

# Santa Barbara Flyers UKI Agility Trial

Friday April 19, 2024

#### **River View Park**

151 Sycamore Drive, Buellton, CA 93427

Outdoors on Field Grass Two Alternating Fenced Rings 90' x 120' (One class will run at a time)

#### **Entries close on or before**

April 9, 2024 (350 Runs Per Day Maximum)

No online entries

Please email entries to: maddiemalcolm@gmail.com

Payments can be made via PayPal to: santabarbaraflyers.agility@gmail.com
(If you pay via PayPal, please let the T/S know this when you email your entry!)

or snail-mail entries and checks to:

Katrina Parkinson 160 Ralston Avenue Mill Valley, CA 94941

Make checks payable to Santa Barbara Flyers

Judge: Terry Smorch

# **SCHEDULE OF AGILITY**

(held under UK Agility International Rules & Regulations)



## **CLASSES:**

# International and Speedstakes All levels all heights

Gamblers
Jumping
Agility
[double] Speedstakes

### **Competition Managers:**

Tim Buck – <u>timbuck33@gmail.com</u>
Kait Hamilton – <u>kaithamilton21@gmail.com</u>
Katrina Parkinson – <u>maddiemalcolm@gmail.com</u>

Trial site opens at 7:00 AM
General Briefing at 8:00 AM\*
immediately followed by walkthroughs
Judging starts at 8:30 AM\*

\*Start times are subject to change Final Schedule will be announced in the Confirmation Letter

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

#### **Trial Site & Information:**

The show site is outdoors on field grass.

It's a public neighborhood park, so please be respectful of the public. We want to be good ambassadors of our sport!

Parking is close to the field and you may find it reasonable to crate out of your vehicle (if not too hot – It's not usually hot in Buellton in April).

Dogs must be on leash at all times, except when in the competition ring or at a practice jump. As always, please pick up after your dog.

<u>Helpers:</u> There will be worker sign-up boards and 'Flyers Bucks' will be given out for each class worked. Please sign-up to help make the show run efficiently! We won't start running a class until all worker positions are filled. Thank you for helping!

Full-time worker positions may also be available. Please contact Kait Hamilton at <a href="mailton21@gmail.com">kaithamilton21@gmail.com</a> if you'd like to be a full-time worker in exchange for a discount on your entry.

Bitches in Season will be permitted to show at this event. The Handler must notify the Show Manager as soon as possible that a BIS will be participating at the event. The BIS must wear sanitary britches while in the competition ring or start on a protective mat at the start line (protective mat is to be provided by the Handler). The BIS may be required to run at the end of the running order for some or all classes. The BIS must wear sanitary britches when on the event grounds at all times except when in the competition ring (if using a start-line mat), at a practice jump, or when using potty areas. The Handler must be respectful of other dogs when moving about the event grounds with a Bitch in Season.

**COVID Policy:** The health and safety of our trial workers, competitors, guests, and dogs are our highest priority. We will follow CDC, State, and local guidelines for COVID safety. This policy is subject to change, if the threat-level of COVID-19 changes in our area.

If you feel sick at any time leading up to this event, or if you know that you have been exposed to COVID-19, please stay at home! Please notify the Show Manager of your health risk prior to the event and a voucher for a future Santa Barbara Flyers trial equal to the amount of your entry fees will be issued to you.

Masks will be optional.

Social Distancing: COVID-19 presents different levels of threat for different people and we want everybody to feel safe at our trial. Please be respectful of other people's space and their safety choices! Please do not congregate in groups and maintain social distancing whenever possible.

Please do your part to make this a fun and safe event for everybody involved. Thank you!

<u>Security:</u> There will be no overnight security at this event. Items left unattended are at your own risk.

#### **Tentative Event Schedule:**

- Setup is available on Thursday after 4:00 PM. The park closes at dusk.
- Trial site opens at 7:00 AM on Friday
- General Briefing at 8:00 AM\*
- Judging starts at 8:30 AM\*

\*subject to change – watch for final start time announcement in the Confirmation Letter.

#### Friday Class Schedule:

Gamblers – Sen/Champ
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Jumping – Sen/Champ
Jumping – Beg/Nov
Agility – Sen/Champ
Agility – Beg/Nov
Speedstakes (1) – Sen/Champ
Speedstakes (2) – Sen/Champ
Speedstakes (2) – Beg/Nov

Course Maps: will be available via the Agility Gate app at approximately 7:00 AM each morning. For information on how to obtain the Agility Gate app, please visit the Agility Gate web site at <a href="https://agilitygate.com">https://agilitygate.com</a>. We will also post one hard copy of the maps at the trial site.

<u>Crating:</u> There will be plenty of crating space on the field adjacent to the show rings, but shade is limited, so BYOS. Crating from your car may also be an option – Parking is close, and it shouldn't be too hot in April.

<u>Food Services:</u> No food services will be available at this site, and for COVID-19 safety, we will not be providing worker lunches – Please plan accordingly. We will have bottled water and other cold drinks available for all workers and competitors.

#### **Emergency Vet:**

VCA Care Specialty and Emergency Animal Hospital

301 E. Haley Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101 805-899-2273 [45 miles from trial site]

#### **Directions to the Trial Site:**

#### From the North:

Take US-101 South. Exit 140A for CA-246 toward Lompoc/Solvang. At the end of the ramp, turn right onto CA-246. Continue on CA-246 for about 0.9 miles. Turn left onto Sycamore Drive. Continue on Sycamore Drive for 0.2 miles. Turn right into the River View Park parking lot.

#### From the South:

Take US-101 North. Exit 140A for CA-246 toward Lompoc/Solvang. At the end of the ramp, turn left onto CA-246. Continue on CA-246 for about 1 mile. Turn left onto Sycamore Drive. Continue on Sycamore Drive for 0.2 miles. Turn right into the River View Park parking lot.

