

# Summer at Ashfields 2

The Belgian Shepherd Dog Association of Great Britain  
(open to all dog breeds and crossbreeds)



## Schedule of Open Agility Show

Held under Kennel Club Rules & Regulations H & H(1)  
and licensed by The Kennel Club Limited

To be held at:

**Ashfields Carriage & Polo Club, Great Canfield,  
Dunmow, Essex, CM6 1JU**

**Friday 24th, Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th May 2024**

**Show Opens: 7.30am - Briefing: 8.15am - Judging: 8.30am**

**Show Secretary:** Margy Pratten, Concord, 145 Belper Road,  
Stanley Common, Derbyshire DE7 6FT  
tel 01159 447145

**Show Manager:** Bernadette King

**Closing Date:** **24<sup>th</sup> April 2024 (Postmarked)**  
Late entries will not be accepted

**Postal Entries:** BSDA of GB  
c/o Agility Aid, 20 House Lane,  
Arlesey, Bedfordshire, SG15 6XU

**Enter online at:** [www.showtime-online.co.uk](http://www.showtime-online.co.uk)

**All other enquiries:** tel 07866 490410 (Bernadette King) (before 9pm)



The Officers and Committee members of the society / or the licensee holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation H31. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members, or the licensee, accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking.

**Entry Fees:** £5.00 per class - £3.50 per class for BSDA of GB working members  
£10 per pair  
Camping £45.00 per unit - £40.00 per unit for BSDA of GB working members



**Vet on call:** Moloney Veterinary Clinic, Unit 5 Takeley Business Centre, Takeley, Essex,  
CM22 6SJ – Tel: 01279 874845

**Agility Equipment by JDA (contact equipment rubber coated)**

**Electronic Timing by K9 Time**

**Show Processing & Results by Agility Aid**

**Public Address System by L&N Show Services**

If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must follow Government advice and should consider whether it is appropriate that they attend the event.

	<b>Friday</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Judge</b>
1	Large Agility: Graded	1	2						Nina Gibson
2	Large Agility: Graded			3	4				Nina Gibson
3	Large Agility: Graded					5	6	7	Lynet Smith
4	Large Agility : Combined	1	2	3					Nina Gibson
5	Large Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Nina Gibson
6	Large Jumping: Graded	1	2						Steve Hickson
7	Large Jumping: Graded			3	4				Liz Brown
8	Large Jumping: Graded					5	6	7	Steve Hickson
9	Large Steeplechase: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Steve Hickson
10	Intermediate Agility: Graded	1	2						Nina Gibson
11	Intermediate Agility: Graded			3	4				Nina Gibson
12	Intermediate Agility: Graded					5	6	7	Lynet Smith
13	Intermediate Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Nina Gibson
14	Intermediate Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Nina Gibson
15	Intermediate Jumping: Graded	1	2						Steve Hickson
16	Intermediate Jumping: Graded			3	4				Liz Brown
17	Intermediate Jumping : Graded					5	6	7	Steve Hickson
18	Intermediate Steeplechase: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Steve Hickson
19	Medium Agility: Graded	1	2						Lynet Smith
20	Medium Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Lynet Smith
21	Medium Agility: Graded						6	7	Nina Gibson
22	Medium Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Lynet Smith
23	Medium Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Lynet Smith
24	Medium Jumping: Graded	1	2						Steve Hickson
25	Medium Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Steve Hickson
26	Medium Jumping: Graded						6	7	Liz Brown
27	Medium Steeplechase: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Liz Brown
28	Small Agility: Graded	1	2						Lynet Smith
29	Small Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Lynet Smith
30	Small Agility: Graded						6	7	Nina Gibson
31	Small Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Lynet Smith
32	Small Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Lynet Smith
33	Small Jumping: Graded	1	2						Liz Brown
34	Small Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Steve Hickson
35	Small Jumping: Graded						6	7	Liz Brown
36	Small Steeplechase: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Liz Brown
37	Anysize Jumping: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Liz Brown
38	Anysize Steeplechase: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Liz Brown

Dogs entering Anysize classes may not enter any other classes.

