



**KINETICDOG, LLC**  
**UKI NORTHEAST CUP**  
**SCHEDULE OF AGILITY**

(held under UK Agility International Rules & Regulations)



**August 15-18, 2024**

**Orchard Hills Training Center**  
45 Bella Vista Lane Barto, PA 19504  
(2 rings indoors on artificial turf)

**Entries Open: July 17, 2024 Entries Close: August 1, 2024**

Enter Online: [www.UKAgilityInternational.com](http://www.UKAgilityInternational.com) - **ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY**

**ENTRIES ARE CAPPED AT 1800 RUNS**

Mail Check to:  
KineticDog, LLC  
1246 Quarry Hall Road  
Norristown, PA 19403

PayPal  
[mebarry@kineticdog.com](mailto:mebarry@kineticdog.com)  
3.5% surcharge must be  
included

Venmo  
@MaryEllen-Barry-3  
(Purchases must be turned off)

**Competition Manager:** Mary Ellen Barry – [mebarry@kineticdog.com](mailto:mebarry@kineticdog.com)

**CLASSES**

Flying Dogs Agility Games Challenge - \$36  
1-TDC Speedstakes Challenge - \$36  
Saint Rocco's Treats Biathlon - \$36  
Wild At Heart Masters Series - \$36  
KineticDog Blue Ribbon Finals – Automatic Entry

**JUDGES:**

Marco Magiolo – Orlando, Florida & McKenzie Minto - Moraga, California

All start times are TBD based on final entry numbers. Thursday is expected to start around lunchtime.  
Refer to final confirmation

**Bitches in season are allowed to run at this show. Please see page 2 for details.**



### **Trial Site & Information**

This event will be held indoors on artificial turf using rubberized contacts, 24" weave poles & electronic timers. We will use 2 rings, one ring of approximately 100 x 110 and a second ring of 95 x 95

### **Trial Site Rules**

- Orchard Hills is located on private property and is NOT open to the public outside of trial hours. **DO NOT arrive at the trial site prior to stated times.** Waiting in the driveway or on Church street is not allowed. If you find yourself arriving early, there is a Turkey Hill and a brand new Wawa North on 100 and a Redners and Dunkin Donuts South on 100

- Please respect property boundaries.
- There are sheep pens available for off leash exercise of dogs.
- Music may be played during walkthroughs and lightly during running of classes.

**Food Services** There will be no food vendor. Please plan accordingly.

**Helpers** We can't do it without volunteers!!!! Please come prepared to work.

**Equipment** – Launch the Dog and/or Galican Jumps (4.2' and/or 5' bars), ascending spread jump, long jump, tire, wall jump and rubberized contacts will be used.

### **Bitches in Season -**

May run at this trial. To be able to run a BIS, you must immediately tell the trial secretary, who will mark BIS on the running orders. The BIS will remain in their running order. If the dog is not wearing BIS pants, they will start on a mat provided by the show. It is the handler's responsibility to ensure the mat is available for their runs. The handler/owner acknowledges the inherent risk of running a dog on an agility course with BIS pants on and assumes all risk by doing so, and the potential risks with slips from starting from a mat.

### **Questions?**

Regarding Entries to this show, please contact the UKI office – [info@ukagilityinternational.com](mailto:info@ukagilityinternational.com)  
For specific Show questions such as regarding the site etc., please contact the show manager Mary Ellen Barry at [mebarry@kineticdog.com](mailto:mebarry@kineticdog.com)

**Crating** There will be indoor crating in both buildings.

### **Directions:**

<http://www.kineticdog.com/Training/Location/Directions.aspx>  
VETERINARY SERVICES  
Perkiomen Animal Hospital  
919 Gravel Pike, Palm, PA  
215-679-7019

### **Tentative Event Schedule & Classes**

All start times will be determined based on final entry numbers. Thursday is expected to start around lunchtime. Refer to your final confirmations and/or follow KineticDog UKI Northeast Cup on Facebook.

