your designated 'bubble');

## RINGS

- Each ring will have an **Entrance**, an **Exit** and **Social Distancing Markers**.
- **Exhibitors will maintain 2 m distance from competitors at all times while within the rings.**
- **Exhibitors will "show the bite"** to the Judge.
- **Throwing of Bait will not be allowed.**
- No ring-side seating or spectators will be allowed.
- Exhibitors will only approach ringside as their ring time is approaching (5 minutes prior).
- Except for individual examinations, a physical distance of 2 m will be maintained at all times.
- The ring surface will be white-painted concrete (the facility is an arena). **There will not be matting down in the rings**, so exhibitors are to ensure that **FOR THEIR OWN SAFETY** they are to wear comfortable, non-slip footwear for exhibiting in the ring.
- Each table shall have hand sanitizer and each ring steward/judge shall have their own pen. If any of the equipment accidentally falls in the ring, only a steward can replace it.
- Exhibitors are not to touch items on the Judge/Ring Steward table.

## RIBBONS

- Judges will not touch or present ribbons. The Ring Steward will place the ribbons for the class on the table at the ring exit. Please be sure that, as an exhibitor, you know what ribbon(s) you have earned. The Judge will be clear in their placement indication.
- Exhibitors will pick up their placement ribbon(s) as they exit the ring.
- **NO RECYCLING** of ribbons. If you do not wish to keep your ribbons, please do not touch the ribbons.

## PHOTOGRAPHY

- Judges will be photographed prior to judging & then photoshopped into any photos.
- Candid photos MAY be available ONLY IF Social Distancing can be maintained. Only the Official Show Photographer may take candid photos.

## NO LIVE STREAMING - NO CELL PHONE USE IN RING AREA

Exhibitors are to return to their set up after they have exhibited their dog. An exhibitor handling multiple dogs may have a helper bring them their next dog, if that next dog is in the ring within 5 minutes. Otherwise, they are to return to their set-up area/exit the building with the dog they have just completed showing & return with their next dog. The exhibitor can inform the Ring Steward that they are going for their next dog as a courtesy.

## GROOMING

- All Grooming must take place in your designated area. Temporary shade covers are permitted in the parking area, however please remember; TEMPORARY and not to be left unattended.
- There is no power available for grooming in the parking area. As a courtesy to other exhibitors and to minimize congestion please do not arrive at the parking lot area more than 1 hour before your designated ring time.
- Everyone will be assigned a parking area & space.
- No "Force Dryers" are permitted within the show precincts.
- There will be no grooming at ringside or within the ring.
- Indoor Set-up Area
  - No power will be available.
  - Social Distancing will be strictly enforced.
  - Absolutely NO indoor Ex-Pens (in addition to crates) will be allowed. Space is limited.
- Spaces will be allocated by the Show Committee & the exhibitor must inform the committee at the time of entry (definitely prior to show closing) of how much space they would like, with no guarantee that it will be available

## JUDGES & JUDGING

- Judges will be encouraged to focus on breed standards rather than grooming.
- Judges will not physically examine the dog's bite but will have the exhibitor display the bite.
- Judges will clean their hands frequently using hand sanitizer, hand wipes, etc.
- Ramps & Tables will be frequently sanitized.
- Judges will: wear masks at all times while in the show ring & on the show grounds unless eating, bring their own materials and equipment for their own use only (e.g. CKC Standards, pens), limit interactions to ring procedure instructions.
- Judges will not touch ribbons, will clearly indicate class placements (for benefit of both exhibitors & ring stewards)
- Except for individual examinations, a physical distance of 2 m will be maintained at all times.
- Unless they are breed or group winners, exhibitors will be asked to leave the show precincts immediately following completion of judging.
- Group Judging:
  - To ensure "Social Distancing" and Exhibitor safety, groups may be split into groups (if warranted) with the Judge making cuts from each split. The cuts will then be brought back for the final Group judging & placements

