

# Data Driven Agility UKI Agility Trial

**April 19-20, 2025** 

Data Driven Agility 257 Elm Hill Street Springfield, VT

Outdoors on thick grass 120'x120' fenced ring

Judge Val Duff Course Designer: Ashley Deacon

Entries Close: April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Competition Manager: Valori Duff K9AS@comcast.net

## ENTER ONLINE WWW.MYDOGENTRY.COM

Day of show entries <u>may</u> be taken until 8:30 a.m. please check with the secretary for availability.
A \$5.00 processing fee will be incurred.

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

#### SCHEDULE OF AGILITY

(held under UK Agility International Rules & Regulations)



**CLASSES:** 

Masters Series
Speedstakes
Agility
Jumping
Snooker
Gamble

### International and Speedstakes All levels, All heights

Trial opens: 8:00 a.m.
Please do not arrive prior to this time.
Briefing: 8:40 a.m.
Judging Starts: 9:00 a.m.

Start times are subject to change based on entries

Checks made payable to:
Data Driven
Mail entries with fees to:
Valori Duff
44 Lincoln Dr New Boston, NH 03070

Any trial updates will be posted on K9 Agility Services Competitor Corner Facebook Group pages.

(note K9 FB page is public and can be viewed even if you are not on Facebook)

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

The show site is outdoors on thick grass. Tents may be set up for shade.

A warm up jump will be provided for all exhibitors.

All dogs must be on leash at all times, except when in the ring. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Trial Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

#### **Trial Site Rules**

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#### **Helpers**

Help Data Driven run a fun and efficient trial by signing up to work a few classes when you arrive.

**Equipment** – Plastic jumps, Ascending Spread jump, Broad Jump, saloon tire and rubberized contacts will be used.

#### **Bitches in Season -**

Bitches in season may run at this show. You must notify the show secretary as early as possible to this fact. In season pants must be worn while running but handlers allow this at their own risk.

<u>Crating Info:</u> Crating space is be available. You may set up a tent for shade. Please be considerate of others. Please limit you crate space.

**Food:** There will be NO food vendor.

#### **COVID Protocols**

Any COVID updates will be in final confirmation.

#### **Tentative Event Schedule & Classes**

- Trial Opens 8:00 a.m.
- General Briefing 8:40 a.m.
- Judging starts 9:00 a.m.
- Times are subject to change based on entry.

#### Saturday April 19

Gamblers-open to all levels
Agility- Beginner/Novice—Senior/Champ
Masters Agility — open to all levels
Jumpers — Beginner/Novice—Senior/Champ
Masters Jumping —open to all levels
Speedstakes — Beginner/Novice--Senior/Champ

#### **Sunday April 20**

Speedstakes Senior/Champ- Beginner/Novice Jumping Senior/Champ- Beginner/Novice Snooker- open to all levels Agility x2 rounds Senior/Champ- Beginner/Novice

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

DDA 257 Elm Hill St Springfield, VT

#### **Hotel info:**

Confirm pet policy when making reservations.

**Holiday Inn Express** 818 Charlestown Rd Springfield VT (866)-573-4235

**Rodeway Inn** 593 Rockingham Rd Bellows Falls VT (866)-573-4235

**Sunapee Lake Lodge** 1403 Route 103 Newbury VT (866)-925-4159

HTTPS://WWW.AIRBNB.COM/

<u>Camping/RV:</u> Please contact Val for RV information. <u>k9as@comcast.net</u>

**Hotel Courtesies:** All poop is to be picked up! Bring a sheet to cover the beds. Bring a towel to put under the water bowl and to dry your dogs if needed.

DO NOT LEAVE YOUR DOG ALONE IN THE ROOM AT ANYTIME

#### **Local Emergency Vet info:**

Springfield Animal Hospital 346 River st Springfield VT 802-885-2505

Course	Maps will only be released when doors open
	vill be available for all competitors through
-	nethods: Maps will be posted for all
	itors through these methods:
-	Maps will be posted on site for competitors to view and photograph.
2)	Competitors may choose to also order physical copies of maps for \$5 a day. We will not be printing individual copies of maps for competitors unless that competitor preorders maps. If you choose to order maps, they will be available in the morning prior to walkthroughs for pick up each day. You can place your orders for maps at: K9AS@comcast.net and bring payment to trial or include separately with entry payable to Val Duff.
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#### **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, & 12 from games.

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

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AKC/CKC	USDAA/AAC	CPE	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 JUN	Reference for WAO tryout			
UKI Jump A-frame UKI Dog Height 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 \*\* Dogs may always jump higher than their height category

Measuring Dogs - Please ensure you understand the new criteria regarding dogs being measured. UKI Rule Book edition 10 If a dog is under 3 and newly registered, a temporary measure or proof of the dog's height must be done by the dog's 3<sup>rd</sup> trial. A permanent measure must be obtained by a UKI official measurer between 12-18 months after the dog's first/temporary measure. Any registered dog that only has a temporary measure, must follow the above rule. If a newly registered dog is over 3, they must obtain a measure by an official UKI measurer by their 3<sup>rd</sup> trial and this measurement will be permanent.