The following schedule is tentative and subject to change based on final entry numbers

#### **Thursday**

Flying Dogs Agility Games Challenge Snooker (McKenzie): Red  
1-TDC Speedstakes Challenge Round 1 (Marco): Green Bldg

#### **Friday**

Wild at Heart Masters Series Jumping (McKenzie) – Red Bldg  
Saint Rocco's Treats Biathlon Agility (Marco) – Green Bldg  
1-TDC Speedstakes Challenge Finals (McKenzie)– Green Bldg

#### **Saturday – All in Green Building**

Saint Rocco's Treats Biathlon Jumping (McKenzie)  
Awards – 1-TDC Speedstakes Challenge  
Flying Dogs Agility Games Challenge Gamblers (Marco)

#### **Sunday – All in Green Building**

Wild at Heart Masters Series Agility (Marco)  
KineticDog Blue Ribbon Final (Automatic entry)  
Awards – KineticDog Blue Ribbon Final  
Awards – Flying Dogs Agility Games Challenge  
Awards – Saint Rocco's Treats Biathlon  
Awards – Wild at Heart Masters Series  
Awards – Overall Cup Winners

**Course Maps** will be available online 3 hours prior to doors opening at [www.k9trialservices.com](http://www.k9trialservices.com) (note Masters Series will not be available until doors open)

### **Camping/RV**

LAZY K CAMPGROUND

<http://lazykcamping.com/>

Bechtelsville, PA 5 minutes south on Route 100,  
(888) 367-8576 or (610) 367-8576

Limited overnight parking is permitted on site – all vehicles MUST be fully self-contained. Contact Cindy Madeiros at [cmadeiros4677@comcast.net](mailto:cmadeiros4677@comcast.net)

**Hotel info** The hotels on the following page are provided for informational purposes only. KineticDog, LLC does not recommend nor do we endorse any of the hotels/motels listed. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to check the hotel's current pet policy and pricing when making a reservation.

## **Hotel info**

BEST WESTERN PLUS – POTTSTOWN

[Website - Best Western Pottstown Plus](#)

1600 Industrial Highway Pottstown, PA 19464, (610) 327-3300

25 minutes, under new ownership and now “pet friendly”

BUDGET HOST MOTEL

[Website - Budget Host Motel](#)

5 Spring Garden Drive New Berlinville, PA 19545 , (610) 367-2626

6 miles from Orchard Hills / \$81.00 per night, \$10 per pet, additional discounts for 3+pets

CAB MOTEL

<http://www.cabmotel.com/>

Route 29 Palm, PA (215) 679-5955

10 minutes / No Pet Fee \$82.90/night. Mention KineticDog

MOTEL 6

<http://motel6-pottstown-pa.com/>

78 Robinson Street Pottstown, PA 19464, (610) 819-1288

25 minutes

COMFORT INN LEHIGH VALLEY WEST

[Website - Comfort Inn Lehigh Valley West](#)

7625 Imperial Way Allentown, Pa 18106 (877) 424- 6423

35 minutes / \$128.00 plus pet fee

QUALITY INN & SUITES

[Website - Quality Inn Quakertown](#)

1905 John Fries Hwy Quakertown, PA (855) 809 3506

25 minutes / \$89.00

RED ROOF INN ALLENTOWN SOUTH

<https://www.redroof.com/property/PA/Allentown/RR1845>

2650 Moravian Avenue Allentown PA (855) 873-6562

25 minutes / pets free

MOTEL 6

[Website - Motel 6 KOP](#)

815 W Dekalb Pike King of Prussia PA (833) 435-0470

45 minutes / limited grass areas

TRU BY HILTON AUDUBON VALLEY FORGE

[Website - Tru by Hilton Valley Forge](#)

