

# **Spitfire Dog Sports**



Getting Ready for Santa!
UKI Agility Trial

November 27, 2020

Email Entry / E-Tsf Payment ONLY

Harold's Barn 5570 Ross Rd, Abbotsford BC

Manual Timing Indoors on silica/fiber surface

## **Entries Open:**

November 9, 2020 at 5 pm

Closes: November 20, 2020 or when full

# Judge Tracey Mallinson

Bitches in season are allowed to run at this show. Please see page 5 for details.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Hygiene and Social Distancing Guidelines will be in effect. We will have detailed facility guidelines & protocols that will be sent to each competitor with confirmation of entry. Individuals in attendance who fail to follow these guidelines will not be allowed to compete and will be asked to leave the trial grounds. No spectators.

#### **SCHEDULE OF AGILITY**

(held under UK Agility International Rules & Regulations)



#### **CLASSES:**

#### 2 SpeedStakes

Beginner/Novice & Senior/Champion

Beginner/Novice and Senior/Champion will be combined

Masters Series (Agility & Jumpers)
All Classes

# Competition Manager: Chris Chromy

Spitfire.Entries@gmail.com

Trial opens: 5:30 pm
Briefing: 5:45 pm
Judging Starts: 6:00 pm

Subject to change depending on entries

#### Online ONLY due to Covid:

Email Complete Form to
Spitfire.Entries@gmail.com
E-Transfers can be sent to:
Spitfire.Entries@gmail.com

Password: spitfire

Trial Site & Information: Please bring your own crate, clean up supplies, & water for your dog. Dogs must be kept on leash when not in the ring. A warm up jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

**Confirmation:** Will be emailed, or mailed to you if you don't provide an email address. If you do not receive a confirmation at least 1 week prior to the trial date, or if there are errors, please notify the Trial Secretary (Spitfire.Entries@gmail.com) as soon as possible. This will help avoid delays on the day of the trial.

Trial Site Rules: Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

Food Services: There will be no option for food services on site. Please bring water for you and your dogs. Due to Covid we will only be providing bottle water for competitors. There are restaurants 5-10 minutes' drive from the trial site.

No Food Stashing: There will not be a Food Stashing / Food Reward Area (NFC ONLY) at this trail due to Covid.

Helpers: We depend on volunteers to make this a great event. As this is a small trial, all competitors will be required to help in the ring. On the entry form, please check the boxes for your preferred volunteer jobs!

Questions? Regarding Entries to this show, please contact the trial manager / show secretary at Spitfire.Entries@gmail.com

#### **Event Time Table for Friday**

Crating & Measuring opens at 5:30 pm Briefing at 5:45 pm Walk Thru at 5:50 pm First dog on the line: 6:00 pm

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

FRIDAY Master Heat Agility Master Heat Jumping Speedstakes 1 Beginners/Novice, then Champ/Senior

Speedstakes 2 Beginners/Novice, then Champ/Senior

#### **Hotels & RV/Tenting information:**

**RV/Tenting:** Available on request. Hookup may or may not be available. Please contact the trial manager / show secretary (Spitfire.Entries@gmail.com) for further details and to reserve a spot.

Hotels: We have not made arrangements with any hotels but provide this information for your **convenience.** The following is located close to the trial site and advertises welcoming pets. We suggest booking your room early as pet friendly rooms are often limited. Note that hotels may charge an additional fee for pets.

> **Coast Abbotsford Hotel & Suites** 604-853-1880 2020 Sumas Way, Abbotsford, BC

Crating: No crating in the Building due to Covid - Please crate in your car.

Masks: Masks must be worn at all times when inside, within 20 feet of the entry and exit doors, while using the porta potties and when 6 feet social distancing cannot be maintained.

24 Hour Veterinarian **Animal Emergency Clinic** of the Fraser Valley,

604-514-1711

#### **About UKI Agility**

#### **Speedstakes Titling Program**

**SS Beginners**: For dogs that are not eligible for SS Novice, SS Senior and SS Champion levels in the Speed Stakes Program.

**SS Novice**: 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.

**SS Senior**: For dogs that have gained a minimum of 20 points in the SS Novice classes.

**SS Champion**: For dogs that have gained a minimum of 36 points in the SS Senior classes.

#### **International Titling Program**

**Beginners**: For dogs that are not eligible for Novice, Senior and Champion levels in the International Program

**Novice**: 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.

**Senior**: 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.

**Champion**: For dogs that have gained a minimum of 36 points, where 12 of those points must be obtained in agility classes, 12 from jumping, and 12 from games.

