

SCHEDULE OF PARA-OBEDIENCE SHOW

(Capped at 12 people)



VENUE:

Cogenhoe & Whiston Village Hall,

York Ave, Cogenhoe, Northampton,

NN7 1NB

Sunday 14th September 2025

Show Opens: 9:00am

Judging Commences: 10:00am

Entry Fee: £20

(Entry is for all 4 classes. Contact Megan Green for entry details)

NFC/Spectator entry is free

Chief Steward: Norman Wykes

Judges: Angie Mabbutt

Contact Megan Green to enter
Visit 'Para-Obedience' on Facebook for more information

Class List:

(All competitors compete in all classes)

Class 1: Levelling the Pitch:

Retrieve, Recall, Distance Control, Retrieve Scent Cloth, Send Away
All exercises carried out with the handler seated.

Class 2: Leading on:

Heel on Lead, Retrieve, Recall

Class 3: Jumping off:

Heel off Lead and 2 additional exercises (choose from Novice Recall, A Recall, Retrieve, Send Away, Scent (among strange articles), or Distance Control)

Class 4: Special Class:

Details to be given on the day.

Rosettes for 1st-6th place in each class and Judge's Special.

Rules and Regulations:

- Dogs must be kept on lead at all times while outside the ring.
- No dog to enter the ring until invited by the judge/steward.
- Silent toys or food in a sealed container may be carried out of sight or placed on the reward table during judging. Rewards may be given after each exercise, but food must not be dropped on the ground.
- Dogs must be wearing flat or half-check collars only while in the ring.
- The dog is the responsibility of the handler.
- Do not distract other dogs or handlers. Dogs that may be loud or disruptive while others are competing should be left in the car until they are needed.
- Judging will be scaled to the handler and dog's working level. Those that
 have not competed in any form of obedience before will be considered
 pre-beginners.
 - Pre-B, Beginner, Novice:
 Competitors may use as many commands as necessary
 - O A and above:
 - Competitors may use a simultaneous voice command and visual signal for each exercise. The use of the dog's name does not constitute an extra command when used alongside a command.
- You will be judged on the accuracy of exercises and you and your dog's motivation and teamwork.

This show is intended to be a fun day for all to compete on a level and accessible field.

Please be kind and respectful to volunteers and other competitors to keep the day fun for all.

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