	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Judge</b>
39	Large Agility: Graded	1	2						Stella Coombes
40	Large Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Stella Coombes
41	Large Agility: Graded						6	7	Nigel Rudd
42	Large Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Nigel Rudd
43	Large Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Nigel Rudd
44	Large Jumping: Graded	1	2						Kate Huggins
45	Large Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Anne Westrope
46	Large Jumping: Graded						6	7	Kate Huggins
47	Large Jumping : Combined	1	2	3					Jacqui Wood
48	Large Jumping : Combined				4	5	6	7	Anne Westrope
49	Large Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Kate Huggins
50	Large ABC Agility: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jacqui Wood
51	Intermediate Agility: Graded	1	2						Stella Coombes
52	Intermediate Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Stella Coombes
53	Intermediate Agility: Graded						6	7	Nigel Rudd
54	Intermediate Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Nigel Rudd
55	Intermediate Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Nigel Rudd
56	Intermediate Jumping: Graded	1	2						Kate Huggins
57	Intermediate Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Anne Westrope
58	Intermediate Jumping: Graded						6	7	Kate Huggins
59	Intermediate Jumping : Combined	1	2	3					Jacqui Wood
60	Intermediate Jumping : Combined				4	5	6	7	Anne Westrope
61	Intermediate Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Kate Huggins
62	Intermediate ABC Agility Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jacqui Wood
63	Medium Agility: Graded	1	2						Stella Coombes
64	Medium Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Stella Coombes
65	Medium Agility: Graded						6	7	Nigel Rudd
66	Medium Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Nigel Rudd
67	Medium Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Nigel Rudd
68	Medium Jumping: Graded	1	2						Kate Huggins
69	Medium Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Anne Westrope
70	Medium Jumping: Graded						6	7	Kate Huggins
71	Medium Jumping: Combined	1	2	3					Jacqui Wood
72	Medium Jumping: Combined				4	5	6	7	Jacqui Wood
73	Medium Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Kate Huggins
74	Medium ABC Agility: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jacqui Wood
75	Small Agility: Graded	1	2						Stella Coombes
76	Small Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Stella Coombes
77	Small Agility: Graded						6	7	Nigel Rudd
78	Small Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Nigel Rudd
79	Small Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Nigel Rudd
80	Small Jumping: Graded	1	2						Kate Huggins
81	Small Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Anne Westrope
82	Small Jumping: Graded						6	7	Kate Huggins
83	Small Jumping: Combined	1	2	3					Jacqui Wood
84	Small Jumping: Combined				4	5	6	7	Jacqui Wood
85	Small Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Kate Huggins
86	Jewlnick Jump and Twist Pairs Open to pairs of the same size, Large/Intermediate/Medium/Small (Sponsored by Julie and Nick Jewlnick Leather)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Jacqui Wood
87	Anysize Jumping: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Anne Westrope
88	Anysize Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Anne Westrope

Dogs entering Anysize classes may not enter any other classes.

	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Judge</b>
89	Large Agility: Graded	1	2						Steph Ayres
90	Large Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Ray Burke
91	Large Agility: Graded						6	7	Steph Ayres
92	Large Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Ray Burke
93	Large Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Steph Ayres
94	Large Jumping: Graded	1	2						Patrick Raymond
95	Large Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Patrick Raymond
96	Large Jumping: Graded						6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
97	Large Jumping : Combined	1	2	3					Lesanne Mitchell
98	Large Jumping : Combined				4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
99	Large Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
100	Large ABC Jumping: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
101	Intermediate Agility: Graded	1	2						Steph Ayres
102	Intermediate Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Ray Burke
103	Intermediate Agility: Graded						6	7	Steph Ayres
104	Intermediate Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Ray Burke
105	Intermediate Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Steph Ayres
106	Intermediate Jumping: Graded	1	2						Patrick Raymond
107	Intermediate Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Patrick Raymond
108	Intermediate Jumping: Graded						6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
109	Intermediate Jumping : Combined	1	2	3					Lesanne Mitchell
110	Intermediate Jumping : Combined				4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
111	Intermediate Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
112	Intermediate ABC Jumping Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
113	Medium Agility: Graded	1	2						Steph Ayres
114	Medium Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Paul Smith
115	Medium Agility: Graded						6	7	Ray Burke
116	Medium Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Ray Burke
117	Medium Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Steph Ayres
118	Medium Jumping: Graded	1	2						Patrick Raymond
119	Medium Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Patrick Raymond
120	Medium Jumping: Graded						6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
121	Medium Jumping: Combined	1	2	3					Lesanne Mitchell
122	Medium Jumping: Combined				4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
123	Medium Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
124	Medium ABC Jumping: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
125	Small Agility: Graded	1	2						Steph Ayres
126	Small Agility: Graded			3	4	5			Paul Smith
127	Small Agility: Graded						6	7	Ray Burke
128	Small Agility: Combined	1	2	3					Ray Burke
129	Small Agility: Combined				4	5	6	7	Steph Ayres
130	Small Jumping: Graded	1	2						Patrick Raymond
131	Small Jumping: Graded			3	4	5			Patrick Raymond
132	Small Jumping: Graded						6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
133	Small Jumping: Combined	1	2	3					Lesanne Mitchell
134	Small Jumping: Combined				4	5	6	7	Paul Smith
135	Small Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
136	Anysize Jumping: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Lesanne Mitchell
137	Anysize Helter Skelter: Combined Grades 1-7 (Special)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Paul Smith

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**Live scores and ring/class updates can be viewed online at: [www.agilityaid.co.uk/results](http://www.agilityaid.co.uk/results)**

The judges named against all classes on Friday, Saturday and Sunday are provisional and may be altered once entry numbers are confirmed. Confirmed judges for classes will be set out on the ring plan supplied with running orders. Additional judges will be appointed where appropriate.

Reserve Judges: Liz Brown, Nina Gibson, Neal Lye. Ray Burke

A pay on the day ring and/or a practice ring may be run on Friday/Saturday/Sunday.

## Trophies and Rosettes

Apart from Class 86, Trophies will be awarded to:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place where entries are 11 or over
- 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place where entries are over 25
- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place where entries exceed 50

Place Rosettes will be awarded to at least 10% of the entry.  
Clear Round rosettes will be awarded in all classes.

Anysize classes are intended as fun classes for older dogs, new dogs and 'don't fit anywhere else' dogs. Clear Round rosettes will be awarded and dog treats will be available at the ring for each dog that runs.

All place and clear rosettes and trophies must be collected at the show.

**Class 86 Jewelnick Twist and Shout Pairs** (sponsored by Julie and Nick Ross (Jewelnick)) rosettes to 5th place and trophies for the winners of each heat. The top four placed pairs from each heat qualify for a place in the final at Southam Show in September 2024.

### **BSDA of GB Agility Challenge (Sponsored by Bernadette King)**

Any BSD entered in Classes 50 and 100 will be eligible for the BSDA of GB Agility Challenge. The points for the BSDA of GB Agility Challenge will be calculated from the results of the above classes. Trophies will be awarded to the BSD achieving the highest BSD ranking as winner and to the second highest ranking BSD as runner up.

**Helter Skelter:** A jumping course usually set in increasing or decreasing circles.

**Steeplechase:** A flowing jumping course consisting of hurdles and pipe tunnels only.

**ABC:** Open to all dogs except Border Collies, Working Sheepdogs, and their crosses.  
In the event of a dispute, the judge's decision is final.

**Anysize classes:** Particularly suitable for inexperienced dogs or handlers and those dogs that are unable to compete at their full height. Jumps will be at three heights: 20cms, 30cm and 40cms. Handlers may choose the height appropriate for their dog, regardless of their dog's size. No weaves, tyre, long jump, or see saw will be used in these classes. Anysize Jumping will have no weaves, tyre, long jump or contact equipment. Anysize Helter Skelter & Steeplechase have only jumps and tunnels in a course with increasing or decreasing circles. Dogs entering Anysize classes may not enter any other classes.

## Camping

CAMPING is available for £45 per unit (£40 BSDA of GB members) Thursday, Friday and Saturday night. Please email [bernadette.king13@gmail.com](mailto:bernadette.king13@gmail.com) if you wish to camp Sunday night. Entry from 3pm Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May. If you arrive early you will not have access to the camping area till 3pm. No arrivals after 9pm without prior arrangement with the Show Manager contact tel no. 07866 490410.

If you just wish to camp Sunday evening 26<sup>th</sup> please email [bernadette.king13@gmail.com](mailto:bernadette.king13@gmail.com)

Summer at Ashfields 1 is at Ashfields 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> May the weekend before this show. If you wish to camp between the two shows please book for Midweek Camping Sunday/Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday nights (19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>) via Summer at Ashfields 1.

Showers will be available.

- Please only park where directed and leave a minimum space of 20 feet between units.
- Open fires/barbeques are NOT permitted
- All units must carry a fire extinguisher and/or have a bucket of water at the front of the unit at all times.
- There will be no 'joining' of gardens
- Training equipment is not allowed in the camping areas
- No dogs to be left loose in gardens, or tethered to vehicles, whilst unattended.

## Helpers

Your help is needed! We are a small team organising this show and we would be very pleased to receive offers of help on the rings especially for Sunday. If you are able to help, please indicate this when entering the show.

If you are a club, training group or a group of friends and would be able to run a ring for the whole day (Including scrimmer and ring manager) please complete the relevant section on the entry form. Please give the names of the individuals (minimum 5) and the group and how many camping pitches you require. You will receive preferential camping, refreshments, 5 food vouchers and £100.

Individuals: if you help on the ring for at least half a day will receive refreshment and a lunch voucher. Scrimers will receive refreshments, lunch and a £10 refund. Ring managers will receive refreshments, lunch and a £10 refund.

If you could help with set up/take down please email [bernadette.king13@gmail.com](mailto:bernadette.king13@gmail.com). Camping will be available on Wednesday and Sunday night.

Helpers will have preferential camping - let us know who you want to camp with – but please do not leave your entry until the last possible moment!

## ELIGIBILITY FOR CLASSES

In the following definitions of classes First Prizes or other prize wins are those gained in standard classes at any Kennel Club licensed Championship Agility, Premier Agility, Open Agility or Limited Agility Shows (i.e. special classes and invitational events excepted). Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Standard classes may be scheduled for Agility Shows, as Agility classes or Jumping classes. All standard classes must contain the Weaving Poles obstacle. Standard Agility classes must contain the following elements: "A Ramp", Dog Walk and See-Saw. With this proviso classes are defined as follows:-

A maximum of four standard classes may be scheduled for any dog on an individual day of competition. Any number of special classes may be scheduled.

**Class Structure.** A Class may either be held as a Graded Class or a Combined Class. A Graded Class may be scheduled for a maximum of three consecutive Grades with separate results and awards issued for each grade. A Combined Class may be scheduled for more than one consecutive grade with one overall set of results.

**Progression.** Progression from each Grade will be determined by the eligibility for the class as referenced in H(1)(A)11. Results from Combined Classes will only count towards progression from the dog's current grade.

To count for progression wins must be gained in standard classes at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows.

Only a first place with a clear round completed within the course time set by the judge will count towards grade progression.

Competitors will be allowed to walk the course set at Small, Medium, Intermediate or Large height without their dog(s) before the class begins.

**Points Progression.** At the handler's discretion a dog may progress up to Grade 4 by winning 100 points at each grade, using the Agility Warrant points scheme (Regulation K3.c refers). A minimum of 50 points must be gained in agility (not jumping) classes in the relevant grade. If this method of progression is selected, the handler must ensure the Show Secretary signs the dog's Agility Record Book at the first show entered at the higher grade. There is no time limit on this progression, however once a dog has progressed, it cannot return to a previous grade.

Progression on points must be done prior to the closing date of entries. It is not possible to change a grade on points once the entries have closed.

## STANDARD CLASSES

Only first prizes and points gained in standard classes at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows may be used for progression through the classes. (A dog is only eligible for one grade). In defining the eligibility of the owner or handler for Grade 1, the two wins and points progression referred to in the definition apply only to one dog and not an accumulation of dogs.

### **Grade 1**

Open to owners, handlers or dogs which have not gained a minimum of two first places at Grade 1 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, at least one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class. N.B Owners, handlers or dogs previously qualified out of Grade 1 are not eligible for this class.

### **Grade 2**

Open to dogs which are not eligible for Grade 1 or have elected to progress on points from Grade 1 and are not eligible for Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7.

### **Grade 3**

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of two first places at Grade 2 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, one of which must have been gained in an agility (not jumping) class, or have elected to progress on points from Grade 2 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 4, 5, 6 or 7.

### **Grade 4**

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of three first places at Grade 3 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping classes), or have elected to progress on points from Grade 3 and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 5, 6 or 7

### **Grade 5**

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 4 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 6 or 7

### **Grade 6**

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of four first places at Grade 5 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, two of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 7.

### **Grade 7**

Open to dogs which have gained a minimum of five first places at Grade 6 at Kennel Club Licensed Agility Shows, three of which must have been gained in agility (not jumping) classes, and are not eligible for Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6.

## SPECIAL CLASSES

Societies may schedule classes other than those defined above as "Special Classes". The eligibility for "Special" classes must be defined by the Society and included in the schedule. The word "Special" must be included in the title of the class. Where special classes are classified for older and/or inexperienced dogs, the height of the hurdles, the A-ramp, and the dog walk, and the length of the long jump, may be reduced below the dimensions specified in these regulations, in which case such dimensions must be included in the class definition in the show schedule.

Marking for special classes may deviate from marking for standard classes, but must be specified in the schedule. Wins, places and clear rounds in special classes will not count towards agility warrant points or grade progression at Kennel Club shows.



## Show Rules and Regulations

1. Dogs entered at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows must be registered at the Kennel Club in accordance with Kennel Club Regulations for Classification and Registration B, or else registration or transfer of registration must have been applied for. The registration number/ authority to compete (ATC) number will be required for each entry.
2. All dogs registered and resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete (ATC) number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without a Kennel Club Registration number or an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
3. Entry Fees: £5.00 per class, £10.00 per pair (£3.50 per class for BSDA of GB members).
4. There is no prize money in any class.
5. Postal and online entries accepted – online entries via: [www.showtime-online.co.uk](http://www.showtime-online.co.uk)
6. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
7. Only dogs of 18 calendar months of age and over on the day of competition are eligible for competition at Kennel Club licensed Agility Shows.
8. A dog must not compete in the same class more than once, including special classes.
9. Not For Competition entries will be accepted for dogs aged four calendar months and over. Dogs must be Kennel Club registered with their details recorded on the entry form.
10. No bitch in season is allowed to compete at Limited, Open, Premier or Championship Agility Shows. However, bitches in season can compete at quarter finals, semi-finals and finals of Kennel Club Prestige Events, except events held under YKC rules.
11. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the competitions is forbidden.
12. No person shall carry out punitive correction or harsh handling of a dog at any time within the boundaries of the Show.
13. Dogs must not wear any type of slip, half-slip collar or lead when under test. A single flat, close fitting, leather or webbing collar is permitted, providing the only attachment is a plain identification panel as an integral part of the collar ie. not attached by a ring.
14. Should a judge be unable to fulfil the appointment to judge the Committee reserves the right to appoint another judge.
15. No competitor shall impugn the decision of the judge or judges.
16. Sponsorship: Jewlnick.
17. N/A.
18. Kennel Club standard marking regulations apply for all standard classes.
19. The hurdle height in Anysize classes will be: 20cm, 30cm & 40cm.
20. The height limit for dogs.
  - a. Large Dog classes - For dogs measuring over 500mm at the withers.
  - b. Intermediate Dog classes – For dogs measuring over 430mm and measuring 500mm or under at the withers.
  - c. Medium Dog classes - For dogs measuring over 350mm and measuring 430mm or under at the withers.
  - d. Small Dog classes - For dogs measuring 350mm or under at the withers.
21. Judges at an Agility Show may not judge a dog which is recorded in their ownership or part ownership; or handle a dog at the Show at which they are judging. Dogs may be disqualified if proved to have been handled in the class by the scheduled judge's spouse or immediate family, or resident at the same address as the scheduled judge.
22. Removal of dogs from Competition:

Following discussion between the show management and/or a veterinary surgeon, a dog shall be prevented from competing and/or removed from the Show if it is:-

  - a. A bitch which is in season (apart from dogs attending the show to compete competing in quarter finals, semi-finals and finals of Kennel Club Prestige Events, other than events held under YKC rules).
  - b. Suffering from any infectious diseases or contagious disease.
  - c. Interfering with the safety or chance of winning of an opponent.
  - d. Of such temperament or is so much out of control as to be a danger to the safety of any person or other animal.
  - e. Likely to cause suffering to the dog if it continues competing.

The circumstances of such a removal shall be recorded in the competition/show Incident Book and submitted to the Kennel Club.
23. Removal of competitors: No equipment shall be moved without permission of the judge. Any concerns regarding the course shall be discussed with the judge/show management. Any unauthorised movement of equipment may result in removal of the competitor from the show. All such removals should be reported to The Kennel Club in the Incident Book.
24. Dog Agility is a competitive and physically strenuous activity. It is the responsibility of the owner/handler to ensure their dog is 'fit for function' and that they themselves are fit to take part. By signing the entry form you confirm that to the best of your knowledge your dog is fit and able to take part in Agility classes on the day of the show.
25. In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including 25 days before the start of the competition, i.e. (29<sup>th</sup> April 2024), shall be counted when entering for any class. For these purposes a competition shall be defined as all classes covered within the same schedule. In the event that a dog becomes eligible for the next grade at a particular show, after the entry for that show has been sent, it is the competitor's responsibility to notify Agility Aid or the show secretary at least 14 days before the date of the show (10<sup>th</sup> May 2024). The dog will then be moved into the appropriate class(es) for the next grade. The dog must be moved into the corresponding number of classes as were entered at the lower grade. If there are fewer or no classes available for the next grade the competitor will be offered a refund of the relevant entry fees.
26. Should circumstances so dictate the Society, in consultation with the Judges, may alter arrangements as necessary. Such changes and the circumstances surrounding them will be reported to the Kennel Club.
27. In the event that the show is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, the society will refund fees, less reasonably incurred expenses. If the show processor has the provisions to do so, competitors will be refunded in the manner in which they had entered the show, but in any event the society will refund fees within 3 months of the show date to all those who had entered and requested a refund within 1 month of the show date.
28. Except for mobility aids, nothing shall be carried in the hand while the dog is under test and food shall not be given to a dog whilst in the ring. Competitors are prohibited from wearing bags or leads whilst under test.
29. No dogs' crates or boxes should be left near or between rings. Societies may, if they wish, designate areas where dogs' crates and boxes may be left in the vicinity of the rings.
30. The handler must set their dog up to start within the ring. Dog and handler must enter the ring together and under no circumstances may a dog be left outside the ring off lead and recalled or sent to the handler in the ring.
31. Should the judge deem a re-run is required, any result and/or faults gained in the previous run must be discounted.

32. Separate entry forms must be completed by each owner and must be signed by the owner or his authorised agent in accordance with provisions specified thereon. Entry forms must be accompanied by the appropriate fees.
33. Free Passes – N/A.
34. Competition of Dogs Suffering from Contagious or Infectious Disease – No dogs suffering from infectious or contagious disease or having been exposed to such disease during the period of 21 days prior to the Competition may compete. Competitors infringing the Regulation will be liable to be fined and/or dealt with under Kennel Club Rule A11.
35. It is the competitor's responsibility to be available for their class and running order. Competitors must run as close to their running order as possible. Failure to do so may be reported to the Kennel Club.
36. Animals in Event - No animal other than one officially entered shall be brought into the precincts of the event during its continuance, except any dogs registered to assist the disabled, or dogs required for educational or instructional purposes or by permission of the Board. However, at the discretion of the show society, a dog brought to the show by a spectator may be admitted into the precincts of the dog show, with the proviso that those in charge of the dog sign a declaration confirming the dog is free from disease and that the dog will be kept under proper control at all times.
37. A pay on the day class will be held if time permits.
38. A practice ring may be available to dogs entered for competition at the show, if space allows. This ring must be supervised by a responsible adult with agility knowledge.
39. Welfare of Dogs - An exhibitor (or competitor) whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not knowingly put their dogs' health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. A breach of this Regulation may be referred to the Board for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. The use of pinch collars, electronic shock collars, or prong collars is not permitted at any Agility show licensed by The Kennel Club. This shall apply at the venue and within the precincts of the show.
40. The show organisers or their authorised agents may make results from this show publicly available and share results with third parties for the same purpose.
41. Training will not be permitted in the ring before, during or after the show.
42. Any exhibitor forwarding a cheque which is returned by the bank will be charged an additional £10 to cover bank and administration charges before the entry is accepted.
43. Overpaid fees will not be refunded, payment should be made in sterling, post-dated cheques will not be accepted.
44. Your attention is drawn to Kennel Club rule F8(A) regarding dog fouling. "Any owner, exhibitor or handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club Licensed Show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including the car and caravan parks and the show approaches".
45. All dogs are entered at their owners' risk. Whilst every care will be taken, the BSDA of GB will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or injury to persons, dogs or property.
46. Campers must remain within their allocated space and MUST NOT obstruct the roadways. Joining of gardens is not allowed. All units must be equipped with own fire extinguishers and/or bucket of water at the tow bar.
47. Training equipment must not be used in the confines of the show, including the camping and parking areas.

NOTE: Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of a Parent or Guardian and must be supervised at all times including when competing.

**DOGS ARE NOT TO BE LEFT LOOSE IN 'GARDEN' AREAS  
OR TETHERED TO VEHICLES WITHOUT BEING ATTENDED.**

DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS - Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog.

**WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.**

Funds raised by this show will be used towards the cost of GB handlers and dogs selected to represent GB at the Belgian Shepherd Dog World Championships held by the Fédération Mondiale du Berger Belge (FMBB).

### **Last but not least...**

We extend our thanks to all those who have and who will be giving up their time to help ensure that Summer at Ashfields 2 is a success. We would also like to thank the trade stands who attend our show and hope that you will support them.

### **Directions to our venue**

Directions from West:

From M11 Junction 8 roundabout, take the B1256 Dunmow Road (signposted Takeley). At Takeley (Four Ashes), turn right into B183 signposted Hatfield Broad Oak. After approx. 1 mile turn left and then 1/3 mile later take another left (signposted Great Canfield). After about 2 miles Ashfields Carriage & Polo Club will be on your left (Please do not use Cuckoo Lane).

Directions from East:

From Dunmow take the B184 signposted The Rodings, and just after you enter High Roding, turn right into Canfield Road. At the "T" junction turn left and continue on for approx. 2 miles. Ashfields Carriage & Polo Club will be on your right.



## **JEWLNICK JUMP AND TWIST PAIRS RULES 2023/2024**

1. This class is open to pairs of the same height, grades 1-7. It is open to Small, Medium, Intermediate and Large dogs.
2. It is a combined class with one set of awards.
3. One dog will complete an agility course and another a jumping course.
4. The judge will decide which course will run first and each course should be suitable for grade 3.
5. This is a fun class and the course design should be fast and flowing for both dogs.
6. Each course must consist of 15 obstacles. The agility course must include three contacts (these can be any three contacts). Each course must include 12 weaves.
7. There will be a baton exchange which must take place after the first dog has finished. A faulty baton change will incur 20 faults. There is no box.
8. If someone loses their partner they may run with another handler and dog provided they are entered at the show and in the pairs class.
9. Marking will be standard but if either dog is eliminated then the whole pair is eliminated.
10. The first FOUR pairs will qualify for the final which will be held at SOUTHAM AGILITY SHOW IN SEPTEMBER 2024. Only the original handlers and dogs may run in the final, there can be no substitutions.
11. Once a pair has qualified they may enter other heats for competition but the place in the final will be awarded to the next highest placed pair who haven't already qualified.
12. The sponsors will provide trophies to first place and rosettes to fifth place.

WITH THANKS AS ALWAYS TO OUR GENEROUS SPONSORS, JULIE AND NICK JEWLNICK LEATHER FOR THEIR CONTINUED SUPPORT - PUTTING THE FUN INTO AGILITY WITH THIS EXCITING QUALIFIER WHICH THIS YEAR IS CELEBRATING ITS 10TH ANNIVERSARY !!

## BSDA of GB (Summer at Ashfields) – KC Open Agility Show

Ashfields Carriage & Polo Club, Great Canfield, Dunmow, Essex, CM6 1JU – 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024

This form must be used by one person only (or partnership). Writing MUST BE IN INK OR INDELIBLE PENCIL. Use one line only for each dog. The name of the dog and all the details as recorded with the Kennel Club must be given on this entry form. If an error is made the dog may be disqualified by the Committee of the Kennel Club. All dogs must be REGISTERED at the Kennel Club in the name of the owner. If the registration or transfer of ownership has not been confirmed it must be applied for before the closing date of entries. In case of dispute proof of postage of such applications may be required by the Kennel Club. Dogs under 18 months of age on the day of competition cannot be entered for competition. On no account will entries be accepted without fees. If a dog is in the process of Registration or Transfer at the time entry is made, add the letters NAF or TAF as appropriate after its name. Please put classes in numerical order and USE BLOCK CAPITALS throughout when completing this entry form. PLEASE CHECK ALL DETAILS BEFORE POSTING. NOTE: Children under the age of 11 are the responsibility of a Parent or Guardian and must be supervised at all times including when competing.

HANDLER				OWNER* (if different to handler)			
Name		Address		Name			
Tel No				Address			
Mobile		Postcode		Postcode			
email		Vehicle Reg		Tel No			

KC Registered Name of Dog*	KC Reg No* (SB/ATC No)	Breed*	Dog/ Bitch*	Date of Birth*	Size L/I/M/S	Grade	Classes (In Numerical Order) or NFC	Secs Use

\* these details must be given in terms identical with registration of the dog at the Kennel Club - ENTER NFC's ABOVE must be aged 4 months or over and registered with the KC or name applied for

PAIRS – All dogs must be entered by owners on individual entry forms for eligibility for pairs					<b>ENTRIES &amp; FEES TO:</b>  BSDA of GB c/o Agility Aid, 20 House Lane, Arlesey, Bedfordshire, SG15 6XU  <b>Cheques Payable to:</b> <b>BSDA of GB</b>	ENTRIES	
Class	Handler	KC Registered Name of Dog	KC Number	Size		x Classes at £5.00	£
86					x Members Classes at £3.50	£	
					x Pairs at £10.00	£	
					x Camping at £45.00	£	
					x Members Camping at £40.00	£	
86					x Postage at £2.50	£ <span style="color: red;">2.50</span>	
<b>TOTAL</b>						£	

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Camping</u></b></p> <p>Group Name:</p> <p>Top Field or Main Field</p> <p>Comments:</p>	<p><b>Declaration:</b> I/We agree to submit to and be bound by Kennel Club Limited Rules &amp; Regulations in their present form or as they may be amended from time to time in relation to all canine matters with which the Kennel Club is concerned and that this entry is made upon the basis that all current single or joint registered owners of this dog(s) have authorised/consented to this entry. I/We also undertake to abide by the Regulations of this Show and not to bring to the Show any dog which has contracted or been knowingly exposed to any infectious or contagious disease during the 21 days prior to the Show, or which is suffering from a visible condition which adversely affects its health or welfare. I/We further declare that, I believe to the best of my knowledge that dogs are not liable to disqualification under Kennel Club Agility Show Regulations.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Signature of Owner</b> (or Authorised Agent)</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Date..... CLOSING DATE - 24th April 2024</p>
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The owner is aware that small, medium and intermediate dogs must be measured prior to competing in accordance with Regulation H(1)(B)4.



CAN YOU HELP AT OUR SHOW (please circle)				<b>Dogs in Vehicles on Hot Days:</b> Your dog is vulnerable and AT RISK if left in a vehicle in high temperatures and even on days considered as slightly warm. Please take care of your dog. If your dog is found to be at risk forcible entry to your vehicle may be necessary without liability for any damage caused. A dog must at the time of entry for the competition, be registered as required by Kennel Club Rules and Regulations in the competitors' name (or else registration or transfer of registration applied for).	
Please circle when you would be prepared to help:		Friday all day / am / pm	Saturday all day / am / pm		Sunday all day / am / pm
Please indicate the job/s you would be prepared to do:		Ring Manager	Scrimmer		Caller Poles Leads Any
Please let us know if you would like to help on a particular ring or with a certain judge, or if you are already a member of a club ring party:					

## Summer at Ashfields – 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024

### **HELP NEEDED** **Can you supply a whole ring party?**

If your club or training group are able to run a ring for a day for us, please put down your club name and any preferences you have. If you can supply a list of those who will be in your ring party, then we can avoid double-booking them if they also complete the single helpers section.

Please email this completed form to [bernadette.king13@gmail.com](mailto:bernadette.king13@gmail.com)

Name of Club:	
Contact Name:	
Contact Tel No:	
Preferred Day:	
Preferred Judge/Ring:	

Ring Party Members	

Any notes to us: