

WOOFminster 4-H Dog Show



Hosted by the Somerset County 4-H
WOOF Dog Club

Saturday, Feb 25, 2023

11:00 AM

(Doors open at 10:15 AM)

Return Entries by Feb 10, 2023
to be listed in the Show Catalog

Entries will be accepted through Feb 22nd but
will not be included in the Show Catalog

Please bring a dog/cat food, or a new/gently used blanket to be donated to Somerset County Regional Animal Shelter.



WHERE:

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

Questions? Please email Woof Leader: James Gaudet
At 4Hwoofclub@gmail.com or 201-463-1367

Somerset County WOOFinster 4-H Dog Show

Saturday, Feb 25, 2023

**ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY
FEB 10 2023 to be included in the Show Catalog**

Space is limited to 100 dogs.

(One entry form per dog, please)

Entries will be accepted up to FEB 22 but will not be included in the Show Catalog

Questions? Please email Woof Leader, James Gaudet

4hwoofclub@gmail.com

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)

Regular 4-H Registration (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-H 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

Trick Dog (Fees have changed due to AKC changes

___ AKC Novice Trick Dog (TKN) - FREE	___ AKC Intermediate Trick Dog (TKI) \$30 payable to AKC when scores submitted
___ AKC Advanced Trick Dog (TKA) \$30 payable to AKC when scores submitted	

**** 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: Checks should be made payable to: **WOOF DOG CLUB**

To be included in the show book, entries must be received by Feb 10, 2023.

Mail entries with payment to
Woof Dog Club
% James Gaudet
79 Meadowbrook Drive, Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Or
eMail scanned Entries to

4hwoofclub@gmail.com

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>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)

TRICK DOG - See <https://www.akc.org/sports/trick-dog/> For further description

- Dog will need to be registered w/ AKC as either Purebred or PAL registration to earn a Title
- Handler will need to be registered with AKC as Jr Handler

These registrations are free to 4-H and we can help provide the forms as needed

***** AKC FEE CHANGE*****

There is no Charge to attempt any Trick Dog Title at WOOFminster

However, when submitting the 4-H Trick Dog results To AKC,

- No Fee is needed for the Novice Trick Dog
 - Completed Novice forms need to be provided to your 4-H Leader in order to be submitted to AKC free of cost
- \$30 payable to AKC for Intermediate and Advanced Trick Dog Titles

Please see you 4-H Leader for more information on submitting AKC payment and forms–

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)

New Jersey 4-H Event Permission Form for Youth



Both sides of this form must be completed by all youth participating in overnight activities, field trips, events requiring group transportation, and any other events sponsored through the 4-H Youth Development Program where it is deemed necessary by the event coordinator(s) (paid 4-H staff and/or registered 4-H volunteer) responsible for the youth participants. The form should be submitted prior to the event. The form has five parts: (1) information about the participant and activity, (2) parental permission and liability release, (3) medical emergency authorization and health information, and (4) code of conduct and (5) media policy. *Be sure to complete all five parts and sign where requested!*

Information about the Youth Participant and Activity

Name of Youth participant: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone number: _____ Email Address: _____

4-H county: _____ Birthdate: _____ Grade: _____

Name of activity/event: _____

Name of 4-H group sponsoring or participating in this event: _____

Location of event: _____

Date and time of participation of individual named above: _____

Parent Permission and Release of Liability

I hereby give my son/daughter named above permission to participate in the event listed. Although Rutgers Cooperative Extension and its event coordinator(s) will use the utmost precaution in guarding the health of the above participant and preventing accidents, I release them and their Cooperating Agencies: Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and County Boards of Chosen Freeholders, from any liability in case of illness or injury as a result of this activity. Furthermore, I release the owner and driver of the car transporting my child to and from the event, from any liability in case of illness or injury.

Sign Here 

Signature of parent or guardian: _____

Medical Emergency Authorization and Health Information

I authorize the event coordinator(s) to dispense the prescription drugs and/or over the counter medications listed below in accordance with the instructions provided on the label (prescription drugs) or below (over-the-counter medications). In case of sudden illness or an accident to the above named participant requiring immediate treatment or surgery while he/she is a participant in this activity, I authorize the 4-H chaperone(s) to take such action as seems appropriate to protect the health and physical well-being of the above participant. This authority extends to any physician(s) and/or surgeon(s) selected by the event coordinator(s) to perform medical and/or surgical procedures including examinations and tests necessary to preserve the health and physical well-being of the above named participant. All efforts will be made to contact the parent(s) or guardian(s) in case of emergency.

Name of parent/guardian **Phone number** **Name of additional emergency contact** **Phone number**

The following information is provided as an aid to the event coordinator(s) in dealing with the well-being of the participant. The participant has the following health conditions: (include allergies, handicaps, diabetes, pregnancy, asthma, medications needed, etc.).

Health conditions: _____

Medications/Instructions: _____

Health Insurance: Company Group# _____ ID# _____

Sign Here 

Signature of parent or guardian _____

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New Jersey 4-H Code of Conduct



The primary purpose of the New Jersey 4-H Code of Conduct is to ensure the safety and well-being of all participants at 4-H sponsored events and activities. It applies to all participants, with participants defined as 4-H members, their parents, and volunteers.

As a participant in the 4-H program, I will:

- **Conduct myself in a courteous manner and treat members, parents, 4-H volunteers, Extension staff, judges and others with respect. Appropriate language and behavior are expected at all times.**
- **Respect and adhere to the rules and guidelines of the 4-H program including all those specific to a 4-H event or activity.**
- **Uphold an individual's right to dignity by supporting an environment of inclusion which welcomes involvement of participants from all backgrounds.**
- **Accept supervision and support from county and state 4-H staff while participating in the 4-H program. This includes acceptance of supervision and support from appointed 4-H volunteers coordinating 4-H events and activities.**
- **Obey local, state and federal laws.**

Participants who fail to adhere to the New Jersey 4-H Code of Conduct are subject to a range of disciplinary actions. Such actions will be taken in compliance with the New Jersey 4-H Discipline Policy and Procedure. When appropriate, immediate corrective action will be taken at the 4-H event to ensure the safety and welfare of all participants.

I understand if I fail to adhere to the above Code of Conduct, I will be subject to disciplinary action and potentially prohibited from attending and participating in the New Jersey 4-H Youth Development program.

	_____	_____
	Signature of participant in event	Date
	_____	_____
	Signature of parent or guardian	Date

New Jersey 4-H Media Policy and Release

The 4-H program routinely promotes activities through various media. This includes, but is not limited to newsletters, newspapers, brochures, and displays. In doing so, the names and photos of members may be included to help tell the 4-H story. However, New Jersey 4-H policy is that on web sites, youth in photos will not be identified by name(s).

- No, do not use my individual picture for any purpose.** I will make an effort to avoid opportunities to be in group photos.
- No, do not use my name for any purpose.**

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