

2011 Boone County Fair

Boone County 4-H / FFA Dog Show

Show: **Saturday, July 30 at 6:00 pm**
(Note: Showmanship @ 6:00 pm, Obedience, Rally & Agility to follow)

Place: Columbia Canine Sports Center, 4506 I-70 Dr. SE, Columbia, MO

Superintendent: Julie Holle 573-445-6694 or hollej@missouri.edu

Rules:

- 1. Rules listed in the Boone County Fair General Rules in addition to following rules will apply to the dog show. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to be at ringside when their class is called. Judges are not required to hold classes for late entries.**
2. Each entrant must be a member of good standing in a Boone County 4-H Dog Care Project or FFA SAE Dog Project. The dog must be trained by the exhibitors.
3. The exhibitor shall have been in possession for training purposes of the dog by **April 1, 2011**.
4. Ages for classes will be determined as the age of the entrant on January 1 of the current year.
5. **All vaccinations** against rabies and distemper must be up to date on the day of the show. Bordatella vaccinations are recommended, but not required. Any violators will be disqualified.
6. Health papers will not be required, proof of vaccination will need to be shown the night of the show. Dogs need to be free of fleas & ticks.
7. Unruly/abusive behavior by any dog or 4-H/ FFA member may result in suspension from show by show chairman.
8. Only one Obedience Class per dog (classes OB-1 through OB-10).
9. Only one Junior Showmanship class per person.
10. A dog may not compete in any class lower than the one in which it has received a title or recognition of accomplishment granted by any sanctioning body. This is irrespective to the level of accomplishment of the handler.
11. Bitches in season may not be shown. (Exhibitor can list an alternate dog on the entry form in case dog comes into heat.
12. Obedience classes will be judged according to AKC rules, Agility & Rally will be judged according to the rules on the Boone County web site.
Go to: <http://extension.missouri.edu/boone/4H/Boonecountyfair.html>
13. Only dogs exhibited are allowed at the show.
14. All dogs at the show must remain on leash or be crated.

15. Pinch/Prong collars, electric collars (dummy or not) are not permitted at 4-H Dog show, this will include body or head harnesses. Acceptable collars are: flat buckle, rolled leather, Martingales and chain. A 6 foot lead is required for showing the dog in obedience. No flexi leads or chain leashes are allowed. A leather lead is preferred but not required.

16. Judges decisions are final.

17. No refunds will be given.

18. No substitutions of dogs except in the case of rule # 11.

Division OB: Obedience

Dogs must have a 6' leash for Obedience classes. The term "experienced" means completion of any obedience class at any 4-H, AKC or UKC show.

OB-1 Pre-Novice I (New member and new dog) 8-11 years

OB-2 Pre-Novice I (New member and new dog) 12 and over

OB-3 Pre-Novice II (Experienced member with 1st or 2nd year dog) 8-11 years

OB-4 Pre-Novice II (Experienced member with 1st or 2nd year dog) 12 and over

OB-5 Pre-Novice III (Experienced member and dog)

OB-6 Beginner Novice

OB-7 Novice

OB-8 Graduate Novice

OB-9 Open

OB-10 Utility

Division R: Rally

Rally rules are listed on the Boone County 4-H web site, go to the website for the listing of signs to be used in each class. AKC signs will be used. Go to www.AKC.org for sign. Only one entry in rally per dog.

R-11 Rally Pre Novice – Beginning handler and dog, 1st year of showing

R-12 Rally Novice –On Leash

R-13 Rally Pre-Advanced –Off leash

R-14 Rally Advanced-performed off leash and will include jumps

R-15 Rally Excellent-performed off leash, all signs are included in this level

Division S: Showmanship

Handlers will be judged on their preparation and presentation of their dog-grooming, posing and gaiting, as well as anatomy and breed knowledge.

- S-16 Junior Showmanship, 8-11 years, Novice*
- S-17 Junior Showmanship, 12 and over, Novice*
- S-18 Junior Showmanship, 9-11 years, Open**
- S-19 Junior Showmanship, 12 years and over, Open**

*Novice: 4-H members who have shown for one or two years in showmanship and have not place first in their class

**Open: 4-H member who have competed for more than two years in showmanship

Division F: Fun Classes

- F-20 Tricks Class
- F-21 Costume Class
- F-22 Obstacle Course – For dogs that are not competing in agility
- F-23 Family Pet – For dogs and members not competing in any other obedience, agility or rally class

Division A: Agility

Classes will be further divided by dog height.

- A-24 Beginner – simple 10 obstacle course, on leash
- A-25 Elementary – simple 10 obstacle course, off leash
- A-26 Intermediate – challenging 12-14 obstacle course, off leash
- A-27 Senior – challenging 13 – 15 obstacle course, off leash
- A-28 Advanced – challenging 16 – 20 obstacle, crossing paths 2-3 times, off leash
- A-29 Jumper 1
- A-30 Jumper 2
- A-31 Jumper 3

Jumpers Class Descriptions / Requirements:

Beginner and Elementary handlers should enter Jumpers 1

Intermediate and Senior handlers should enter Jumpers 2

Advanced handlers should enter Jumpers 3

Obedience Class Descriptions

Pre-Novice I (1st year member and 1st year dog):

Heel on leash and figure "8" on leash = 40 points;

Stand for examination on leash = 30 points;

Recall on leash = 30 points;

Long sit on leash (1minute) = 30 points;
Long down on leash (3 minutes) = 30 points;

Pre-Novice II (experienced member with first or second year dog):

Heeling on leash and figure "8" on leash = 40 points
Stand for examination on leash = 30 points
Recall on leash = 30 points
Long sit on leash (1 minute) = 30 points
Long down on leash (3 minute) = 30 points

Pre-Novice III (experienced dog and handler):

Heeling with figure "8" on leash = 40 points
Stand for examination off leash = 30 points
Recall off leash (6 foot distance) = 30 points
Long sit off leash (1 minute, 6 foot distance) = 30 points
Long down off leash (3 minutes, 6 foot distance) = 30 points

Beginner Novice:

Heel on leash = 40 points
Figure 8 on leash = 40 points
Sit for exam on leash = 40 points
Sit, stay walk around = 40 points
Recall off leash = 40 points

Novice:

Heel on leash and figure "8" = 40 points
Stand for examination off leash = 30 points
Heel off leash = 40 points
Recall off leash (across the ring) = 30 points
Long sit off leash (1 minute, across the ring) = 30 points
Long down off leash (3 minutes, across the ring) = 30 points

Graduate Novice:

Heel on leash & Figure Eight off leash = 40 points
Drop on recall off lead = 40 points
Dumbbell recall = 30 points
Recall over high jump = 30 points
Recall over broad jump = 30 points
Long down (3 minutes, out of sight) = 30 points

Open (off leash):

Heel free and figure "8" = 40 points
Drop on recall = 30 points
Retrieve on flat = 20 points
Retrieve over high jump = 30 points
Broad jump = 20 points
Long sit (3 minutes) out of sight = 30 points
Long down (5 minutes) out of sight = 30 points

Utility (Off leash):

Signal exercise = 40 points
Sending Article #1 = 30 points
Sending Article #2 = 30 points
Glove/Directed retrieve = 30 points
Moving stand and examination = 30 points
Directed jumping = 40 points

Showmanship Class Descriptions

Junior showmanship will be judged as follows:

- ❖ **Handling skills:** Control of the dog, proper gaiting, proper stacking, accentuating the dog's good points, minimizing the dog's faults and presentation of the dog.
- ❖ **Knowledge of dog and dog care:** Disqualifying faults of your breed, basic anatomy of dog, etc.
- ❖ **Poise of Exhibitor:** Appearance/attire of handler, attention to judge, knowledge of ring procedure.
- ❖ **Grooming of dog:** Proper grooming for breed, toenails clipped, proper lead, etc.

Novice – 4-H/ FFA members who have shown for one or two years in showmanship and have not placed first in their class.

Open – 4-H/FFA members who have competed in Junior Showmanship for more than two years in showmanship.

Prizes

Blue, Red or white ribbons will be awarded to all in class.

Rosettes will be given to First, Second, Third, Fourth & Fifth Place in each class.

Best Junior will be awarded in Novice and Open Showmanship.

High scoring dog in obedience will be awarded.

Obstacle Course & Family Pet class will receive participation awards.