

Entries close Wednesday, March 18, 2015 @6:00pm (PDT)

PREMIUM LIST



*42nd Annual Specialty Show &  
18th Annual Obedience Trial  
7th Annual Rally-O Obedience*

Heritage Park  
Lickman Road, Chilliwack BC

**Friday – April 3, 2015** (*Rally & Obedience*)  
**Saturday – April 4, 2015** (*Specialty Conformation Show*)

THIS SHOW WILL BE HELD INDOORS

in conjunction with...the Renaissance Dog Association  
4 All-Breed Championship Shows  
April 3/4/5/6 - 2015

Held under the rules and regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club  
(Unbenched) (Unexamined)



Invitation

**Renaissance Dog Association**

Invites all Specialty Clubs to participate in unofficial events known as -

**The Ultimate Challenge  
The Veterans Challenge  
The Puppy Challenge**

These special events will be held during the lunch break on Monday - April 6, 2015 in the 'Honor Ring' and will showcase ALL Best in Group Specialty winners, ALL Best in Specialty winners, ALL Best Veteran in Specialty winners and ALL Best Puppy in Specialty winners from this weekend to compete for cash awards. The Ultimate Challenge winner will be presented with a CASH AWARD sponsored by EUKANUBA. The Veterans Challenge winner will be presented with a CASH AWARD sponsored by EUKANUBA. The Puppy Challenge winner will be presented with a CASH AWARD sponsored by EUKANUBA.

The judge for these 3 events are not from the Renaissance Dog Association panel, however, is well respected and known and his/her name will be announced prior to Best in Show on Sunday.

We look forward to all the Specialty clubs being involved with these events.

*B.C. Doberman Pinscher Club*

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*Judges*

Conformation ..... Ms Hassi Assenmacher-Feyel  
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Rally & Obedience..... Mrs. Karen Brearley  
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Sweepstakes.....Mr. Richard Douglas Savory  
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**PLAN ON ALSO ATTENDING**

***Renaissance Dog Association***

Four All-Breed Championship Shows  
April 3/4/5/6 - 2015

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THE PRECINCTS OF THIS SPECIALTY WILL BE AS DESIGNATED BY THE HOST CLUB (Renaissance Dog Association) AND ANY OTHER AREAS RESERVED BY THE SPECIALTY CLUB.

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**IMPORTANT NOTICE – CRATES ONLY WILL BE PERMITTED AT RINGSIDE DURING THE JUDGING OF YOUR RESPECTIVE BREED ONLY, THEN MUST BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY. THIS IS ALSO A NON-SMOKING FACILITY.**

**Catering is not permitted**

## MOTEL/HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

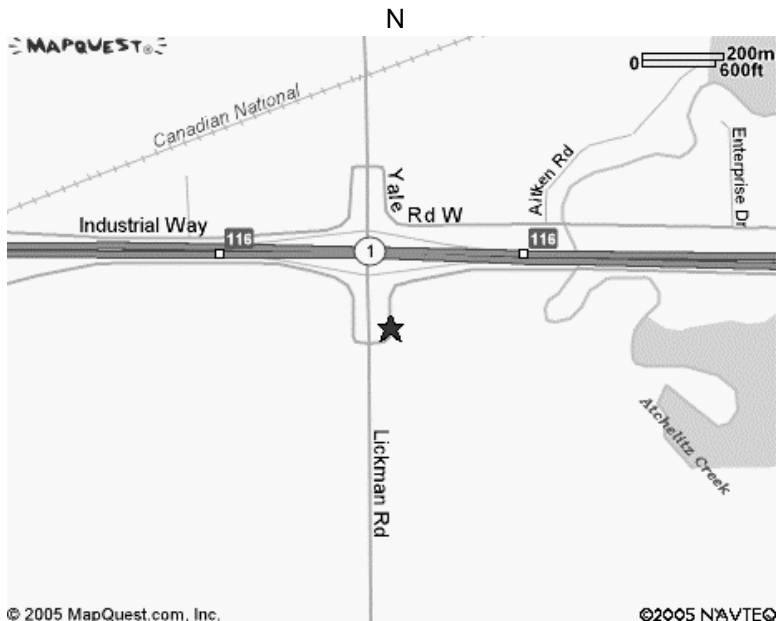
- COMFORT INN**, 45405 Luckakuck Way, Chilliwack BC Ph: 604-858-0636  
*(ask about "SPECIAL DOG SHOW RATE")*
- COAST CHILLIWACK HOTEL**, 45920 First Ave., Chilliwack BC Ph: 604-792-5552  
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- TRAVELODGE**, 45466 Yale Road West, Chilliwack BC Ph: 604-792-4240  
*(located off Hwy 1 @ Exit 119)*
- RIVERVIEW B & B**, 5 min. from Heritage Park Ph: 604-392-2262  
 or e-mail [riverviewbookings@gmail.com](mailto:riverviewbookings@gmail.com)

