



Companion Dog Club Partners UKC Nosework Trials

Saturday & Sunday
September 5-6, 2020

Pre-entries Open: Monday, July 20, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. CDT
Pre-entry Closing Date: Tuesday, September 1, 2020, at 6 p.m. CDT

• CERTIFYING OFFICIAL & ASSIGNMENTS

Johnnette Ulch #7361, 1294 78th Street Trail, Belle Plaine, IA
Sharon Dowell #7536, 53524 Elrod Road, Glenwood, IA (backup judge)

Saturday Trial: UKC Licensed Classes Offered & Assignments

Trial #1: Johnnette Ulch: IE-Interior (N-E), IE-Vehicles (N-E), IE-Exterior (N-E), IE-Containers (N-E)

Sunday Trial: UKC Licensed Classes Offered & Assignments

Trial #1: Johnnette Ulch: IE-Interior (N-E), IE-Vehicles (N-E), IE-Exterior (N-E), IE-Containers (N-E)

- **ENTRY INFORMATION: Pre-entry Only. Entry Limits: The judge is limited to eight (8) hours of judging time per day.**

These trials will be held in accordance with UKC's suggested best practices and in compliance with the state of Nebraska's COVID-19 guidelines and regulations.

• ELIGIBILITY & SPECIAL NOTICES TO EXHIBITORS

1. For this trial dogs **DO NEED** to be permanently registered with UKC, have a UKC Temporary Listing number, or have a UKC Limited Privilege listing number.
2. "A" Section Classes - This section is for true beginners of the sport. This section is open to all exhibitors and dogs that have not earned a title in the element in which they are entering or an equivalent title in another organization. The exhibitor must own the dog entered or be a member of the owner's household or immediate family. Once the dog has earned the title, it may no longer compete in the "A" section. **No licensed or professional dog trainer or Nosework instructor, regardless of the person's status as an amateur or professional, may compete in this section. No person licensed to officiate Nosework in UKC or any other organization may compete in this section.**
3. "B" Section Classes - Any dog or handler that is qualified is eligible to compete in Section "B." Dog and handler teams may continue to compete in this section indefinitely. The exhibitor does not need to own the dog entered.

Event Committee

Event Chairperson: Gary McDonald
smcdonald@abnebraska.com
Trial Secretary: Norine Nieman
papnose@cox.net
Chief Ring Steward: TBD
Hospitality: TBD
Ribbons/Prizes: Sandy McDonald
Show Site: Companion Dog Club
10803 N 72nd Street
Omaha, NE 68122

Container & Interior Classes will be held indoors (building is heated and air-conditioned; Vehicle & Exterior Classes will be held outdoors rain or shine.

Concessions are NOT Available for this Event.

Club Officers

President: Jan Wild
Secretary: Sandra McDonald
Treasurer: Jane Susgin

4. All Interior and Container Classes will be held indoors on a matted surface. All Vehicle and Exterior Classes will be held outdoors rain or shine.
5. Exhibitors with More Than One Dog Entered in a Trial - Exhibitors may handle only one dog in each class in each trial. An exhibitor may enter more than one dog in the same class so long as a separate handler is provided for each dog. Exhibitors may enter and handle more than one dog per trial provided the additional dog(s) are entered in a different class from all the other entries being handled by that exhibitor.
6. **COVID-19:** Please read UKC's Suggested Best Practices on the UKC website. Companion Dog Club Partners will send its own specific guidelines for this event when we send the judging program after the event closes.

- **ENTRY INFORMATION: FEES, DATES, and TIMES**

Pre-entries open Monday, July 20, 2020. CDT

1. **Pre-entry Fees**

- IE - Containers (N-E) = \$20.00 per dog per trial
- IE - Exterior (N-E) = \$20.00 per dog per trial
- IE - Interior (N-E) = \$20.00 per dog per trial
- IE - Vehicles (N-E) = \$20.00 per dog per trial

2. **Pre-entry Closing Date:** Pre-entries will be accepted until Tuesday, September 1, 2020, at 6:00 p.m. CDT NO Pre-entries will be accepted or processed after that time. NO EXCEPTIONS.

3. **NO Day-of-Show Entries.**

4. Each dog must be entered on a separate official UKC Nosework entry form. Please note: New updated form must be used. It is now a one-page application form.

5. No telephone, e-mail, or fax entries will be accepted.

6. Any entry missing crucial information will not be processed, nor counted as received, until authorization is obtained.

7. **Substitution Policy:** There will be no substitutions. An unentered dog may not be substituted for an entered dog.