#### **UKI Jump Height**

Jump Height	Select & Nursery Height Options	Dog's Height	A-frame height	2021 WAO tryout height	2021 WAO Height cutoffs
8 inch	4 inch (s)	11" & under	5'3"		
12 inch	8 inch (s)	14" & under	5'3"	300	320 (12.60")
16 inch	12 inch (s)	17.5" & under	5'7"	400	410 (16.14")
20 inch	16 inch (s)	22 & under	5'7"	500	500 (19.69")
22 inch	20 inch (s)	Over 22"	5'7"		
24 inch	20 inch (s)	Over 22"	5'7"	600	Over 500 (19.69")
4 inch Select & Nursery		Any	5'3"		

Dogs are measured while in a standing position on a flat surface. The measurement is taken from the top of the dog's withers. All dogs, except the 24 & 22 inch divisions and the 20 inch Select, must have an official measurement when at their first show. If your official dog's measurement moves you into a different height than the one entered, you must notify the show secretary and your dog will be moved into the correct height.

#### Transfer Table of Highest Level in Standard Agility for Newly Registered Dogs as of March 1, 2020

AKC/CKC	USDAA/AAC	СРЕ	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	ADCH or ATChC	N/A	Champion	SS Champion



# <u>Canadian Open 2021 – August 27-29, 2021</u>

# **Reach Huron Center, Clinton, Ontario**

### Canadian Open 2021 - Qualifying period July 23, 2020 thru July 18, 2021

Bye and Rule information will be announced after 31 August 2020

#### NOTICE TO COMPETITORS

**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.

**All dogs and handlers must be registered with UK Agility International in order to compete.** UK Agility International's official rules & regulations are given free on registration of Handler/Owner to UKI. If you or your dog is not already registered, please register online at <a href="https://www.ukagilityinternational.com">www.ukagilityinternational.com</a>

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:

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

Entries without fees paid in full will be returned. Separate entry forms must be completed by each Competitor and must be signed by the Competitor or Guardian if the competitor is a minor.

**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, then the following administration costs will be incurred. If payment was received by check or money order, then a \$4 administration fee will be incurred. If payment was received by credit card a 4% charge of the refund will be assessed, per transaction. If payment was received from a Pay Pal account, a 4% charge of the refund will be assessed, per transaction. Once a show has been closed and/or capped refunds of any kind for any reason will not be available.

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.

Additional administration charges may be imposed to members' account due to negligence which result in administration time to correct. Possible infractions, but 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.

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 suffering if it continues competing. 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.

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, may 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.

No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the show.

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.

All competitors **MUST** clean up after their dogs at all times. Failure to do so will result in competitors being asked to leave the Show.

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

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. **There will be a \$25.00 service charge for returned checks**. Payment of entry fees and service charges shall be made before a competitor may compete. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls to a UK Agility International account must be paid prior to the start of the event. Any fees not received within 30 days of notice shall be reported to UK Agility International. UK Agility International will suspend a dog's/handlers' registration until fees are paid in full. If your UK Agility International account owes money when we process the entries for this show please be sure you have arranged payment to be made directly to the show. Failure to do this will result in your UKI account being suspended.

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 whilst at the show.

<u>Media Rights Release:</u> 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.

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.

Each competitor acknowledges through their entry to the UKI event that their participation is a privilege and not a right. By virtue of their entry, competitors acknowledge and agree to comply with all UKI rules and regulations, and agree to accept any sanctions that may be imposed for failure to comply. The judge has responsibility for determining when it is appropriate to excuse a dog and competitor from the ring based on matters related to competitor misconduct. The UKI show officials have responsibility for determining when an infraction should result in 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 UKI officials may take action: Abuse of a dog on the grounds ② Actions that may have the appearance of abuse of a dog ② Willful misconduct or interference with a competitor's right to show ② Any acts of poor sportsmanship ② Violation of procedural rules ② Compulsive, correctional training on the grounds ② Willful misrepresentation on entry forms ② Willful misrepresentation of animals ② Dog aggression ② Failure to exercise diligence in the control of the behavior of their dog. ② Intimidation and/or impolite confrontation of judges, event officials, event helpers, or other competitors ② Creating excessive delays as a failure to respect the authority of event officials.

Social Media Conduct rule is in effect. Cyber bullying of any kind towards UKI, 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.