UKI US Open ~ Nov 19 - 23, 2025 - Jacksonville, FL

Qualifying period: Oct 1, 2024 - Sept 29, 2025

West Coast Open ~ Oct 2 - 5, 2025 - Paso Robles, CA

Qualifying period for Agility Stakes Final: Aug 1, 2024 – July 28, 2025

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 <u>https://ukagilityinternational.com/events/</u>

#### **BY ENTERING UKI EVENTS, COMPETITORS AGREE TO:**

**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. Each competitor acknowledges through their entry to the UKI event that their participation is a privilege and not a right.

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.

Please ensure to read the **move up rules – section 2.0.** At a UKI trial where the dog is competing for more than one day and the dog completes the requirements for a level on a prior day, they must move up the following day.

All dogs and handlers must be registered with UK Agility International to compete. UK Agility International's official rules & regulations are available to view free from the UKI web page. If you or your dog is not already registered, please register online at <a href="https://www.ukagilityinternational.com">www.ukagilityinternational.com</a>

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 while at the UKI event.

Dogs under 18 calendar months of age on the day of the Show are not eligible to compete in UKI Trials, with the exception of dogs over 15 calendar months of age eligible to compete in Nursery Classes & Speedstakes classes.

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 its welfare is in danger if it continues competing.

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, will at the discretion of the show management, be asked to remove the offending dogs, children, guests from the event grounds. Any competitor or competitor's dog that is dismissed from the show by the judge and or show manager in accordance with UKI rules and regulations will have no recourse to any refund of fees paid such as entry fees, camping fees, crating fees and any other fees associated with the event.

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.

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.

#### **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 including on social media platforms.

By virtue of their entry, competitors acknowledge and agree to comply with all UKI rules and regulations and agree to accept any sanctions that are imposed for failure to comply. The judge has responsibility for determining when it is appropriate to excuse a dog and competitor from the ring. The show officials have responsibility for determining when an infraction should result in a verbal warning, written warning and/or 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 trial officials will 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 including a dog clearly not under the control of the handler; concerns for the welfare of a dog or who is unfit for competing; 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**

Cyber bullying of any kind towards UKI, trial management & staff, 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.

#### **Refund and Entry Cancellation 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 date of account creation. 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 on their own policies. Contact the show management for details, NOT UKI.

Payment of entry fees and Instant Account Top up Fees must be made directly to the UKI member account or directly to the trial before a competitor may compete. PLEASE BE AWARE – at the closing date of entries, if you are paying by check, your account balance under "My Account" will show as \$0.00 USD. A note will confirm that you are paying the trial directly. This enables you to enter and pay for other trials online. If you have a \$0.00 USD zero balance display on your UKI Home page, it does not constitute a cancelled entry. Only you are responsible to cancel your entry online by going back into the show you entered and clicking CANCEL MY ENTIRE ENTRY. UKI will not cancel any entries. If in doubt, you must check your entries from the My Entries link as well as reviewing your account transactions. If you have not cancelled your entry as above before the closing date, you are still responsible to pay the entry fee.

Additional administration charges may be imposed to a member's account due to negligence that result in administration time to correct. Possible infractions, not limited to, are submitting incorrect trial entry information, including incorrect handler and dog number, creating duplicate membership or dog accounts and late payment fees. Charges are based on an hourly rate of \$20 per hour.

#### Media & Sponsor Rights Release

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. Sponsors of UKI events may email entrants with their product and or service information. If a competitor does not wish to receive emails from these sponsors, they must email the show management before the close of the trial entry date to declare this, ensuring they receive a receipt email that this information has been received by the trial management.

# UK Agility International Handler Entry Form Data Driven Agility April 19 -20, 2025

Enter online: www.MyDogEntry.com

Closing Date: April 8th, 2025

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

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PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLET	ELY AND LEGIBLY				
Sf	tate/Provence:				
Zip/ Post Code: Country:					
Total Number of Class Entries	X \$16.00				
Total Number of Masters Entries	X \$36.00				
Checks Payable to: Data Driven Agility Mail to: Valori Duff 44 Lincoln Dr New Boston I	\$				
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#### Entry is not valid unless agreement is read and signed. Thank You for your Help!

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 Data Driven Agility, and their agents, officers & members and Riverside K9 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 harmless from any and all loss and expense (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 alleged to 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 wearing collars, stop pad protectors, bitch in season pants, or any similar items. Everyone must be very careful to watch their dogs on the property, clean up after yourselves and your dogs. We reserve the right to excuse any person for what we deem to be using excessive harshness, or any dog we feel cannot safely perform the obstacles. We reserve the right to excuse any person for what we deem as aggressive or abusive towards another person or dog. Please fill out both handler and dog entry forms completely and legibly.

