

# The Poodle Club of Ontario

2 Licensed All Breed Obedience Trials Sunday March 07, 2021

## **Limited Entry in each Trial**

Held at

The Poodle Farm 1800 Windham Road 6, Vanessa, Ontario

One Ring, Indoors, 40' x 50' with carpet-like artificial turf flooring

Crating will be outside or from your vehicle, there is a warm up area inside.

Mixed breed dogs & unrecognized breeds with CKC CCN registration may enter these trials.

Advance entry will close no later than 4:59 pm Wednesday February 24, 2021

Note: Handlers with entries in a class in both trials on either event day should be prepared for "back to back" running of the classes in an effort to manage the peak size of the gathering during the event day. Ie the Trial 1 Novice Intermediate class will be followed by the Trial 2 Novice Intermediate class.

These events held under the rules of The Canadian Kennel Club.

### POODLE CLUB OF ONTARIO OFFICERS

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## **CANADIAN KENNEL CLUB** (at time of printing)

The CKC Executive Officer Jeff Cornett

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CKC Obedience Representative Delvyn Lunn

#### TRIAL COMMITTEE

Trial Chair David Pateman

Trial Secretary & Superintendent: Alan Ratcliffe, 1800 Windham Rd 6, Vanessa ON NOE 1V0

Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com phone: 519-443-0830

Chief Ring Steward Debby DaCosta

Veterinarian: Dr S. Wilkinson Big Creek Veterinary Hospital

70 Church St. W, Delhi ON phone: 519-582-7280

## **JUDGES & ASSIGNMENTS**

Obedience Trials # 854, 855 Leslie Marshall 56 Belcourt Cres, Guelph ON, N1H 7A7 Obedience Classes offered – Pre-Novice → Novice → Novice → Open HA/18A&HB/18B → Utility A&B

## **ENTRY FEES INFORMATION FOR ALL TRIALS**

Entry Fee per class, per trial \$30.00 ¤ TCN Fee per dog per trial \$11.30 Catalogue, paperless PDF via email (no print copies will be available) \$5.00

All fees include applicable taxes and are in Canadian funds.

**z**- A TCN fee is payable if an eligible dog has a CKC Temporary Competition Number (TCN).

Please make cheque or money order payable to

**Poodle Club of Ontario** 

Deliver entry to:

Alan Ratcliffe, Trial Secretary 1800 Windham Rd 6 Vanessa, ON NOE 1VO Electronic entry via fillable PDF and eTransfer payment- visit

## thepoodlefarm.com/enterRO.htm

for downloadable forms, instructions and limitations.

No convenience fee is charged.

Interac eTransfer remit to: <u>Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com</u>

No Phone or FAX entries will be accepted.

## NO ENTRY CAN BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT:

- ✓ A COMPLETED OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM, ACCOMPANIED BY
- ✓ THE ENTRY FEE, AND
- ✓ THE WAIVER, SIGNED AND DATED

**USA Exhibitors** Only Bank drafts or money orders, payable in Canadian Funds and negotiable at a Canadian Bank, for the full amount of the entry will be accepted. The Club shall not be obliged to refund entry fees after the closing time to any USA or other foreign Exhibitor who cannot attend the event due to any restrictions placed on travelers to Canada by either Federal, Provincial, State or Local government authorities.

**NSF Cheques:** Tendering of a dishonoured cheque for entry fees shall be considered non-payment of entry fees, and is an offence punishable by disciplinary action and cancellation of awards (6.3.3 of the Obedience Trial Rules & Regulations) In addition, a \$40.00 service charge will be levied by the Club.

**LIMITED ENTRY** means advance entry will be limited when the judge's daily assignment reaches 7 hours of judging as calculated in accordance with CKC rules, and will close at the advertised closing time. 'When the advertised limit has been reached, all remaining entries may be assigned a position on the reserve list. The person making the entry shall be notified of his position on the list. Fees will not be refunded for any reason other than a bitch being in season and to those on the reserve list who did not participate in the trial.' The number of entries in any or all classes and/or levels may be limited in each trial due to COVID protocols.

#### **TROPHY LIST**

Through the generous support of its members and friends the Poodle Club of Ontario will offer the following:

Each **Obedience Trial** for qualifying scores only:

High in Trial – Trophy and Rosette

1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> in official classes – Rosette

Prize for High Scoring Poodle (any variety) each trial,

courtesy of Susan R. Fraser & the Members of the Poodle Club of Ontario

**New Title Rosettes** – The Poodle Club of Ontario is pleased to offer a rosette for each dog completing the requirements for an Obedience title at these events.

