



Department 9 – Dogs ATCP 160.59

REGISTRATION: APRIL 22 – MAY 22, 2025

CHECK-IN: SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 2025 @ 8 AM

JUDGING: SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 2025 @ 9 AM

JUDGING LOCATION: FAIRGROUNDS

Lead Superintendents: Tina Herbst, cvmstraws@gmail.com

Exhibition Rules and Instructions

- a) **Read the General Rules & Instructions** document!!!
- b) Exhibitors must exhibit in their grade division and no more than 1 entry per lot.
- c) Exhibitors are required to submit a Dog Health Form by **May 22, 2025**. Vaccinations & Veterinary Check requirements.
- d) Dogs must be **6 months of age or older as of May 15** of the exhibit year to show.
- e) Dogs must be crated or leashed at **ALL** times unless being judged.
- f) Youth must be able to handle and walk dog obediently on a leash without parental or adult assistance. Please note that superintendent(s) and judge(s) reserve the right to dismiss a dog from the show if they feel the exhibitor is not able to handle the dog or poses a danger to others. Any dog posing a threat will be dismissed from the show and required to leave the fairgrounds.
- g) Each dog must be equipped with a slip collar with no attachments (no name tags, rabies tags or license, etc.) and a 6 ft. leather or nylon leash. Pinch collars, Halti's (head collar), chain leashes, electric training collars, and harnesses will not be allowed.
- h) No dog may be shown by more than one handler or in more than one class. With the exception of a beginner/pre-novice exhibitor. A beginner/pre-novice exhibitor may show as a second handler to a more advanced dog with owner and parent permission. This pre-arranged agreement must be notified to the superintendent by **May 22, 2025**.
- i) All dog waste **must** be picked up!
- j) Entering your dog in the correct lot is critical! Please see the General Rules & Instructions online for further information in regards to incorrectly entered lots. Animals incorrectly entered will be allowed to be moved to the correct lot, but will NOT receive premiums or be eligible for awards.
- k) This rule will take into effect after the conclusion of 2025: A dog that has attained a Top Blue at the previous Green County Fair Dog Show, must advance to the next level the following year. If you did not get Top Blue, you do not have to advance. If you are a returning participant and uncertain if you received a Top Blue, please contact the Fair Office for clarification.

CLASS A – DOG OBEDIENCE

PREMIUMS: \$4.50 \$3.50 \$2.50 \$1.50

Lot

- 1. **Pre-Novice A: DOG (beginner dog of all ages):** Heel on leash & figure 8, long sit (1 minute), stand for examination, long down (3 minutes), recall and finish.
- 2. **Pre-Novice B: EXHIBITOR (beginner exhibitor of all ages):** Heel on leash & figure 8, long sit (1 minute), stand for examination, long down (3 minutes), recall and finish.
- 3. **Novice (graduated from pre-novice):** Heel on leash & figure 8m long sit (1 minute), stand for examination, long down (3 minutes), heel free includes figure 8, recall and finish.
- 4. **Graduate Novice (graduated from novice):** Heel on leash & figure 8m long sit (1 minute), stand for examination, long down (3 minutes), heel free includes figure 8, recall and finish.
- 5. **Pre-Open (graduated from graduate novice):** Heel free & figure 8, broad jump, drop on recall, long sit & down, retrieve on flat
- 6. **Open (graduated from pre-open):** Heel free, retrieve over high jump, figure 8 free, broad jump, drop on recall, long sit & down, retrieve on flat.

AWARDS

Pre-Novice A: Dog
 Pre-Novice B: Exhibitor
 Novice
 Graduate Novice
 Pre-Open
 Open
 Beginner Showmanship
 Intermediate Showmanship
 Advanced Showmanship
 Best of Show
 Reserved Best of Show

Awards will be presented at the end of each class. Best of Show awards will be presented at the end of the show.

CLASS B – SHOWMANSHIP

PREMIUMS: \$3.00 \$2.50 \$2.00 \$1.50

Lot

- 10. Beginner (Gr. 3-5)
- 11. Intermediate (Gr. 6-8)
- 12. Advanced (Gr. 9 & up)

Exhibitors must enter showmanship on FairEntry to participate.