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Full Service RV Parking is available next door to the Heritage Park facility at:  
**COTTONWOOD MEADOWS RV COUNTRY CLUB**  
 44280 Luckakuck, Chilliwack BC Ph: 604-824-7275

## DIRECTIONS TO THE NEW SHOW SITE

Heritage Park @ Lickman Road  
 East from Vancouver, Hwy 1 take exit 116 (Lickman Road)  
 West from Hope/Interior/Alberta, Hwy 1 take exit 116 (Lickman Road)  
 From the United States, take either, Lynden or Sumas Border crossing, to  
 Hwy 1 and then east of Hwy 1 to Exit 116 (Lickman Road)  
 Heritage Park is on the South side of the freeway.



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## Entry Fees

All entries in the Parades must be entered in a regular Official Class or for  
 Exhibition Only at the regular fee.

All fees include the CKC recording fee and 5% GST.

<i>Conformation Show (Saturday - April 4, 2015)</i>	
First entry of each dog	\$28.00
Additional entry of same dog	\$15.00
Junior and Senior Puppy Class	\$20.00
Veterans Class (competitive)	\$18.00
Non-regular classes (Brace, Stud Dog, Brood Bitch)	\$15.00
Sexually Altered Classes	\$20.00
Parade of Veterans/Parade of Titleholders (Send your bio to Nikki Henkels by March 18 <sup>th</sup> to be included in the catalogue)	\$15.00
Parade of Rescue (Send your bio to Nikki Henkels by March 18 <sup>th</sup> )	N/C
Exhibition Only	\$10.00
Listing Fee (if dog is not individually CKC or ERN registered)	\$ 8.92
Preordered Catalogue (Pre-ordered only - no catalogues at show)	\$ 20.00
<i>Rally &amp; Obedience Trial (Friday - April 3, 2015)</i>	
First entry of each dog	\$28.00
Additional entry of same dog	\$20.00
Pre-Novice, Novice 'C', Novice Intermediate	\$20.00
Veterans, Brace, Versatility & Graduate Open Obedience	\$20.00
Listing Fee (if dog is not individually CKC or ERN registered)	\$ 8.92

**\* NOTE: ALL VISA, MASTERCARD & AMEX TRANSACTIONS WILL BE PROCESSED THROUGH THE DOGSHOW.CA - WESTERN DOG SHOWS LTD. MERCHANT ACCOUNT**



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A service charge of 10% will be assessed. This includes entries sent online, by fax or post using a credit card for payment



\* No purchase required. Full contest details available at [www.DogShow.ca/Contest](http://www.DogShow.ca/Contest)

### Trophy List

Rosettes only will be offered for First in each class. Second through fourth will receive flat ribbons. Suitable prizes and rosettes will be offered for:

High in Trial Stud Dog	Best of Breed Brood Matron	Best of Winners Best Veteran	Best of Opposite Sex First in Class (Veterans)	Best Puppy in Breed
Winners Male/Female				

A rosette engraved with the dog's name will be presented to each dog entered in:  
Parade of Titleholders, Parade of Veterans,  
Parade of Rescue, Veterans Obedience Class

A medallion will be awarded to High Scoring Doberman Female in The Rally & Obedience trial - donated by Nicole Henkels "in honour of Raven"

In addition, Award of Merit rosettes will be awarded (one award of merit for every ten dogs competing for Best of Breed).