Change of Entry: Per Section 6.9 in January 1, 2021 rulebook with following specific additional allowance. A dog that fulfills the requirements for a title in accordance with the rules during the first trial of the day may move-up to a higher level class for the second trial. The change must be on the appropriate move-up form and submitted to the Trial Secretary by the owner or handler 30 minutes before the start of the desired class.

#### **TCN – Temporary Competition Numbers**

If a dog is not registered individually in the records of the CKC, it may be entered at a trial held under these rules with a Temporary Competition Number (TCN), providing that the number is obtained before the closing date of entries. Once the dog is permanently registered or has an ERN, the TCN will no longer be valid. TCN's can be obtained online through the CKC Member Portal. Exhibitors may also obtain a TCN by completing a printed application and submitting it to the CKC by mail, or by contacting the Shows and Trials Division at 1-855-364-7252.

## **Electronic Communication**

All entry confirmations, Judge Schedule and any other notices will be sent from the <a href="Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com">Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com</a> to the Handler or Owner as indicated on the Official Entry Form. It is the Entrants responsibility to ensure that their email account settings are configured to designate <a href="Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com">Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com</a> as a Safe Sender, Trusted Sender, Always Allow or such other designation as may be required to prevent your email service from flagging such communications as Spam/Junk and blocking from your Inbox.

#### **CKC REGULATION 20.7:**

It shall be the duty and obligation of the trial-giving club to see that a judge, club official, volunteer or any participant at an event held under these rules is not subject to indignities of any kind. The Trial Committee Chair shall promptly report to the CKC any infringement of this regulation, and the Discipline Committee shall have the authority to take such action as it deems fit on receipt of a report indicating that this has occurred.

## **Notes to Competitors – Special Information**

Due to ongoing concerns with the coronavirus disease, we are asking for your cooperation to limit the possible spread of the disease, and ensure an environment which is safe and comfortable for all participants.

Please do not participate if you answer "Yes" to any of the following in the 14 days prior to the trial:

- Are you experienced any fever, cough, or have difficulty breathing?
- Have you returned from the US or other International destinations?
- Have you been contact traced to a COVID-19 case?
- Have you had close contact with a person with acute respiratory illness who has been outside Canada?

Competitors will familiarize themselves with the CKC **COVID-19 Obedience and Rally Rules General Guidelines** released July 31, 2020. These are allowable temporary changes to Obedience & Rally Obedience Rules and Regulations that a Club may opt to use during their event under COVID restrictions. Changes may be adopted on the Event Day after consultation between the Trial Officials and the Judge.

### **Special Measures and Instructions:**

- Face Masks/Face Coverings are required in the building and when entering and exiting the indoor ring, but may be removed during your run.
- Indoor shoes will be mandatory as usual from the time you enter the building until you leave.
- Please park so social distancing is adhered to.
- There will be no indoor crating. Please crate from your vehicle while you are here for the trial. Pop-up tents are permitted on grassy areas and may be used for dogs provided the dogs are quiet and securely contained in crates/X-pens. All shade structures must be spaced to permit physical distancing.
- To facilitate social distancing, we ask that you do not bring friends, children, spouses or others unless you need them to provide mobility assistance at the trial.
- All notices and information will be posted outside the building on a bulletin board, feel to take a
  picture with your phone.
- All briefings will be done outside the building
- No special area will be set aside for reactive dogs.
- Unfortunately we may not allow spectators in the building and we may not allow additional people to video your runs indoors.
- Ribbons are not self-service; we will make every effort to have ribbons and scoresheets available as quickly as possible.
- We encourage you to leave the facility promptly when you are done for the day.
- No lunch will be served. You may bring your own refreshments if you are staying through multiple classes.

#### **Health, Sanitization & Trial Workers:**

- We will have a team member cleaning all "touch" areas during the day
- A restroom will be the only facility available to competitors.
- Paper towels, soap, and hand sanitizer is available throughout the facility.

## **WAIVER - Poodle Club of Ontario All Breed Trials** March 7, 2021

All events are held under the Official Rules and Regulations of the Canadian Kennel Club.

Absolutely no alcoholic beverages, smoking, vaping, cannabis, illegal drugs or firearms will be allowed on The Poodle Farm property on the day of a CKC Licensed event.

CKC, its agents and employees, the host club and The Poodle Farm assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury 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. CKC, the host club and The Poodle Farm are not responsible for loss, accidents or theft.