- **SUBMITTING ENTRIES**

- Entries must be submitted on the Official UKC Nosework Entry form included with this Premium List. It can also be accessed at (<https://www.ukcdogs.com/docs/showforms/nosework-entry.pdf>). Photocopies of this form may also be used.
- **Mailed Entries** must include all fees. Any mailed entries received without all fees will not be processed until such fees have been paid.

Mail Pre-entries to: Norine Nieman, Companion Dog Club Partners (CDCP) Trial Secretary, 13500 Spring Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68144.

- **PAYMENT FOR ENTRIES**

1. Pre-entry payment must be made by check or money order. No entry will be processed without full payment.
2. Make checks payable to **Companion Dog Club Partners (CDCP)**. Checks must be payable in U.S. funds.
3. Post-dated checks or returned checks do not constitute valid entry fees. Companion Dog Club Partners will add a collection fee of \$35.00 to the amount of each returned check or money order.
4. Checks will not be deposited until after the closing date.
5. Changes made to an entry will require a new check from the exhibitor.

• ENTRY CANCELLATION, REFUNDS, & WAIT LIST

1. Entry cancellations **MUST** be received in writing (includes e-mail) prior to the closing of Pre-entries and **MUST** include the dog's breed, UKC number, and name. Cancellations received by telephone are **NOT** acceptable. Checks will be shredded.
2. No refunds will be given for invalid entries and dogs entered in the incorrect class after the event is over.
3. No refund of entry fees will be made for entries cancelled after the Pre-entry deadline.
4. No entries will be refunded after the event is closed.
5. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.
6. A wait list will be established. The first person on the wait list will be given the first opportunity to be entered in the trial in the event of a cancellation of a pre-entered dog. On the day of the trial, if any of the pre-entered dogs are absent, the absentees will be replaced by the first person on the wait list that is present and ready to compete. We will shred the checks of all wait list exhibitors who do not get the opportunity to compete. A full refund will also be reimbursed to any entrant whose entry is replaced by a waitlisted entry.
7. Every effort will be made to find all duplicate entries before processing. If a duplicate entry is processed, however, no refund will be made.
8. Entry overpayments will not be refunded. Exhibitors will need to write a new check.
9. If, because of riots or civil disturbances, it is impossible to open or to complete an event or trial, no refund of entry fees will be made.
10. If, specifically because of Nebraska governmental authority or pandemic guidelines, it is illegal or impossible to hold this event, Companion Dog Club Partners will update exhibitors and issue full refunds.
11. Exhibitors understand that they are entering this event at their own and others' risk. If an exhibitor needs to cancel entries after the closing date because of his/her own circumstances with COVID-19 exposure, special consideration will be given. Please contact the secretary.
12. If, in the opinion of the host club, the well-being of dogs, exhibitors, or spectators is at risk due to extreme weather conditions, such as, but not limited to snowstorms, tornadoes, lightning, or extreme heat, the host club may cancel or stop a show or trial before completion. No refunds will be made in such cases.

• ENTRY CONFIRMATION, ARMBANDS, AND JUDGING PROGRAM

1. **E-mailed confirmation of entries** will be sent to the e-mail address included on the entry form (please type or print clearly) as soon as possible after the entry has been accepted and processed. Please verify the classes/events your dog is entered into when receiving this e-mail of processed entry. Should there be any errors please contact the Trial Secretary, Norine Nieman, at papnose@cox.net immediately.
2. One armband number will be assigned to each dog for all trials in which the dog is entered. Armbands will be available at the check-in table on each day of the trial.
3. You will receive updated trial information and a judging schedule after the event closes.

• CLASS CHANGE/CORRECTION OF ENTRY

1. Owners are responsible for the accuracy of information and any errors on the entry forms. There will be no refunds for invalid entries. Dogs that, according to their owners' records, have completed the requirements for a title after the closing of entries, may be **moved** from the entered class to another class for which the dog is now eligible, provided that a request for class change is made in writing to the Trial Secretary of Companion Dog Club Partners not later than one-half hour prior to the start of the first trial. You must use the official form.
2. Dogs may also be **moved** between trials.

• GENERAL BUILDING, CRATING, PARKING, & FOOD INFORMATION

1. All event location times are Central Daylight Time.

2. There will be absolutely NO SMOKING in the Companion Dog Club.
3. Parking is on the concrete areas. No parking behind the building.
5. **Due to physical distancing guidelines plan to work from your car.** The building is heated and air-conditioned.
6. We will need many cars for the Vehicle searches. Please let us know, if we can use your vehicle. It cannot have been used for odor searches two weeks prior to the trial.
7. **Due to COVID-19 Guidelines food will not be available on site. Please bring your own food and drink.**

- **EVENT HOURS:** Event hours are: Saturday - Sunday: 7:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

- **TRIAL TIMES Classes Run in the Following Order Each Day**

Saturday, September 5th 8:30 a.m.