<u>Questions Related to Entries:</u> If you have questions related to your entry, or would like to beg for forgiveness for a late entry, please direct your inquiry to

Katrina Parkinson maddiemalcolm@gmail.com 415-336-4672

Questions Related to Volunteer Discounts: If you would like to volunteer to be a full-time worker at this event in exchange for a discount on your entry (or possibly a free entry), please direct your inquiry to

Kait Hamilton <u>kaithamilton21@gmail.com</u> 805-708-3127

<u>General Questions:</u> For all other general questions related to this event, please direct your inquiry to

Tim Buck
Timbuck33@gmail.com
805-833-1032

#### **RV Camping:**

There is no overnight camping at River View Park, but we have secured a private campground for tent camping (\$20/weekend) or RV dry-camping (\$20/night).

For tent camping and RV dry-camping details, please visit our web site at

http://santabarbaraflyers.org/events

#### ■ River Ranch Retreat

[2 miles from Trial Site] 1400 West Highway 246, Buellton, CA 93427

**Contact** Tim Buck at <a href="mailto:timbuck33@gmail.com">timbuck33@gmail.com</a> to reserve your tent camping or RV dry-camping spot. We will book your reservation with the campground host for you and you will pay the host directly upon your arrival.

Please do not send your Camping Fees with your entry!

#### Pet Friendly Hotels:

- Sideways Inn 114 E Hwy 246, Buellton, CA 888-347-2319
- Marriott555 McMurray Rd, Buellton, CA805-688-1000
- Quality Inn Santa Ynez Valley 630 Avenue of the Flags, Buellton, CA 805-688-0022
- Motel 6 Buellton 333 McMurray Rd, Buellton, CA 805-688-7797

# **About UKI**

#### **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 in Senior classes, where 12 of those points must be obtained in agility classes, 12 from jumping, and 12 from games.

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

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	ATCH or ATCHC	N/A	Champion	SS Champion	

	UKI J	Reference for WAO tryout				
UKI Jump Height **	A-frame Height *	UKI Dog Height	UKI SELECT	WAO tryout height	WAO Height Cutoffs	
8 inch	5'3"	12.75" & under	4 (s)	250	320mm (12.60")	
12 inch	5'3"	15" & under	8 (s)	300	380mm (14.96")	
16 inch	5'7"	17.5" & under	12 (s)	400	440mm (17.32")	
20 inch	5'7"	22" & under	16 (s)	500	500mm (19.69")	
22 inch	5'7"	Any	20 (s)			
24 inch	5'7"	Any	20 (s)	600	+ 500 (19.69")	

<sup>\*</sup> Select A-frame height is 5'3" for all select and Nursery heights

UKI US Open ~ Nov 20 - 24, 2024 - Jacksonville, FL Qualifying period: Oct 2, 2023 - Sept 30, 2024

West Coast Open ~ Sept 18-22, 2024 - Paso Robles, CA Qualifying period for Agility Stakes Final: Aug 1, 2023 - July 31, 2024

Please visit the <u>UKI Website</u> and/or our <u>Facebook page</u> for updated information regarding the Opens The Bye tracker information for both Opens is available at this page https://ukagilityinternational.com/events/

<sup>\*\*</sup> Dogs may always jump higher than their height category

# **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 available to view 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, 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, when entries are processed, please be sure you have arranged for payment to be made directly to the show and not latterly paid via your UKI member account. Any unpaid fees or shortfalls to a UK Agility International account must be paid within 14 days. UK Agility International will suspend a dog's/handlers' registration, until fees are paid in full. Failure to do this will result in your UKI account being suspended.

Additional administration charges may be imposed to members' account due to negligence that 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.

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.

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.

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.

<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 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. 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 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.

# **UK Agility International Entry Form**

# Santa Barbara Flyers Friday, April 19, 2024 [no online entries for this event]

Closing Date: April 9, 2024 (Limit 350 Runs)

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

Handlers Name:	UKI Number:	UKI Number:						
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Address:								
City:	State/Provence:							
Zip/ Post Code:	Country:							
Email:	Phone:							
Total Number of Class Entries	x \$15.00							
PayPal: santabarbaraflyers.agility@gmail.com or Checks Payable To: Santa Barbara Flyers c/o Katrina Parkinson, 160 Ralston Ave, Mill Valley, CA 94	941 Total Enclosed	\$						
<b>Helpers:</b> Please help out at our show! Care will be taken to allow you plenty of time for your own dogs and to explain to you what your job involves.								
Helper Name:	Preferred Job(s):							
Entry is not valid unless agreement is re		-						
The person who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both the exhibitor and the owner of the participating dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry: Exhibitor/owner certifies that any and every dog they bring to this facility, whether participation or not, is not a hazard to persons, dogs, or property and assume all responsibility, liability and expenses resulting from damages causes by their dog(s). Exhibitor/owner releases UK Agility International, UK Agility Ltd, and their agents, officers & members and Santa Barbara Flyers will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving your dog, and or others equipment. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my (our) participation in the event or training, howsoever such injury or death may be caused and whether or not the same may have been caused or may have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons. Exhibitor/owner acknowledge all hazards presented by the training facility, event and the event premises, including but not limited to, the condition of grounds, lighting, security, measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fittings, parking areas, fences or the ability for a dog to escape from the training area, the presence of unfamiliar animals and people, the possibility of another ill animal or your own getting ill, and agility equipment; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from and any and all of these including allowing their dogs to run wearin								
Signature of Exhibitor/Owner or of parent or legal guardian of minor:	Date:							

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