A rosette will be awarded to any dog completing a Championship, Obedience or Rally title at this Specialty.

Rosettes ONLY will be awarded for all Transitional Obedience Classes

### Perpetual Trophies

Best of Breed - donated by Cynthia Seeling - Westarr Dobermans

Best of Opposite - donated by Fred Haywood - Procyon Dobermans

Best of Winners - donated by Cherie & Gary Holmes - Holmrun Dobermans

Best Brood Matron - donated by P Sloan & Grant Mitchell - Bluestar Dobermans

High in Trial - donated by Barbara van Ingen - Sabresands Dobermans

These Perpetual trophies will be retained by the club - a plaque will be engraved with the winner's name. There will not be a keeper trophy for the above awards as there is with the Best Puppy trophy

The Best Puppy in Specialty Winner will also be awarded the Gail G. Haywood Memorial Trophy. The BC Doberman Pinscher Club will hold the perpetual trophy and the winner's name will be inscribed on the plaque. This winner will also receive a 'keeper trophy'.

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**PLEASE REFER TO THE RENAISSANCE PREMIUM LIST FOR THE RV PARKING INFO AND THE WDS WEBSITE FOR THE ACTUAL FORM TO BE FORWARDED TO THE SHOW SECRETARY – WESTERN DOG SHOWS LTD.**

**ALSO FIND INFO REGARDING HOTEL/MOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS AS WELL AS RESERVED POWER AND PRE-ASSIGNED GROOMING SPACES**



Due to the anticipated large entry, the club is reserving a portion of the building for pre-assigned grooming spaces. Those exhibitors who are LISTED as EITHER THE OWNER OR THE HANDLER/AGENT on 6 or more dogs, or who are co-ordinating a group of individuals setting up together, may request that an area be reserved for them. Once the allotted area has been filled, all further requests will be returned as will any requests received after the close of entries for the all-breed show. Requests will be acknowledged via email after the closing date and prior to the beginning of the show.

**Please note: Exercise pens may be restricted to 1 pen per 3 entered dogs, depending on the size of the entry.**

In addition to the pre-assigned areas, there will also be regular first come, first served grooming space in which equipment/dogs may be left for the duration of the shows. Ex-pens are permitted in this area.

There will also be an area that will be set aside for Day of Show grooming - this will be first come, first served and all equipment MUST BE REMOVED after Best in Show each night. There will be NO exercise pens allowed in this area.

Any equipment left after Best In Show will be removed by the club or one of it's delegates.

Grooming areas will be monitored by the club and delegated individuals - and exhibitors who do not keep their areas clean, or abuse the space allotted may be asked to leave the show.

**PLEASE DOWNLOAD THE ACTUAL FORM ONLINE @ [www.westerndogshows.com](http://www.westerndogshows.com) UNDER THE MERCHANDISE TAB**

**Renaissance Dog Association is pleased to  
provide the reserved grooming at no charge  
to the exhibitors**

**Request for Pre-assigned grooming space.**

Return this request to the Show Secretary (Western Dog Shows Ltd.)  
A.S.A.P. **All requests MUST be received prior to close of entries for  
the all-breed show. Any requests received after closing will be  
returned, regardless of when they were mailed or postmarked. You  
must be the owner/agent/co-coordinator of 6 or more entered dogs  
in order to request a pre-assigned space.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information: \_\_\_\_\_  
(email is preferred)