## WASHROOMS/DRESSING ROOMS

- Indoor Washrooms will be available. Dressing Rooms will not be accessible to exhibitors.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- All participants will Enter the Sportsplex through the front door Right side and Exit through the front door Right side. Please respect the installed barrier in the building lobby to separate pedestrian traffic flow.
- The Lobby Area will be restricted to 'flow through' traffic, please do not loiter in the Lobby.
- Dog Show participants are not to randomly travel throughout the building, i.e. bleachers, hallways, dressing rooms, etc. Anywhere you travel, you will have to help clean & sanitize.
- Grooming tables & ramps used in the ring will be cleaned frequently.
- No indoor grooming, keep your set up clean, it's your responsibility. Set-ups left dirty (as determined by Show Superintendent, Site Security) will be assessed a fine of \$1000.00 & the exhibitor will not be welcome at future events. This is a self-clean show.
- No Public Catalogue will be available, know your numbers when picking up armbands.
- No public ex-pens will be available. Pick up after your dogs.
- No public dog bathing station.
- Be self-sufficient: bring sanitizer, bring personal use masks, no masks will be available.
- Do not bring & leave personal belongings to ringside (chairs, towels, coolers, grooming equipment, water/spray bottles, etc). Any items left at ringside will immediately be disposed of in garbage bins.
- Do not leave masks, gloves, water bottles, litter, etc., behind at the show site. Dispose of these items in the garbage bins. Any items left at the show will be disposed of in garbage bins, no "Lost & Found" will be available.
- Avoid shaking hands, hugging, or other physical contact.
- Avoid touching dogs that are not your responsibility.
- Avoid common use pens/pencils, bring your own writing instrument.
- Dogs will not be 'rested or placed' on club ring tables or ramps. Only dogs being exhibited will use ring equipment.
- Any exhibitor allowing their dog to lift its leg on building/club equipment or property will not be welcome at future events.
- Exhibitors will ensure that their dogs are exposed to & socialized to :people in masks, the scent of hand sanitizer, etc & other COVID Safety Protocols before entering the ring so as not to scare them
- Leave show grounds when no longer competing.
- Exhibitors will bring everything that they may require to ringside for exhibiting; poop bags, paper towel, armbands, elastics, etc. Nothing will be provided or available to them. They will also take everything away with them when they leave, anything left at ringside will immediately be thrown in the garbage.
- No Overnight Camping or RV parking is available onsite. Due to COVID, gathering numbers are still limited and these events are being run on a "Show & Go" basis.

If you have any concerns, please contact the Show Superintendent, Site Security, or any Club Official

## STAGING AREAS

- Only Exhibitors with dogs will be allowed in staging areas (area just outside of each ring).
- Each ring will have a staging area.
- Avoid touching other dogs
- If exhibitors do not want a ribbon or rosette, please leave it on the table and do not touch it.

## RING STEWARDS

- Ring Stewards will remain in the ring areas.
- Wear a mask.
- Maintain 2 m from others.
- Clean tables and ramps after examinations whenever practical
- Place ribbons on the table to be picked up by the exhibitor.
- The Ring Steward will not touch the judge's pens, materials and equipment. If required to do so, they will put on gloves, or use hand sanitizer before & after doing so.

## SHOW SECRETARY

- Scheduling will be an important measure used to reduce numbers in the rings at one time.
- The Secretary will develop scheduling that will keep the number of people in the ring areas within posted limits.

## SECURITY

- The club will hire local security.
- Security staff will follow directions of their employer; while on show site, they must control entrance to the show site by verifying exhibitors show entry and time.