By signing this form, I hereby agree to waive any claim, action, or lawsuit, and further agree to indemnify and hold CKC, the host club, The Poodle Farm, event volunteers, and any approved CKC Judge and/or certifying official harmless from any claims, actions or lawsuits resulting from my participation in this event, and any action, decision or judgment made by any CKC or host club representative or approved Judge/Certifying Official under the official CKC Rules and Regulations governing this event.

I acknowledge that the current Official CKC Obedience Trial & rally Obedience Trial Rules and Regulationsare available to me, and that I am familiar with their contents.

Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronaviris/COVID-19-Coronavirus. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, provincial, and local governments and federal and provincial health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people. The Host Club and The Poodle Farm have put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19, however cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19. Attending the events could increase your risk of contracting COVID-19. By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of the COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending this event and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at the Poodle Club of Ontario events held at The Poodle Farm may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, club members, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and/or death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance at this event or participation in this event. On my behalf, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless Poodle Club of Ontario, The Poodle Farm, agents, representatives of and from the Claims, including liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of Poodle Club of Ontario, The Poodle Farm, officiating judges, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Poodle Club of Ontario event.

In consideration for being allowed to attend, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Poodle Club of Ontario The Poodle Farm and the CKC from all liability or claims of any nature by myself, my guests and family members. By signing this form I also confirm that I have read and will follow all Poodle Club of Ontario /The Poodle Farm rules and COVID-19 safety measures and that I will ensure anyone that accompanies me to this event will abide by these rules/safety measures as well.

My signature indicates that:

I/we understand and agree to the above and to abide by all of the Official CKC Rules and Regulations, and any additional Rules or Regulations included in the Official Premium List.

I/we testify that the dog entered is healthy.

I/we certify that the dog entered is not dangerous to any person or other dog.

Signature – Owner, Handler or Parent / Guardian if Minor Date



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# Official Entry Form for Obedience



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Deliver to: Alan Ratcliffe, 1800 Windham Rd 6, Vanessa, ON NOE 1VO.

Cheque Payable to **Poodle Club of Ontario Entry closes February 24, 2021 4:59pm** 

eMail: Secretary@thepoodlefarm.com eTransfer Security answer:

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. The **trial precincts** shall be the non-residential buildings and surrounding grounds of The Poodle Farm. In accordance with CKC rules only dogs officially entered and competing are permitted within the Trial Precincts. *There is no "Exhibition Only" class being offered at this trial.*
- 2. Show Superintendent has full charge of the show which is governed by CKC rules.
- 3. The Poodle Club of Ontario and The Poodle Farm will use **due care and diligence** for the welfare of dogs and exhibitors, but will not be responsible for, or assume liability in the event of accident, or other misfortunes, to either dogs, exhibitors or patrons.
- 4. **BITCHES IN SEASON** are not permitted to compete. When a bitch comes into season after entries close, a Veterinarian's certificate, certifying that the bitch was in season within ten days of the trial, must reach the Trial Secretary on or before the day of the trial, prior to the judging of the class, and the club will refund the entry fees.
- 5. **Mix Breeds and Unrecognized Breeds** must have a Canine Companion Number (CCN) from the CKC to enter the trials. A dog eligible for a CCN is not eligible for a TCN. Visit <a href="www.ckc.ca">www.ckc.ca</a> for more information.
- 6. If, because of riot, civil disturbance, or other acts beyond the control of management, it is impossible to open or complete the trials, no refund of Entry Fees will be made.
- 7. Flexi-leads may not be used on The Poodle Farm property

## **Directions to THE POODLE FARM**

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The Poodle Farm

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## **Directions from London:**

- Take 401 east towards Toronto
- Merge onto Hwy 403 E via exit 235, toward Brantford/Hamilton/Niagara Falls
- Take the Rest Acres Rd. South exit, exit 27, toward Simcoe
- Merge onto Hwy. 24
- Turn right onto Windham Rd. 6 to 2<sup>nd</sup> house on the left

## **Directions from Toronto:**

- Take QEW west toward Burlington
- Keep right to take Hwy 403 W toward Hamilton/Brantford
- Take the Rest Acres Rd. South exit, exit 27, toward Simcoe
- Turn right onto Windham Rd. 6 to 2<sup>nd</sup> house one the left

#### Motel: Comfort Inn - Simcoe

Address: 85 Queensway East, Simcoe, ON N3Y 4M6

Phone: (519) 426-2611.