Arrival Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of ENTERED dogs \_\_\_\_\_

Power pre-ordered \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

**!!!Power must be pre-ordered on a separate form!!!**

Space sizes available (circle size desired):

- 10' x 10'      10' x 20'      10' x 15'      15'x15'      15'x20'
- 15'x25'                      15'x30'

I certify that I am the owner/agent or co-ordinator for **six or more dogs**  
entered and agree to accept whatever size space is allotted to me.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

Note: unreserved grooming space is available for less than 6 dogs, it is  
first come-first served

Please list names of individuals that will be sharing this space:

*Catalogue Advertising - Great rates!*

Each full-page ad allows for one photo. No ad will be accepted unless a cheque  
or bank draft, made payable to the B.C. Doberman Pinscher Club, is received  
prior to the advertising deadline. Send advertising to Nikki Henkels at the  
address on page 2 or e-mail PDF or word format to fr3dobe@telus.net

\*\*\* Advertising deadline is March 18, 2015 \*\*\*

*Non-Member Ad rates and sizes*

two-page spread.....	2 - 7 x 10" .....	\$40.00
full page.....	1 - 7 x 10" .....	\$35.00
Veteran Ads (dogs 7 years or older)	1 - 7 x 10" .....	\$15.00

*BCDPC Member Ad rates and sizes*

two-page spread.....	2 - 7 x 10" .....	\$35.00
full page.....	1 - 7 x 10" .....	\$20.00
Veteran Ads (dogs 7 years or older)	1 - 7 x 10" .....	\$10.00

Any Ads that need formatting for a PDF file or Word file – or photos  
that need to be scanned.....add \$10.00 per ad

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### Juvenile Sweepstakes

Sweepstakes is open to all dogs six months and under eighteen months on the day of this Specialty. All dogs must be entered in a regular class in the Specialty to compete in sweepstakes. Classes are divided by sex, as follows:

- Junior Puppy - open to puppies 6 months and under 9 months
- Senior Puppy - open to puppies 9 months and under 12 months
- 12-18 Month - open to dogs 12 months and under 18 months

Junior Puppy class winners will compete for Best Junior Puppy; Senior Puppy class winners will compete for Best Senior Puppy; 12-18 Month class winners will compete for Best Intermediate. These three winners will compete for Grand Prize Sweepstakes.

### Sweepstakes Prizes

Twenty-five (25%) of the total entry fees will be retained by the host club to defray costs. The remaining seventy-five (75%) will be divided as follows:

- All 1<sup>st</sup> in Class winners (6 classes).....10%
- Best Opposite in Sweepstakes..... 5%
- Best In Sweepstakes .....10%

In addition, rosettes will be awarded for all placements.

### *JUNIOR HANDLING - Saturday - April 4, 2015*

JUDGE: Mr. Richard Douglas Savory

TIME: following the judging of the regular classes

Entry Fee: \$2.00

Registration will take place at the Specialty ring for 60 to 90 min. and will close ONE HOUR PRIOR to the competition.

Open to all Juniors 7 years of age and up to but not including 18 years of age as of the date of this competition. The Doberman Pinscher handled by the Junior must be entered in the Specialty in an Official class OR for Exhibition Only. The dog used need NOT be owned by the Junior Handler or any member of his/her family

### CLASSES WILL BE DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:

- Junior Novice - 7 to 10 Years, Junior Open 7 to 10 years,
- Intermediate Novice - 11 to 14 Years, Intermediate Open - 11 to 14 Years
- Senior Novice - 15 to BUT NOT INCLUDING 18 Years,
- Senior Open - 15 to BUT NOT INCLUDING 18 years.

A rosette will be offered for 1st through 4<sup>th</sup> in each class and a rosette and prize will be offered for Best Overall.

