

## DIVISION 22 YOUTH DOGS

**Superintendent: Tiffney Tripp 734-642-6341**

**Show Time: Friday August 7, 2009 1:00 pm Livestock Building**

**Examination Day: Tuesday August 4, 2009 4:00 – 6:00 pavilion**

**Entry Deadline is June 1. Fee: \$3.00 per Dog.**

**Late Registration: \$1.00 per Dog late fee will be charged on day of examination.**

**Because of being a New Division NO premiums can be paid for three years. This Division started 2007.**

### **Rules:**

1. A dog verification form (can be picked from Superintendent) **MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED TO THE DOG SUPERINTENDENT NO LATER THAN THE FIRST SATURDAY OF JUNE. THIS RULE WILL NOT BE WAIVED.** A clear, unobstructed photograph of dog (dog only) including leader dogs and service dogs and a copy of shots shall also be submitted at same time (tags will not be used as verification).
2. Exhibitors must maintain complete control of their dogs, which must be on leash at all times when not in specific class. As a safety precaution, dogs are **NOT** allowed in other exhibit areas. Leader Dog and Service Dogs are the only exception, and they must be on a leash at all times.
3. A grooming examination will be included in the evaluation of all dogs. Examination day Tuesday, August 4, 2009.
4. Females in season may not be shown.
5. There shall be **NO** severe discipline or abuse (slapping, hitting, choking, kicking, etc.) of dogs, nor shall there be any excessively loud commands given while on the fairgrounds. There shall be **NO** drilling or intensive training of dogs on the fairgrounds. No special training collars (spike, pinch, etc.) shall be used while on the fairgrounds. Anyone exhibiting such behavior or using such equipment on their dog will be immediately ejected from the fairgrounds and will forfeit all ribbons, trophies, and premium money. **NO** tags are allowed on training (chain) collars. Muzzles are allowed.
6. Adults **cannot** work, train, or groom dogs at the show!
7. Dogs must be free of fleas and ticks. It is strongly recommended that all dogs have a negative stool check, be on heartworm preventative, and have DHLPP and bordatella for their own protection but only recommended.
8. **DRESS CODE: Females:** Culottes no shorter than knee length or dress slacks with an appropriate shirt or top is required. No shirts with logos on them. **Males:** Dress slacks or khakis. Khaki shorts are allowed or dress shorts. No shirts with logs on them.
9. Exhibitors may show up to (3) dogs. Any dog that is blind (without vision) or deaf (without useful hearing) should not be shown in any of the classes and will be excused. Any dog that is lame, taped or bandaged in any way should not be shown in any of the classes and will be excused. Only one child may show a single dog in any agility or obedience class.
10. Once a class begins there will be no entering a class late. If a change of clothes or change of dog is required you must notify the superintendent before the class starts. **A maximum of seven minutes will be allowed for the change.**
11. Any dog that exhibits any sign of viciousness toward any dog or person should not be shown and must be removed from the fairgrounds. Exhibitors will be responsible for any injury to other dogs or persons, which may occur by a dog owned/or shown by them. Dogs will be excused for the above reason by the judge(s) and will not be allowed to show in any other dog show class at the fair.
12. All exhibitors must be 8 years of age by January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year.
13. No dogs shall be left unattended or left alone in vehicle while on the fair grounds.
14. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up from their own animal.

### **SECTION - 1: Obedience Classes Pre-Beginner**

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

#### **Age 8-13**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Class</b>
1410	Trainer and Dog

#### **Age 14-19**

<b>No.</b>
1411

**Champion each age**

### **SECTION - 2: Obedience Classes Beginner**

**Rule:** Exercise will be done as follows: Heel pattern and Figure 8 on leash, Stand for Examination, repeat Heel Pattern, and Long Stays on Leash.

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

#### **Age 8-13**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Class</b>
1412	Trainer and Dog

#### **Age 14-19**

<b>No.</b>
1413

**Champion each age**

### **SECTION - 3: Obedience Classes Intermediate**

**Rule:** Heel off leash, figure 8, stand for exam off leash, and long down 5 minutes out of sight off leash

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

#### **Age 8-13**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Class</b>
1414	Trainer and Dog

#### **Age 14-19**

<b>No.</b>
1415

**Champion each age**

### **SECTION - 4: Obedience Classes Advance**

**Rule:** Heel off leash, figure 8, stand for examination off leash, and retrieve off leash, and long down 7 minutes out of sight.

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

#### **Age 8-13**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Class</b>
1416	Trainer and Dog

#### **Age 14-19**

<b>No.</b>
1417

**Champion each age**

### **SECTION - 5: Musical Freestyle Pre-Beginner**

**Rule:**

1. Any move is allowed as long as it does not endanger the dog or handler. Distance work, jumps, weaves, and innovative new moves encouraged. Dance steps preferred to music. Moves may be performed from any position. Exhibitor must bring own music and player.
2. Entire routine performed on leash

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

#### **Age 8-13**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Class</b>
1418	Trainer and Dog

#### **Age 14-19**

<b>No.</b>
1419

### **SECTION - 6: Musical Freestyle Beginner**

**Rule:**

1. Any move is allowed as long as it does not endanger the dog or handler. Distance work, jumps, weaves, and innovative new moves encouraged. Dance steps preferred to music. Moves may be performed from any position. Exhibitor must bring own music and player.
2. Combination of on and off the leash.

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

#### **Age 8-13**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Class</b>
1420	Trainer and Dog

#### **Age 14-19**

<b>No.</b>
1421

## **SECTION - 7: Musical Freestyle Intermediate**

### **Rule:**

1. Any move is allowed as long as it does not endanger the dog or handler. Distance work, jumps, weaves, and innovative new moves encouraged. Dance steps preferred to music. Moves may be performed from any position. Exhibitor must bring own music and player.
2. Off leash.

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

### **Age 8-13**

**No.**  
1422

**Class**  
Trainer and Dog

### **Age 14-19**

**No.**  
1423

## **SECTION - 8: Musical Freestyle Advanced**

### **Rule:**

1. Any move is allowed as long as it does not endanger the dog or handler. Distance work, jumps, weaves, and innovative new moves encouraged. Dance steps preferred to music. Moves may be performed from any position. Exhibitor must bring own music and player.
2. Anyone having completed a title in the Intermediate Division (coming year 2009)

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

### **Age 8-13**

**No.**  
1424

**Class**  
Trainer and Dog

### **Age 14-19**

**No.**  
1425

### **Champion Over All**

## **SECTION - 9: Costume Class**

**Rule:** Dog and Trainer will be judged together as to creativity, how dog is able to move without hindrance from costume. Props and costumes are responsibility of Trainer.

**Learning Objective:** To demonstrate outfit coordination and a confident attitude during judging.

1st thru 6th - Ribbon

### **Class**

1426 All Ages

## **SECTION - 10: Leader Dog / Service Dog**

**Rule:** Organization logo shirts may be worn. Puppies should wear identifying coats, saddles, or bandanas/scarves at all times. Leader Dog/puppies are not allowed to show in Obedience; however, Service Dog/puppies may show in Obedience. Both Leader Dog and Service Dog must have Project Record Book turned in day of fair.

1st thru 6th - Ribbon

### **Class**

1427 Leader Dog/Puppy  
1428 Service Dog/Puppy

## **SECTION - 11: Showmanship**

1st thru 4th - Ribbon

### **Class**

1429 Junior Showmanship 8-13 years old  
1430 Senior Showmanship 14-19 years old