Signature of Exhibitor/Owner or of parent or legal guardian of minor:	Date:			

## UK Agility International Dog Entry Form Data Driven Agility April 19-20, 2025

### Enter online: www.MyDogEntry.com

You must submit the Handler Entry Form (previous page) with the Dog Entry Form

If you supply incorrect information including - Handler numbers, dog numbers, LEVELS, height, your results will be void and a fee maybe applied. So be sure to double check all your details, when completing the entry forms

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		Jumping			\$16	5.00	Snooke	er			\$16.	00		
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Signature of Exhibitor/Owner or of parent or legal guardian of minor, in agreement of above Covid 19 Waiver

Date:

\$36.00

Master's Series

Agility #2

\$16.00

#### **Masters Series Tournament Rules**

The aim of Masters is to encourage more competitive running in UKI classes and improve the overall standard of top level agility. The Masters has been created for dogs and competitors whose goal is to compete at both National and International level.

#### **General Rules**

Open to all UKI level dogs including Select heights. Separate competition for each height. Agility and Jumping rounds with results combined. Handlers must run in strict running orders, failure to do so will result in elimination. Either Agility or Jumping classes may run first. If a handler has 2 dogs entered within a jump height, they may move their first dog up so that there are as many dogs as possible between their dogs. If this is not possible, they will receive a 6-minute break. If a handler has more than 2 dogs within a jump height and the entry is not large enough for a sufficient gap in between all their dogs, the first of their dogs drawn will be allowed to run in between a jump height change, if a jump height change is available before their height. If it is not, the final decision will be made by the judge and show manager, taking into consideration fairness to the competitor and other entrants in the Masters Class. Day of Entries must run first within the running orders of the first class. The second class must run in reverse order of placing from first class. The dog must run in the height that he will compete at in the Masters Final. The same dog and handler must run both rounds. Only the handler who qualifies the dog through a Masters Heat, may run the dog in the US Open Masters Final. Any extraordinary circumstances to be ruled by UKI.

#### **Scoring**

Standard UK Agility Marking will apply. Faults converted into seconds. 5 faults = 5 seconds. Time faults treated the same as course faults. An elimination = 100 faults plus 60 second course time. An absent or NFC run = 1000 faults with a 60 second course time. Dogs with an absent or NFC run in either the Agility or Jumping will forfeit any Q's or awards gained in the other round; in other words, both rounds must be run for competition. Dogs with double elimination will not be placed. An E in the individual round will not be placed in that round. Dogs with the lowest score will be deemed the winner. In the event of a tie, the Agility result will be the deciding factor, followed by the jumping result. If a tie still remains, a runoff will be required. If there is a tie for the Individual class wins, a runoff will be required on that course to determine the winner and subsequent placings.

#### **Final Qualification:** 2 ways to qualify for the Final to be held at the UKI US Open:

A. Individual Winners (per height) of the Masters Agility or Masters	B. 1st & 2nd Overall (per height) (even if an E is
Jumping class (even if an E is earned in the other round).	earned in one of the rounds).

#### **Prizes:**

Of the Prize entry fee; \$5.00 is placed in heat prize fund. Each height has its own prize fund and will be divided as per Masters "Prize Money Guide". Prize fund is for overall winners only. \$1 from each entry fee will be split & placed in the Final prize fund and Team USA WAO fund. In the event there is not a monetary winner within a height, the prize money will be sent to UKI to go towards the Final prize fund.

Entered in height	1st	2nd	Total fund	Fund per	centage
1	\$4.00		\$4.00	100%	
2	\$8.00		\$8.00	100%	
3	\$12.00		\$12.00	100%	
4	\$16.00		\$16.00	100%	
5	\$20.00		\$20.00	100%	
6	\$24.00		\$24.00	100%	
7	\$28.00		\$28.00	100%	
8	\$32.00		\$32.00	100%	
9	\$36.00		\$36.00	100%	
10	\$40.00		\$40.00	100%	
11	\$30.80	\$13.20	\$44.00	70%	30%
12	\$33.60	\$14.40	\$48.00	70%	30%
13	\$36.40	\$15.60	\$52.00	70%	30%
14	\$39.20	\$16.80	\$56.00	70%	30%
15	\$42.00	\$18.00	\$60.00	70%	30%
16	\$44.80	\$19.20	\$64.00	70%	30%
17	\$47.60	\$20.40	\$68.00	70%	30%
18	\$50.40	\$21.60	\$72.00	70%	30%
19	\$53.20	\$22.80	\$76.00	70%	30%
20	\$56.00	\$24.00	\$80.00	70%	30%