Please note: There will be NO Pee Wee class offered with this Specialty



**Dilated Cardiomyopathy is a concern for all of us. Check your Doberman early and avoid unwanted surprises.**

### **The BC Doberman Pinscher Club rents their Holter Monitor that screens dogs for heart abnormalities**

Holter monitoring is used to determine how the dogs heart responds to normal activity.

To diagnose:

- Heart Rhythm problems
- Atrial fibrillation/flutter
- Multifocal atrial tachycardia
  - Palpitation
- Paroxysmal supraventricular tachycardia
- Slow heart rate (bradycardia)
- Ventricular tachycardia

### **HOLTER monitors SAVE LIVES**

**Please contact Vicky Olson at**

**(604) 854-1777 or [volson@shaw.ca](mailto:volson@shaw.ca) for scheduling.**

## RALLY OBEDIENCE CLASSIFICATIONS

*NO DOG MAY BE ENTERED IN BOTH NOVICE "A" & NOVICE "B" AT SAME TRIAL.*

*NO DOG MAY BE ENTERED IN BOTH ADVANCED "A" & ADVANCED "B" AT SAME TRIAL*

**RALLY NOVICE A:** Dogs competing in this class may not have won a CKC Rally Novice (R.N.) title or any CKC Novice Obedience title. The handler of any dog in this class must be the owner, co-owner, or a member of their immediate families. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. A dog may continue to compete in this class after the owner has been notified by at least 2 different judges that the dog has won 3 qualifying scores in this class. However, a dog may not be entered or exhibited in this class in any rally trial after the owner has received official notification from the CKC that the dog has won the title.

**RALLY NOVICE B:** Any dog may compete in this class until a qualifying score in the Rally Advanced Class is earned. The owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. All exercises are judged on leash, and all dogs must enter and leave the ring on leash.

**RALLY NOVICE INTERMEDIATE:** This class (performed on leash, no jumps, no A or B division) may be entered indefinitely. Judges would ordinarily use the same course for it as for their Advanced Classes, substituting one other exercise for the jump required in Advanced.

**RALLY ADVANCED A:** This class shall be for dogs that have won the Rally Novice (R.N.) title but have not won the Rally Advanced (R. A.) title or any CKC Novice Obedience title. The handler of any dog in this class must be the owner, co-owner, or a member of their immediate families. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. A dog may continue to compete in this class after the owner has been notified by at least 2 different judges that the dog has won 3 qualifying scores in this class. However, a dog may not be entered or exhibited in this class in any rally trial after the owner has received official notification from the CKC that the dog has won the title.

**RALLY ADVANCED B:** This class will be for dogs that have won the Rally Novice (R.N.) title. A dog completing the Rally Advanced (R.A.) title may continue to compete in this class indefinitely. The owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. All exercises are judged off leash. All dogs must enter and leave the ring on leash.

**RALLY EXCELLENT A:** This class shall be for dogs that have won the Rally Advanced (R. A.) title, but have not won the Rally Excellent (R. E.) title or any CKC Novice Obedience title. The handler of any dog in this class must be the owner, co-owner, or a member of their immediate families. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. A dog may continue to compete in this class after the owner has been notified by at least 2 different judges that the dog has won 3 qualifying scores in this class. However, a dog may not be entered or exhibited in this class in any rally trial after the owner has received official notification from the CKC that the dog has won the title.

**RALLY EXCELLENT B:** This class will be for dogs that have won the Rally Advanced (R.A.) title. A dog completing the Rally Excellent (R.E.) title may continue to compete in this class indefinitely. The owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. All exercises are judged off leash except the Honour Exercise. All dogs must enter and leave the ring on leash.

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## *Conformation Classifications*

The following Regular CKC Classes (divided by sex) will be offered

**JUNIOR PUPPY CLASS** - This class shall be for any dog *6 months of age and under 9 months of age* on the day of the show

**SENIOR PUPPY CLASS** - This class shall be for any dog *9 months of age and under 12 months of age* on the day of the show

**12 TO 18 MONTHS:** Shall be for dogs 12 months of age and under 18 months of age on the day of the Specialty.

**CANADIAN BRED CLASS** - This class shall be for any dog born in Canada.  
(Champions of any country excluded)

**BRED BY EXHIBITOR CLASS** - This class shall be for any dog owned and handled in the ring owner/breeder. The handler **MUST** be the owner/co-owner **AND** breeder/co-breeder of the dog. The owner/breeder must handle the dog at the class level, but need not handle the dog for further awards

**OPEN CLASS** - This class shall be for all dogs (*Note: NOT divided by colour*)

**SPECIALS ONLY CLASS** - This class shall be for any dog, which has a recorded CKC Registration or Event Registration Number and has attained the required points for Championship status. **Note:** A Listed dog **MAY** be moved to the Specials Only Class after the closing of entries, provided the CKC Individual or Event Registration Number was received prior to the first day of the show. The request to move a class dog to the Specials Only Class **MUST** be received by the Show Secretary ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THE OPENING OF THE SHOW ON THE DAY CONCERNED. Listing Fees **WILL NOT** be refunded

**EXHIBITION ONLY** - All dogs entered in this class shall be listed in the catalogue with the same particulars as dogs entered in regular competition. Dogs entered in this class **MAY NOT COMPETE** in any Regular class but may enter and compete in Non-Regular classes and/or Parades ONLY

## **Additional Conformation classifications**

The following additional regular/non-regular CKC classes (divided by variety/sex) will be offered at this Specialty:

### REGULAR CLASSES

**VETERANS CLASS:** Shall be for all dogs 7 years of age and over on the day of the Specialty. The winners of the Veteran Male and Female classes will NOT compete for Championship points but goes directly into the Best of Breed competition.

***SPAYED/NEUTERED DOGS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR COMPETITION IN THIS CLASS.***

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**NON-REGULAR/UNOFFICIAL CONFORMATION CLASSES**

**Note:** Any dog entered in a Unofficial/Non-Regular class **MUST** also be entered in a regular class or for Exhibition Only.

**SIRE & GET:** Shall be for Sire and three maximum of his Get.

**BROOD MATRON & PROGENY:** Shall be for Dam and three maximum of her Progeny.

**BRACE CLASS:** Shall be for two dogs (not necessarily the same sex), identical ownership is NO LONGER required

**PARADE OF VETERANS:** Shall be for all dogs that are at least 7 years of age on the day of this Specialty. All participants in Parades **MUST** be entered also in one of the regular classes or for Exhibition Only. *Spayed or neutered dogs are invited to participate **BUT MUST** be entered in the official Veterans Class (conformation) or for Exhibition Only. (Please provide a written resume of your dog (75 words) with your entry.*

**PARADE OF TITLEHOLDERS:** Shall be for all dogs that hold either a championship or obedience title in Canada. All participants in Parades **MUST** be entered also in one of the regular classes or for Exhibition Only (Please provide a written resume of your dog (75 words) with your entry.

**PARADE OF RESCUE:** Shall be for all dogs that have been rescued by a recognized rescue organization. This is a non-competitive class. All participants *must* be entered in one of the regular classes or for Exhibition Only. **Note:** Spayed or neutered dogs are invited to participate but must be entered in the official Altered Class (conformation) or for Exhibition Only. *Please provide a written resume of your dog (approximately 75 words or less) with your entry.*

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**SEXUALLY ALTERED CLASSES**

Eligibility for the Altered classes shall be limited to dogs over six months of age, which have been sexually altered by veterinary procedure. Points MAY NOT be carried from the regular competition judging to the Altered class judging. This class WILL be judged upon the completion of Best of Breed.

Two classes ONLY will be offered:

***Altered Male and Altered Female***

Classes will be placed first through fourth in both sexes, the first place winner from each sex will be declared Winners and the second place winner from each sex will be awarded Reserve. The Altered Winners Male and Altered Winners Female will then compete for Best Altered in Breed.

**DOGS AND EQUIPMENT MAY BE LEFT IN THE BUILDING AT OWNERS/AGENTS OWN RISK. (Please read "Agreement" on the back side of the entry form).**

**NON-REGULAR/UNOFFICIAL OBEDIENCE CLASSES**

*ALL DOGS ENTERED IN A NON-REGULAR CLASS MUST ALSO BE ENTERED IN A REGULAR CLASS OR FOR EXHIBITION ONLY ON THE SAME DAY.*

**BRACE CLASS-**This class is open to any two dogs of the breed and of either sex, which have attained not less than a "CD" title in Canada. Same person need not own both dogs.

**VETERANS CLASS-** This class shall be for all dogs that have an obedience title and are 7 years old prior to the closing of entries. The exercises shall be performed and judged as in the "Novice Class".

**GRADUATE OPEN CLASS-** is open to any dog that has not earned a qualifying score toward the U.D. title, but which has obtained the title of C.D.X. prior to the closing date of the trial in which it is to be entered. The owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class. A person may enter more than one dog in this class. The same handler must handle each dog in all 6 exercises unless he has 2 or more dogs entered. In such case, he must have an additional handler for each extra dog when they are judged together in the Group Exercises.

**VERSATILITY CLASS** is open to any dog that has attained the title of C.D.X. and at least 1 qualifying score towards the Utility title, prior to the closing date of the trial in which it is to be entered. The owner or any other person may handle dogs in this class. More than one (1) dog may be entered in this class

**DOGS ENTERED IN THE VETERANS CLASS MAY ALSO BE ENTERED IN ANY REGULAR CLASS OR FOR EXHIBITION ONLY**

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## ***Obedience Classifications***

***NO DOG MAY BE ENTERED IN BOTH NOVICE "A" & "B" AT SAME TRIAL***

***NO DOG MAY BE ENTERED IN BOTH OPEN "A" & "B" AT SAME TRIAL***

***PRE-NOVICE*** - This class shall be for all purebred dogs and those breeds as designated on the list of miscellaneous breeds and of either sex, which have not earned the title of P.C.D. (Pre-Companion Dog) in Canada. Dogs being entered in this class may be handled or exhibited by the owner or any other person. A person may enter more than one dog in this class and must have an additional handler for each dog when they are judged together on the Group exercise. A dog may be entered in the Pre-Novice that has not earned the title of C.D. in Canada or a comparable title in any other country. The Pre-Novice class is an elective class and earning a title is not a requirement to advance to the Novice Classes.

***NOVICE "A"*** - This class is open to all dogs, providing the dog has not earned the title of "CD" in ANY COUNTRY. ***One dog ONLY may be entered in this class by any one exhibitor.*** The exhibitor ***MUST BE THE OWNER or A MEMBER OF HIS/HER IMMEDIATE FAMILY*** and ***MUST SHOW THE DOG IN ALL EXERCISES.*** No licensed handler, trainer or any person who has previously exhibited a dog through its "UD" title in Canada or Elsewhere shall be allowed to compete in this class, but ***MUST COMPETE IN NOVICE "B" CLASS***

***NOVICE "B"*** - This class is open to all dogs, which have not earned the title of "CD", and may be shown by the owner or any other person. The dog may not necessarily be CKC or ERN Reg'd to compete in this class

***NOVICE "C"*** - This class is open to any dog of either sex that has gained the title Companion Dog, Companion Dog Excellent, Utility Dog or any other advanced Obedience title in Canada prior to the closing date of the trial in which it is to be entered. Exhibitors may enter more than one dog in this class but must have a separate handler for each dog in the Long Sit and the Long Down Exercises when they are judged in the same group. The Novice 'C' exercises will be performed and judged as described in the official Novice Class except that exhibitors may compete in the Novice 'C' Class indefinitely. Scores earned by dogs entered in the Novice 'C' Class are not eligible for High In Trial. The P.C.D. and C.D.I. and Novice 'C' are elective classes which are offered for those people who feel the dog requires ring experience and acclimation to the trial situation or would like to earn additional titles. Dogs may be entered in the Novice - Intermediate (C.D.I.) and/or Novice 'C' class in addition to any of the Official Classes or Unofficial Classes.

***NOVICE INTERMEDIATE CLASS*** - This class shall be for all purebred dogs and those breeds as designated on the list of miscellaneous breeds and of either sex, which have earned the title of (C.D.) Companion Dog, Companion Dog Excellent, Utility Dog or any other advanced Obedience title in Canada. A dog eligible for entry in the Open A or B Class at any obedience trial held under these rules is also eligible for entry in the Novice 'C' and Novice Intermediate Class at the same trial. The Novice Intermediate class (C.D.I.) is an elective class and earning a title is not a requirement to advance to a Companion Dog Excellent title. Scores earned by dogs competing in this class are not eligible for High In Trial. Dogs are eligible to compete in this class indefinitely. Dogs in this class may be handled or exhibited by the owner or any other person. A person may enter more than one dog in this class.

***OPEN "A"*** - This class is open to all dogs which have earned the title of "CD" IN CANADA, but have not earned the title of "CDX" in any country. ***One dog ONLY may be entered in this class by any one exhibitor.*** The exhibitor ***MUST BE THE OWNER or A MEMBER OF HIS/HER IMMEDIATE FAMILY*** and ***MUST SHOW THE DOG IN ALL EXERCISES.*** No licensed handler, trainer or any person who has previously exhibited a dog through its "UD" title in Canada or Elsewhere shall be allowed to compete, but ***MUST COMPETE IN THE OPEN "B" CLASS.*** A CKC or ERN Reg'd number must be provided on the entry form at time of closing of entries to be eligible to compete in this class

***OPEN "B"*** - This class is open to all dogs, which have earned the title of "CD" in CANADA, and may be shown by the owner or any other person. This dog ***MAY ALSO COMPETE IN THE UTILITY CLASS.*** A CKC or ERN Reg'd number must be provided on the entry form at time of closing of entries to be eligible to compete in this class

***UTILITY CLASS 'A'*** - This class is open to any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of "CDX" but has not earned the title of U.D. Any person who has trained or exhibited a dog that has earned a M.O.T.Ch title may not handle dogs in this class. This dog must be shown by the owner or a member of their immediate families. A CKC or ERN Reg'd number must be provided on the entry form at time of closing of entries to be eligible to compete in this class. Owners may enter More than one dog in this class. The same person must handle the dog in all exercises. When a dog is wrongfully entered in this class, any score will be cancelled.

***UTILITY CLASS 'B'*** - This class is open to any dog of any recognized or listed breed which has earned the title of "CDX" or U.D. Dogs in this class may be handled by the owner or any other person. A CKC or ERN Reg'd number must be provided on the entry form at time of closing of entries to be eligible to compete in this class. Owners may enter more than one dog in this class. The same person must handle the dog in all exercises. No dog may be entered in both the Utility A and Utility B classes at any one trial. Prior to the start of judging, the judge will decide the order of exercises to be performed. This order will not be disclosed to exhibitors until it is posted at ringside, approx. 30 mins. Prior to the start of the class.

## **AGREEMENT**

I (we) acknowledge that I (we), all exhibitors, handlers and patrons, know and abide by the "CKC Dog Show Rules", and that I am (we are) familiar with their content. I (we) agree that the Club holding this show has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the Club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Show and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prize money, ribbons or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the Renaissance Dog Association, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of a dog while in or upon the show premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss of a dog by disappearance, theft, death or otherwise, and from any claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the Club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other cause or causes.

I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this show, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused and whether or not the same may have alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other person.