**Bitches in season may run at this show.** You must notify the show secretary as early as possible to this fact. All BIS must run at the end of the class, after all jump heights have finished in that class and must use a mat on the start line, to be provided by the show. In season pants may be worn while running but handlers allow this at their own risk.

#### **Masters Series Tournament Rules**

The aim of the 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.

- The Masters is considered one class made up of 2 rounds: an Agility and Jumping round with results combined.
- Entry open to ALL dogs of all levels.
- Separate competition for each jump height.
- Running order for second round will be in reverse order of the first runs results. 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 large enough 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. Handlers must run for competition in both rounds to receive a combined score and be eligible for the Final, awards & prizes. 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. Any extraordinary circumstances to be ruled by UKI.
- Cumulative scoring; dog with the lowest score wins. Faults converted into seconds (5 faults = 5 seconds) and time faults treated the same as course faults but converted on a 1:1 ratio.
- Winners in each height of the Agility round and the Jumping round qualify for the Masters Series Final.
- If 1-5 dogs are entered in a jump height 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place from the combined scores of Agility and Jumping rounds qualify for the Masters Series Final. If 6 10 dogs are entered in a jump height 1<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> will qualify, above 10; 1<sup>st</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> will qualify.
- Prize money to be paid out to at each heat for the combined winners per the prize fund below.
- In the event there is not a monetary winner within a height, the prize money will be sent to UKI to be added to the Masters Final.
- In the event of a tie for the combined results, the result from the Agility round will be the deciding factor. If there is still a tie, the dogs will compete in a run-off on the 2<sup>nd</sup> rounds course.
- Eliminations will result in 100 faults with a 60-second course time.
- Dogs that score 320 cumulative and over will not be placed nor awarded prize money.
- A no-show in either class will result in a disqualification from the class and therefore will not be eligible individual class placement, overall placement or eligibility to qualify for the Final.

MASTERS SERIES PRIZE MONEY Chart:

Entered in height	1st	2nd	Total fund	Fund perce	entage
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%

# **UK Agility International Handler Entry Form Spitfire Dog Sports** November 27, 2020

# Entries Open November 9 at 5pm and Close November 20 or when full

YOU & YOUR DOG MUST HAVE A UKI NUMBER TO ENTER. ACCOUNTS MUST BE CREATED ONLINE www.UKAgilityInternational.com

PL	EASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY AND LEGIBLY	
Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Email:	Phone:	
e Only: Email Form to Spitfire.Enti	ries@gmail.com, E-Transfers can be sent to: Spitfi	re.Entries@gmail.com Password: spitfire
Total Number of Class Entries	X \$15.00CAD	
Total Number of Masters Entries	X \$33.00CAD	
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# UK Agility International Dog Entry Form Spitfire Dog Sports November 27, 2020

#### Entries Open November 9 at 5pm and Close November 20 or when full

You must submit the Handler Entry Form, (previous page) with the Dog Entry Form. ENTRY NOT VALID WITHOUT #'S

Handlers Name:		UKI Number:	
Dog Call Name:	Breed:		UKI Dog #:

Select your Jump Height				
	Regular	Select		
4 inch				
8 inch				
12 inch				
16 inch				
20 inch				
22 inch				
24 inch				

Select your Dog's Level				
Speedstakes	Tick only 1			
Beginner		Beginner		
Novice		Novice		
Senior		Senior		
Champ		Champ		

<sup>\*</sup>International Program consists of Agility, Jumping and Games classes & dog must therefore run in the same level for those classes. Please be aware of the level you should enter (page 3). Entering an incorrect level will result in any scores being void.

Friday					
Class	tick to enter	Fee			
Masters Heat		\$33			
Speedstakes 1		\$15			
Speedstakes 2		\$15			

If you are running more than one dog, please make extra copies.

#### **COVID-19 Waiver – must be signed and dated by UKI registered handler competing at Event**

I attest that to the best of my knowledge, I do not have COVID-19 at the time of attending this event, and understand the risks of unknowing exposure to this and other illnesses by or to myself, my family, other participants, and any third parties. I have not been tested and found positive; am not waiting for test results; and have not had COVID-19 symptoms in the last 21 days. I agree that I will not knowingly expose others to any illness I may have or be at risk to have. I will follow all the facility rules and requirements to reduce any exposure and possibility of contracting or spreading the virus. I will also fully cooperate with and follow any City, County or State guidelines that have jurisdiction in the area in which the class or event is taking place. I understand if I do not fully comply with the guidelines regarding COVID-19, I will be required to leave the trial with no claim of a refund.