Judge's Briefing with Classes to Follow

T1 Exterior – Elite A-Novice B

T1 Vehicles – Elite A-Novice B

T1 Interior – Novice A - Elite B

T1 Containers – Novice A - Elite B

Above Order May Change After Trial Closes

Sunday, September 6th 8:30 a.m.

Judge's Briefing with Classes to Follow

T1 Exterior – Elite A-Novice B

T1 Vehicles – Elite A-Novice B

T1 Interior – Novice A - Elite B

T1 Containers – Novice A - Elite B

Above Order May Change After Trial Closes

- **EXHIBITOR AND GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. All events are held under the Rules and Regulations of the United Kennel Club, Inc. By entering these shows/trials, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of the event(s) in which they have entered. Here is the link to the UKC Nosework Rules: <https://www.ukcdogs.com/nosework-forms-rules>
2. Companion Dog Club Partners, its agents; UKC, its agents and its employees assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, injury, or ILLNESS sustained by spectators or by exhibitors and handlers, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assume no responsibility for injury to children not under the control of their parents or guardians. UKC and Companion Dog Club Partners are not responsible for any loss, accidents, ILLNESS, or theft.
3. The owner or designated handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when its class is to be judged. The host organization, event committee, and Show Secretary have no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system, or stewards or runners for the purpose of locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.
4. Dogs may arrive any time prior to their scheduled time of judging. Dogs not required for further judging will be excused.
5. Please remember to turn off cell phones and/or pagers before entering rings.
6. No unentered dogs allowed on the event grounds. Note: no dogs less than 8 weeks of age may be present on the grounds of a UKC licensed event.
7. Dogs are not to be left unattended when crated in soft mesh crates. No dog may be left in an unlatched or un-zippered crate.
8. Except when being crated or exhibited, dogs must be kept on leash.
9. Exhibitors and dog owners are expected and required to clean up after their own dogs. Please potty your dog in front of the CDC building and use the provided receptacles for disposal. Any person witnessing a violation of this rule must report it to the Event Committee. The Event Committee may ask any person violating this rule to leave the event grounds. No refund will be made if an exhibitor is asked to leave the grounds.
10. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs will be allowed on the grounds or in the buildings on the day of a UKC licensed event.
11. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or

disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the show site. In that case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

12. UKC will vigorously support any facility that files a complaint about exhibitors who fail to keep their dogs quiet or to clean up after them. In order that the bad conduct of a few exhibitors does not spoil it for the majority of responsible exhibitors, UKC will take strong disciplinary action against any offenders.
13. Females in season will not be allowed to compete. A refund minus \$10 processing fee will be given with a vet's certification, if your female is withdrawn after the closing date.
14. **Spectator Area:** For this event, there will be no spectator area due to the COVID-19 distancing regulations.

- **EMERGENCY VETERINARY SERVICE**

Open During Trial Hours:

Banfield Pet Hospital
Located at PetSmart
6220 N 73rd Plaza
Omaha, NE 68134
402-571-9769
Directions: Drive directly South on 72nd Street. Turn right on Crown Point Ave. Turn right onto N 74th Ct. Continue onto Nebraska Plaza.

- **EMERGENCY VETERINARY SERVICE**

After Trial Hours:

Animal Emergency Clinic 402-339-6232
9664 Mockingbird Drive, Omaha, NE 68127

Directions: Directions will vary depending on where you are. Please call the clinic for the quickest way there.

- **ROUTE TO THE TRIAL**

From the intersection of I-680 and N 72nd Street, turn North on 72nd Street, drive a little over 1 mile. When you see the large radar ball (looks like a giant golf ball) on the **WEST** side of 72nd Street, you have arrived. The large white building is on your left enclosed by chain link fencing and the signage reads Companion Dog Club. (Please note: your GPS will tell you it's on the east side of the street, but the building is actually on the **WEST** side.)

- **AREA MOTELS**

La Quinta Inn NW
3330 No. 104th Ave.
Omaha, NE
402-493-1900
No Pet Fee

Super 8
11610 West Dodge Rd.
Omaha, NE 68154
\$10 per night fee per dog

Best Western Settle Inn
650 No. 109th Court
Omaha, NE 68154
Up to 2 dogs allowed with fee

Motel 6
3511 S 84th Street
Omaha, NE 68124
No Pet Fee

- **RIBBONS**

All Qualifiers: Qualifying Ribbons
IE - Exterior; IE - Containers; IE-Vehicles, IE-Interior (all classes): 1st-4th Place Ribbons
Element Title Rosettes
Nosework Title Rosettes
Class Champion Title Rosettes
Class Grand Champion Title Rosettes