825 Forge Avenue, Audubon PA (866) 266-3306

45 minutes / limited grass areas

## About UKI

<u>Speedstakes Titling Program</u>	<u>International Titling Program</u>
<p><b>SS Beginners:</b> For dogs that are not eligible for SS Novice, SS Senior and SS Champion levels in the Speed Stakes Program.</p> <p><b>SS Novice:</b> For dogs that have gained a minimum of 12 points in the SS Beginners classes. Or a newly registered dog who is eligible for Beginners, but the owner/handler currently runs a Champ level dog in the International Program.</p> <p><b>SS Senior:</b> For dogs that have gained a minimum of 20 points in the SS Novice classes.</p> <p><b>SS Champion:</b> For dogs that have gained a minimum of 36 points in the SS Senior classes.</p>	<p><b>Beginners:</b> For dogs that are not eligible for Novice, Senior and Champion levels in the International Program</p> <p><b>Novice:</b> For dogs that have gained a minimum of 12 points, where 8 of those points must be obtained in agility classes. Or a newly registered dog who is eligible for Beginners, but the owner/handler currently runs a Champ level dog in the International Program.</p> <p><b>Senior:</b> For dogs that have gained a minimum of 20 points in the Novice classes, where 12 of those points must be obtained in agility classes, 4 from jumping, and 4 from games.</p> <p><b>Champion:</b> For dogs that have gained a minimum of 36 points in Senior classes, where 12 of those points must be obtained in agility classes, 12 from jumping, &amp; 12 from games</p>

**Transfer Table of Highest Level in Standard Agility for Newly Registered Dogs**

AKC/CKC	USDAA/AAC	CPE	UKI International Program	UKI Speedstakes Program
Novice & Open / Intermediate	Starters	Levels 1-4	Beginners	SS Beginners
Excellent	Advanced	Level 5	Novice	SS Novice
Masters	Masters	Level C	Senior	SS Senior
MACH or AG.M.CH	ATCH or ATCHC	N/A	Champion	SS Champion

UKI JUMP HEIGHTS				<i>Reference for WAO tryout</i>	
UKI Jump Height **	A-frame Height *	UKI Dog Height	UKI SELECT	<i>WAO tryout height</i>	<i>WAO Height Cutoffs</i>
<b>8 inch</b>	<b>5'3"</b>	<b>12.75" &amp; under</b>	4 (s)	250	320mm (12.60")
<b>12 inch</b>	<b>5'3"</b>	<b>15" &amp; under</b>	8 (s)	300	380mm (14.96")
<b>16 inch</b>	<b>5'7"</b>	<b>17.5" &amp; under</b>	12 (s)	400	440mm (17.32")
<b>20 inch</b>	<b>5'7"</b>	<b>22" &amp; under</b>	16 (s)	500	500mm (19.69")
<b>22 inch</b>	<b>5'7"</b>	<b>Any</b>	20 (s)	-----	-----
<b>24 inch</b>	<b>5'7"</b>	<b>Any</b>	20 (s)	600	+ 500 (19.69")
<i>* Select A-frame height is 5'3" for all select and Nursery heights</i>					
<i>** Dogs may always jump higher than their height category</i>					

### UKI US Open ~ Nov 20 – 24, 2024 - Jacksonville, FL

Qualifying period: Oct 2, 2023 – Sept 30, 2024

### West Coast Open ~ Oct 2 - 5, 2025 – Paso Robles, CA

Qualifying period for Agility Stakes Final: Aug 1, 2024 – July 28, 2025

Please visit the [UKI Website](#) and/or our [Facebook page](#) for updated information regarding the Opens  
The Bye tracker information for both Opens is available at this page

<https://ukagilityinternational.com/events/>

## UKI USA CUP - General Rules

- This event is open to all dogs and handlers irrespective of their level in UKI and their organization affiliation.
- There is no pre-qualification necessary to enter classes.
- There is a separate competition for each jump height.
- Dogs and handlers need to be UKI members. Memberships can be completed online at [www.ukagilityinternational.com](http://www.ukagilityinternational.com)
- Dogs may only compete in one height throughout the whole event.
- All Q's must be in the height that will be run at the Opens.
- Any Q's / Byses gained must be the same handler that will run the dog at the Opens.
- The same handler must compete in both rounds of a class.
- Classes will be run in strict running order. Running orders will be randomly drawn for the first round of each class of Agility Biathlon, Masters Series Heat, Speedstakes Challenge and Games Challenge all consist of 2 rounds.
- Classes will be run under UKI rules and regulations with additional rules detailed below. Any further amendments will be posted and or announced in the event confirmation letter.
- UKI reserves the right to rule at the event on anything not covered in these rules. Any amendments to these rules will be posted.
- Eliminations in all classes except where noted differently in the individual class rules, will score 100 faults.
- No shows & NFC in any class except where noted differently in the individual class rules, will score 1000 faults.

**The Cup's Overall Winner** – Each jump height will produce the best scoring dog from the overall results for the following events of Agility Biathlon, Masters Heat, Games Challenge & Speedstakes Challenge.

The **Winner** will be granted an automatic spot into the **National Championship Final (Rd 3)** plus automatic entry into the **Masters Final** at the **US Open 2024 FLORIDA** and an automatic Bye into the **West Coast Open Agility Stakes Final**.

**The Cup's Overall Reserve** (the 2<sup>nd</sup> place dog in each jump height) will receive an automatic Bye into **Round 2** of the **UKI National Championship class at the US Open 2024 FLORIDA**.

All 4 Cup events: Agility Biathlon, Games Challenge, Masters Heat and Speedstakes Challenge must be entered; running all classes for competition to be eligible for the Cup's Overall Winner result.

The tabulation for the Overall Cup will be based upon the number of dogs entered within each jump height in each event. The winner of the event (i.e. Speedstakes Challenge) will receive the highest points which is equal to the total number entered in that jump height. Example: If 12 dogs are entered in the 22 inch height in the Speedstakes Challenge then the winner will receive 12 points, 2nd place 11, 3rd place 10 and so on. All dogs entered will receive the points based upon their ranking, even if they are not eligible for the Overall awards

- Only one handler may compete with the dog throughout the entire event to be eligible for the Cup's Overall Winner tabulation.
- A no-show or NFC in either class will result in disqualification from that competition, including awards and entry into the Cup's Overall Winner result.
- Double Eliminations for each competition will not be placed in that event and will score 0 for the Cup's Overall Winner tabulation.
- If a dog obtains a double elimination in TWO events, they are no longer eligible for the Cup's Overall tabulation.
- In the event of a tie for the Cup's Overall Winner, the Masters Series Heat placement will be the deciding factor and if necessary, followed by the Agility Biathlon, then Games Challenge.
- Should a dog win the Cup's Overall Result but had previously obtained this result at another Cup, the result will not move down to the next placing dog.

### UKI Progression points

Clear rounds in Masters Agility, Biathlon Agility will count towards level progression for Agility points.

Clear rounds in Masters Jumping, Biathlon Jumping will count towards level progression for Jumping points.

Qualifying rounds of both classes from the Games Challenge will count towards level progression for Games points.

Clear rounds in both classes of Speedstakes will count towards level progression for the Speedstakes program.

All clear rounds will count towards the Round Bye qualifications for the UKI National Championship Class at the 2024 US Open 2024 Florida or the West Coast Open for the UKI Agility Stakes Final.

## **UKI USA CUP CLASSES**

### **Agility Biathlon**

- Consists of a Jumping round and an Agility round with the results combined.
- Either round can be run first. Running order for second round will be in reverse order of first round results.
- Cumulative scoring: least faults wins with time as tie breaker only, in all aspects of the Biathlon.
- In the event of a tie for the Agility Biathlon Winner, the scores from the Agility round will determine the winner. If there is still a tie, the dogs will compete in a run-off on the last Biathlon course.
- Eliminations in first round will still progress to second round, with E's running random in the beginning of the RO for the second round.

### **Speedstakes Challenge**

- Consists of 2 Speedstakes rounds with the results combined.
- Running order for Round 2 will be in reverse order of Round 1 result.
- Cumulative scoring: least faults wins with time as the tie breaker only.
- In the event of a tie for the Speedstakes Challenge, the scores from round 2 will determine the winner. If there is still a tie, the dogs will compete in a run-off on the round 2 course.
- Eliminations in Round 1 will still progress to Round 2 with E's running random in the beginning of the RO for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Round.

### **Games Challenge**

- Consists of a Snooker round and a Gamblers round with the results combined.
- Running order for Gamblers will run in reverse order of Snooker results.
- Cumulative scoring: highest number of points wins with time as tie breaker only.
- In the event of a tie for the Games Challenge, the scores from the Gamblers round will determine the winner. If there is still a tie, the dogs will compete in a run-off on the Gamblers course.
- Eliminations (dogs not stopping the timers by going over the finish jump) will score 0 points with SCT as the course time.
- Eliminations in Snooker will still progress to Gamblers with E's running random in the beginning of the RO for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Round.
- No shows in either round will score -1000 points.

### **Masters Series Heat – SEE PAGE 7 BELOW**

#### **Managing Conflicts for Handlers with Multiple Dogs**

In the initial classes of each event a random draw will produce the running order. Handlers with more than one dog will have their running orders altered to achieve the following:

- A gap of 10 dogs (9 dogs between their runs) will be created by moving the first-drawn dog earlier in the running order. If this does not achieve a 10-dog gap then the second-drawn dog will be moved down in the running order.
- If there are not enough dogs in the class to achieve the 10-dog gap the biggest gap possible will be created. If this gap does not achieve the minimum 10 dog gap, then a break of 6 minutes will be given. The 6-minute countdown will start as the handler's first dog crosses the finish line; the handler must enter the ring with their second dog before the countdown is complete.
- Handlers with more than 2 dogs will have their dogs split using the 10-dog gap rule. If there are not enough dogs to achieve this, the dogs will be split evenly through the running order and the 6-minute rule will be adhered to. If a handler has dogs in different height divisions, and the 10 dog gap cannot be achieved, the 6 minutes will run through while the jump heights are being changed.

**In seeded classes:** A handler must notify the results office within 30 minutes of the results being posted of the previous class in that particular event if they wish to move their running order for the next round or given the 6 minute break. Failure to do so will mean they will be moved.

## Masters Series Tournament Rules

The aim of Masters is to encourage more competitive running in UKI classes and improve the overall standard of top level agility. The Masters has been created for dogs and competitors whose goal is to compete at both National and International level.

### General Rules

Open to all UKI level dogs including Select heights. Separate competition for each height. Agility and Jumping rounds with results combined. Handlers must run in strict running orders, failure to do so will result in elimination. Either Agility or Jumping classes may run first. If a handler has 2 dogs entered within a jump height, they may move their first dog up so that there are as many dogs as possible between their dogs. If this is not possible, they will receive a 6-minute break. If a handler has more than 2 dogs within a jump height and the entry is not large enough for a sufficient gap in between all their dogs, the first of their dogs drawn will be allowed to run in between a jump height change, if a jump height change is available before their height. If it is not, the final decision will be made by the judge and show manager, taking into consideration fairness to the competitor and other entrants in the Masters Class. Day of Entries must run first within the running orders of the first class. The second class must run in reverse order of placing from first class. The dog must run in the height that he will compete at in the Masters Final. The same dog and handler must run both rounds. Only the handler who qualifies the dog through a Masters Heat, may run the dog in the US Open Masters Final. Any extraordinary circumstances to be ruled by UKI.

### Scoring

Standard UK Agility Marking will apply. Faults converted into seconds. 5 faults = 5 seconds. Time faults treated the same as course faults. An elimination = 100 faults plus 60 second course time. An absent or NFC run = 1000 faults with a 60 second course time. Dogs with an absent or NFC run in either the Agility or Jumping will forfeit any Q's or awards gained in the other round; in other words, both rounds must be run for competition. Dogs with double elimination will not be placed. An E in the individual round will not be placed in that round. Dogs with the lowest score will be deemed the winner. In the event of a tie, the Agility result will be the deciding factor, followed by the jumping result. If a tie still remains, a runoff will be required.

Final Qualification: 2 ways to qualify for the Final to be held at the UKI US Open:

A. Individual Winners (per height) of the Masters Agility or Masters Jumping class (even if an E is earned in the other round).	B. 1st & 2nd Overall (per height) (even if an E is earned in one of the rounds).
---	--

### Prizes:

Of the Prize entry fee; \$5.00 is placed in heat prize fund. Each height has its own prize fund and will be divided as per Masters "Prize Money Guide". Prize fund is for overall winners only. \$1 from each entry fee will be split & placed in the Final prize fund and Team USA WAO fund. In the event there is not a monetary winner within a height, the prize money will be sent to UKI to go towards the Final prize fund.

Entered in height	1st	2nd	Total fund	Fund percentage	
1	\$4.00		\$4.00	100%	
2	\$8.00		\$8.00	100%	
3	\$12.00		\$12.00	100%	
4	\$16.00		\$16.00	100%	
5	\$20.00		\$20.00	100%	
6	\$24.00		\$24.00	100%	
7	\$28.00		\$28.00	100%	
8	\$32.00		\$32.00	100%	
9	\$36.00		\$36.00	100%	
10	\$40.00		\$40.00	100%	
11	\$30.80	\$13.20	\$44.00	70%	30%
12	\$33.60	\$14.40	\$48.00	70%	30%
13	\$36.40	\$15.60	\$52.00	70%	30%
14	\$39.20	\$16.80	\$56.00	70%	30%
15	\$42.00	\$18.00	\$60.00	70%	30%
16	\$44.80	\$19.20	\$64.00	70%	30%
17	\$47.60	\$20.40	\$68.00	70%	30%
18	\$50.40	\$21.60	\$72.00	70%	30%
19	\$53.20	\$22.80	\$76.00	70%	30%
20	\$56.00	\$24.00	\$80.00	70%	30%

## **BY ENTERING UKI EVENTS, COMPETITORS AGREE TO:**

**UK Agility International Rules and Regulations** apply to the whole event and all people and dogs must comply with these at all times. As a competitor it is your responsibility to be aware of the rules and regulations as they stand at the time of the show. This show will run under the current edition UK Agility International rules found on the UKI web page. Each competitor acknowledges through their entry to the UKI event that their participation is a privilege and not a right.

Competitors through submission of entry acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of **UK Agility International rules and regulations** including but not limited to the following rules regarding entry:

**All dogs and handlers must be registered with UK Agility International to compete.** UK Agility International's official rules & regulations are available to view free from the UKI web page. If you or your dog is not already registered, please register online at [www.ukagilityinternational.com](http://www.ukagilityinternational.com)

All dogs are entered at this show at their owners' risk and whilst every care will be taken the show management and UKI will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury however caused to dogs, persons or property while at the UKI event.

Dogs under 18 calendar months of age on the day of the Show are not eligible to compete in UKI Trials, with the exception of dogs over 15 calendar months of age eligible to compete in Nursery Classes & Speedstakes classes.

A dog shall be withdrawn from competition without refund if it is: suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, interfering with the safety of any person or other animal or if it is likely to cause itself damage or its welfare is in danger if it continues competing.

It is expressly understood that competitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs, children and guests. Any competitor whose dogs, children, or guests create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior, will at the discretion of the show management, be asked to remove the offending dogs, children, guests from the event grounds. No refunds of fees will be made in such a case.

There will be no refunds for entries withdrawn and neither in the event a dog and/or handler is dismissed from the competition, regardless of the reason for dismissal providing this was within accordance of UK Agility International rules and regulations.

It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order. Handlers working more than one dog in a class **must ensure that the dogs compete in the sequence in which they are drawn**. Failure to do so will result in elimination.

Dogs left in hot cars, or dogs appearing to be in distress, will be dealt with as seen fit by the Show Management.

Should a judge be unable to fulfill the appointment to judge, the show management reserves the right to appoint another judge. Should circumstances so dictate the show manager, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them must be reported to UK Agility International. In the event of abandonment of the show through circumstances beyond our control, the SHOW MANAGEMENT may defray such expenses from the entry fee to cover the cost of the show preparation. These accounts will then be made public.



## **Rules of Conduct:**

UKI promotes dog agility pursuant to regulations consistent with international standards as a competitive, spectator sport. All competitors, officials, and event personnel shall conduct themselves in a professional and sportsmanlike manner consistent with the foregoing statement of purpose and seek to uphold, and enhance where possible, the image of the sport and UKI through such conduct and actions including on social media platforms.

By virtue of their entry, competitors acknowledge and agree to comply with all UKI rules and regulations and agree to accept any sanctions that are imposed for failure to comply. The judge has responsibility for determining when it is appropriate to excuse a dog and competitor from the ring. The show officials have responsibility for determining when an infraction should result in a verbal warning, written warning and/or expulsion of a competitor, dog, or any person from the event by conducting the procedure outlined in the UKI rule book. UKI head officials, through further investigation, may impose sanctions including suspension or expulsion from future events.

The following is a partial list of infractions on which the judge or trial officials will take action: Abuse of a dog on the grounds; actions that may have the appearance of abuse of a dog; willful misconduct or interference with a competitor's right to show; any acts of poor sportsmanship; violation of procedural rules; compulsive, correctional training on the grounds; willful misrepresentation on entry forms; willful misrepresentation of animals; dog aggression; failure to exercise diligence in the control of the behavior of their dog including a dog clearly not under the control of the handler ; concerns for the welfare of a dog or who is unfit for competing; intimidation and/or impolite confrontation of judges, event officials, event helpers, or other competitors; creating excessive delays as a failure to respect the authority of event officials.

## **Social Media Conduct**

Cyber bullying of any kind towards UKI, trial management & staff, competitors, judges, helpers or volunteers will not be tolerated. Examples of cyber bullying include but are not limited to, communications that seek to intimidate, manipulate, falsely discredit, put down, try to control, rudely confront, demand, and comments that try to incite further issues. Further, UKI is committed to maintaining an environment that is built on mutual respect and is free from racism, discrimination and harassment. In keeping with this goal, any behavior that is hateful towards race, color, religion, creed, national origin or ancestry, ethnicity, sex, and gender will not be tolerated. Any of these cases may sanction removal from all associated social media pages and even lead to expulsion of UKI events and even further expulsion of organization membership.

## **Refund Policy**

Entries will not be accepted, changed, or altered after the closing date or capping level has been reached except for the purpose of moving to a higher level. A full refund is available for any membership that is not older than 14 days from the creation of the account date. A full refund is available before the closing date or capping level is met for any show. There will be no cost if refund money is to be left in your UKI account. If a refund is requested, a 5% administration fee for a credit card refund will be assessed, per transaction. ***After the closing date, a partial entry may be available for extraordinary circumstances, but this lies with the individual show management based upon their own policies. Contact the show management for details, NOT UKI.***

Payment of entry fees and Instant Account Top up Fees shall be made directly to the UKI member account, or via payment directly to the trial before a competitor may compete. If your UKI account owes money on the closing date and when entries are processed, please be sure you have arranged for payment to be made directly to the show. UK Agility International will suspend a dog's/handlers' registration, until fees are paid in full. In addition, this failure will result in your UKI account being suspended.

Additional administration charges may be imposed to a member's account due to negligence that result in administration time to correct. Possible infractions, not limited to, are submitting incorrect trial entry information, including incorrect

handler and dog number, creating duplicate membership or dog accounts. Charges are based on an hourly rate of \$20 per hour.

**Media & Sponsor Rights Release**

Through the entry into this event, all competitors grant to UKI and its affiliated companies, representatives, agents and assigns, all rights and permission to use or appropriate his/her and their dog's name, biography, likeness, photograph, voice, performing persona, or other indicia of identity for broadcast, telecast, cablecast, transmission or distribution in any format or media known now or in the future. Further, I hereby release UKI and its affiliates, representatives, agents and assigns from any claim or cause of action for invasion of the rights of privacy, right of publicity, right of personality, or any similar right. Sponsors of UKI events may email entrants with their product and or service information. If a competitor does not wish to receive emails from these sponsors, they must email the show management before the close of the trial entry date to declare this, ensuring they receive a receipt email that this information has been received by the trial management.