

## SCHEDULE OF

# PARA-OBEDIENCE SHOW

(Capped at 20 people)



#### **VENUE:**

Rugby Dog Training Club,

#### Fennis Field Farm, Little Lawford Lane, Rugby,

#### CV23 0JJ

### Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Show Opens: 9:30am

Judging Commences: 10:00am

#### Entry Fee: £20

(Entry is for all 4 classes and includes temporary associate membership. Contact Jamie Peutherer for payment details)

NFC/Spectator entry is free

#### Chief Steward: Roy Clarke

#### Judges: Pippa Colledge and Denise Platts

Visit 'Para-Obedience' on Facebook to enter and for more information

#### **Class List:**

(All competitors compete in all classes)

Class 1: Levelling the Pitch:

Retrieve, Recall, Scent (1 cloth), Distance Control, Send Away

All exercises carried out with the handler seated.

Class 2: Leading on:

Heel on Lead, Retrieve, Recall

Class 3: Jumping off:

Heel off Lead and 2 additional exercises (choose from Novice Recall, A Recall, Retrieve, Send Away, Scent (among strange articles), or Distance Control)

Handlers choosing Scent and Distance Control will receive a bonus.

Class 4: Special Pairs Class:

Handlers will be put into pairs to compete as a team.

Tandem Heel on Lead, Recall and Retrieve (handlers to choose one each)

Rosettes for 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> place.

#### **Rules and Regulations:**

- Dogs must be kept on lead at all times while outside the ring.
- No dog to enter the ring until invited by the judge/steward.
- Silent toys or food in a sealed container may be carried out of sight or placed on the reward table during judging. Rewards may be given after each exercise but food must only be given in the designated area (indicated by the steward) and not dropped on the ground.
- Dogs must be wearing flat or half-check collars only while in the ring.
- The dog is the responsibility of the handler.
- Do not distract other dogs or handlers. Dogs that may be loud or disruptive while others are competing should be left in the car until they are needed.
- Judging will be scaled to the handler and dog's working level. Those that have not competed in any form of obedience before will be considered pre-beginners.
  - Pre-B, Beginner, Novice:

Competitors may use as many commands as necessary

• A and above:

Competitors may use a simultaneous voice command and visual signal for each exercise. The use of the dog's name does not constitute an extra command when used alongside a command.

• You will be judged on the accuracy of exercises and you and your dog's motivation and teamwork.

# This show is intended to be a fun day for all to compete on a level and accessible field.

Please be kind and respectful to volunteers and other competitors to keep the day fun for all.

#### Venue Details:

Plenty of parking available.

Disabled toilet.

Accessible indoor hall (ramps into hall and exercise paddock).