## SAFETY MEASURES AND PROCEDURES

### COMPLIANCE

To comply with NS Government gathering limit restrictions:

- Please arrive at the parking lot no more than 60 minutes before ring time. Immediately following your ring time, you will depart the parking lot for the day unless you are returning for the Group Judging which has a designated ring time. (congregating in the parking lot is prohibited)
- Please note the judging schedule has specific ring times for breeds, all breed groups, limited breed groups and Best in Show. There is a scheduled break at the beginning and following each ring call. This break will permit enough time to get a specified number of dogs out of the ring area, and the next designated dogs into the ring area, grooming your dog prior to arrival is recommended although we recognize this could be a challenge.
- There will be a parking attendant onsite. As you approach the venue have your waiver ready and your mask on. You are asked to approach the entrance to the ring area 5 minutes before ring call and even though you are wearing a mask social distance (2 meters apart)
- It is your responsibility to be on time and ready to go when called. Upon completion of exhibiting your dog, you are to immediately proceed to your vehicle and depart the venue.
- There will not be any paper judging schedules available at the show.
- There shall be no live streaming anywhere on the venue and no taking photographs in the ring area.
- Owners dropping off dogs to handlers on the day of a show must report to the parking area entrance & meet there. Owners dropping off dogs must wear a mask while doing so.
- THERE SHALL BE NO ALCOHOL CONSUMED ON SITE
- These are trying times as everyone knows and the Cobequid Dog Club and its staff remain diligent with regard to Compliance.

• Event monitors are representatives of the Cobequid Dog Club and will report to the Show Chairperson or Show Superintendent any instances of non compliance or acts of verbal defiance, arguing, etc., and without hesitation the person / persons will be asked to vacate the venue immediately. In addition, an Official Complaint will be filed by the club with the Canadian Kennel Club. The Cobequid Dog Club acknowledges that these procedures are not the normal way of hosting an event, but in order to remain compliant we are going to follow the Regulations as set out by The Health Department.

Anyone entering with EntryLine will have to sign the Questionnaire/Waiver (below) either when arriving at the venue, OR bring with them the Questionnaire & Waiver that will be included in the Judging Schedule.



## COVID SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE/SYMPTOMS & WAIVER

Do you have two or more of the following symptoms (new or worsening or unexplained)?

- Fever (or signs of a fever, such as chills, sweats, light-headedness)?
  - Yes
  - No
- Cough, sore throat, runny nose, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing?
  - Yes
  - No
- Nausea and/or vomiting, Diarrhea, Abdominal pain?
  - Yes
  - No
- Unexplained fatigue/malaise?
  - Yes
  - No
- Headache?
  - Yes
  - No
- Loss of/change to sense of smell or taste?
  - Yes
  - No
- Small, red or purple spots on your hands and/or feet without cause?
  - Yes
  - No

## CONTACT/TRAVEL HISTORY

Have you:

- Travelled outside Nova Scotia in the 14 days before onset of illness?
  - Yes
  - No
- Been in close contact with a known or suspect case of Covid-19 in the last 14 days or at one of the listed exposure sites?
  - Yes
  - No

If you answered yes to any of the contact or travel history questions with or without symptoms, you are considered a person under investigation of Covid-19. It is recommended if you have not been tested to proceed to your nearest Covid-19 testing location.

The Cobequid Dog Club will use due care and diligence for the welfare of dogs and participants, but will not be responsible, or assume liability, in the event of accident, or other misfortunes, to either dogs or participants. **The participant shall absolve The Cobequid Dog Club and its members of any liability thereof. In particular, Participants acknowledge that they are taking part in this event with full knowledge of the existence of the coronavirus pandemic and understand and accept that while the Cobequid Dog Club will make all reasonable effort to run a safe event, and will adhere to all Nova Scotia government coronavirus requirements and restrictions in force on the date of the event in doing so, it is impossible to eliminate all risk and by entering and attending the event, the participant accepts the risk of contracting COVID-19 and will absolve the Cobequid Dog Club and its members and Stay 'N Play Canine Centre of any liability in the event that they test positive for COVID-19 after this event.**

Date:

Signed:

Armband #:

