

BOWWOW BONANZA

PRESENTED BY WAGS & WHISKERS

*Hosted by the Somerset County 4-H
Wags & Whiskers Dog Club*

BowWow·Bonanza¶



Saturday, April 20, 2024

10:00 AM

(Doors open at 9:15 AM)

**Return Entries by April 13, 2024
to be listed in the Show Catalog**

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**Entries will be accepted through April 18th,
but may not be included in the Show Catalog**

Please remember to bring a crate so your dog can rest between shows.

WHERE:

Somerset County 4-H Center
(Ted Blum 4-H Center)
310 Milltown Road
Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Questions? Please email Wags & Whiskers Leaders: Kris Hurlbut and Jessica von Spreckelsen at wags.whiskers4h@gmail.com or 732-713-4748 or 908-319-2876

Make your life easier by registering online and paying via Venmo

[Register Here Online](#)

or complete paper form

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Space is limited to 100 dogs.

(One entry form per dog, please)

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HANDLER INFORMATION

Handler Name: _____ Grade: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

4-H Club: _____ 4-H County: _____

Please ensure email address is correct and legible: it will be the primary method of distributing information, if needed

DOG INFORMATION

Dog's Name: _____ Dog's Age: _____

Breed _____ Male Female *(Circle one)*

Dates of Inoculations for Rabies/DHLP/PARVO (required) _____

CLASS INFORMATION

- Entry Fee is \$5.00 per Class.
- Classes are open to all 4-H Handlers who are in good standing with their Club and their project and project dogs
- All dogs (except Cloverbud/Prep dogs) MUST be entered in Grooming.

Cloverbud/Prep Registration

____ Cloverbud/Prep Class (For Cloverbud/ prep members - grades 1-3)

No other Class Entry is required

Regular 4-H Registration General Information (4th grade through 13th grade)

____ Grooming (No charge, REQUIRED)

Jr. Showmanship Classes Class is divided by Handler Age and Ability ** SEE ATTACHED FOR FURTHER

EXPLANATION

Age Division

- ___ I am a **JUNIOR** 4-H Member (*Members in 4th -6th grades*)
- ___ I am an **INTERMEDIATE** 4-H Member (*Members in 7th -9th grades*)
- ___ I am a **SENIOR** 4-Member (*Members in 10th – 13th grades*)

Ability Division

- ___ **Beginner** (*First Show - Non Competitive - Rosettes given to all entries*)
- ___ **Novice** (*For those who have shown previously but not had 3 placings*)
- ___ **Open** (*3 or more placings or show in the AKC Novice Level*)
- ___ **Master** (*For those who have shown at AKC open level or have won 3 BJH awards in 4-H*)

Obedience Classes -

Class is divided by Handler Ability

** SEE ATTACHED FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION

___ Beginner A	___ Pre-Novice B	___ Advanced Novice
___ Beginner B	___ Intermediate	___ Graduate Novice
___ Pre-Novice A	___ Novice	___ Open

**** REQUIRED - 4-H Trainer/Leader Signature:** _____

By signing, 4-H leaders/trainers validate that the member is a member in good standing of their 4-H dog club, has entered the correct obedience and showmanship class, and has shot records on file for the registered dog.

Of Classes Entered: _____ x \$5.00/Class = \$ _____

PAID: _____ DUE: _____

NOTE: Preferred method of payment is Venmo to Kris-Hurlbut (please mention BowWow Bonanza and Handler's Name) or checks should be made payable to: Somerset County 4-H Association, with Wags & Whiskers in the Memo section

**Mail entries with payment to
Wags & Whiskers Dog Club
% Kris Hurlbut
990 Tullo Farm Road, Bridgewater, NJ 08807**

or
**eMail scanned Entries to
wags.whiskers4h@gmail.com and Venmo payment to @kris-hurlbut
Entry fees due morning of the show**

EXPLANATION OF JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

Beginner class: all grades (*Formally First Year. Anyone who does not want to compete can enter this class*) participation rosette given to all that enter. Non-competitive, constructive class.

Junior class 4th -6th grades: *Equivalent to AKC Junior Classes*

Novice: for those who have not yet received **3 PLACINGS** in this class

Open: for those that have **3 or more 1st - 4th PLACINGS** (does not need to be in 1 calendar year) in the 4-H Junior level or have shown in an AKC Novice Junior class

Master Class for those kids who have shown at the AKC Open level, or have won 3 Best Junior Handler awards at 4-H shows **formerly (4-H Advanced class)**

Intermediate class 7th to 9th grade: *Equivalent to AKC Intermediate classes*

Novice: for those who have not yet received **3 1st - 4th PLACINGS** in this class

Open: for those that have **3 or more 1st - 4th PLACINGS** AND for those 4-H'ers who are moving up to the Intermediate level from the 4-H Open Junior class, or have shown in an Novice Intermediate class at an AKC show

Master Class for those kids who have shown at the AKC Open level, or have won 3 Best Junior Handler awards at 4-H shows **formerly (4-H Advanced class)**

Senior class 10th -13th grade: *Equivalent to AKC Senior class*

Novice: for those who have not yet received **3 1st - 4th PLACINGS** in this class

Open: for those who have had **3 or more 1st - 4th PLACINGS** at this level or are moving up from the 4-H Intermediate Open class, or have shown at the Novice Senior level at an AKC show

Master Class for those kids who have shown at the AKC Open level, or have won 3 Best Junior Handler awards at 4-H shows **formerly (4-H Advanced class)**

Best Junior Handler classes are determined as follows:

Best Novice - Determined from The **First Place winners** from **Novice:**

Jr. Novice, Int. Novice, Sr. Novice

Best Open - Determined From The **First Place winners** from **Open:**

Jr. Open, Int. Open, Sr. Open

Best Master - Determined from The **First Place winners** from **Master:**

Jr. Master, Int. Master, Sr. Master

Best Handler – will be determined between Winners from - Best Novice, Best Open and Best Master

Explanation of Obedience Classes

<p>Beginner - A (all on leash)</p> <p>Both Handler AND Dog are new to showing</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Simple Heeling: 40 points 2. Sit for Examination: 20 points 3. Long Sit (30 seconds): 30 points 4. Long Down (60 seconds): 30 points 	<p>Beginner B (All On Leash)</p> <p>Dog OR Handler has Showing Experience</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Simple Heeling: 40 points 2. Sit for Examination: 20 points 3. Long Sit (30 seconds): 30 points 4. Long Down (60 seconds): 30 points
<p>Pre-Novice -A (all on leash)</p> <p>Both Handler AND Dog are new to showing</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heel on Leash: 45 points 2. Figure Eight: 25 points 3. Stand for Examination: 30 points 4. Recall: 40 points 5. Long Sit (1 minute): 30 points 6. Long Down (3 minutes): 30 points 	<p>Pre-Novice -B (all on leash)</p> <p>Dog OR Handler has Showing Experience</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heel on Leash: 45 points 2. Figure Eight: 25 points 3. Stand for Examination: 30 points 4. Recall: 40 points 5. Long Sit (1 minute): 30 points 6. Long Down (3 minutes): 30 points
<p>Intermediate Novice</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heel (on leash): 45 points 2. Figure Eight (on leash) 25 points 3. Stand for Examination (off leash) 30 points 4. Recall (off leash) 40 points 5. Long Sit (off leash) 30 points 6. Long Down (off leash) 30 points 	<p>Novice</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heel (on leash) and Figure Eight (on leash): 40 points 2. Stand for Examination (off leash): 30 points 3. Heel Free (off leash): 40 points 4. Recall (off leash): 30 points 5. Sit Stay Get Your Leash (off leash): 30 points 6. Long Sit (off leash, 1 minute) & Long Down (off leash, 3 minutes): 30 points
<p>Advanced Novice</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heel (on leash): 30 points 2. Stand for Exam and Call Dog: 30 points 3. Heel Free and Figure Eight (on leash): 40 points 4. Drop on Recall: 40 Points 5. Long Sit (handler across ring, 3 minutes): 30 points 6. Long Down (handler out of sight, 3 minutes): 30 points 	<p>Graduate Novice (AKC-based score sheet)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heel (on leash) and Figure Eight (off leash): 40 points 2. Drop on Recall: 40 points 3. Dumbbell Recall: 30 points 4. Recall Over High Jump: 30 points 5. Recall Over Broad Jump: 30 points 6. Stand Stay Get Your Leash: 30 points

ADDITIONAL CLASSES (Free)

GROOMING - Dogs will be judged on how well the dog is groomed.

- Grooming class is required for ALL dogs that are entered **-(Prep/Cloverbud excepted)**

Prep/CloverBud - Non Competitive Exhibition for members of a CloverBud/Prep Dog Program (1st- 3rd Grade)