**Para District Obedience Dog Club Inc**



**Spring Fair Flyball Competition**

**28th October 2023**

Broadview Oval / Yarnta Tutu Yarta

McInnes Ave, Prospect

In conjunction with the Prospect Spring Fair



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**WELCOME**

Para District Obedience Dog Club welcome and thank you for coming to our competition. We wish you all successful racing and hope you have a great day.

**THANK YOU**

This event could not happen without the assistance of a number of people. Thank you all for your time and help. We could not run this day without you.

* AFA Judges: Catherine Stroop & Martin Watt
* AFA Representative: Carmel Nottle
* Time keepers: Alli Dawson & Jess Baker
* Stewards, Box Loaders and Ball Shaggers
* Jeremy Ellis for transporting all the Flyball gear
* Prize Sponsors: Bow Wow Gourmet Dog Treats
* The City of Prospect for allowing us to be a part of their Spring Fair

**EVENT DETAILS**

All competitors are reminded that **no pegs or stakes** **are allowed** to be put in the ground regardless of length. We have special permission to peg our boxes.

The Prospect Spring Fair aims to reduce our footprint and overall impact on the environment by making this a Zero Waste event. Compostable dog waste bags will be available. Please make sure to dispose of waste in the appropriate bins.

**CATERING**

Catering is available via the event vendors. More information about the Fair and stall holders be found at [**https://www.prospect.sa.gov.au/explore/events/spring-fair**](https://www.prospect.sa.gov.au/explore/events/spring-fair)

**LUNCH TIME BREAK / DACHSHUND MINI DASH**

At approximately 12-12.30pm the Flyball area will be used for a Dachshund Mini Dash competition. While this takes place we will have our 1 hour lunch break. We will resume the competition as soon as their event has finished.

**LOCATION & PARKING**

The Prospect Spring Fair is held at Broadview Oval, McInnes Avenue, Prospect. There is no onsite parking. Competitors will need to find a park on the street and walk to the oval. There are three entry points to the oval with the best entry point off Myponga Terrace for the Flyball ring.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

This event is sanctioned by the Australian Flyball Association Inc. As such, it will be run in accordance with the Rules and Policies of the AFA.

Check in is at 8am. Judges Briefing at 8.45am. Racing will commence at 9.15am.

Apart from the dogs involved in the current race, all dogs must be held effectively, either on lead or crated. No in ground stakes are allowed and no dog is to be tied to the ring.

Bitches in season are not permitted on the grounds. Any dog that is considered unfit for racing, either by a Veterinarian or Judge, will be excused from the competition. No dog related advertising other than that used by the competition organiser is permitted on display.

**COMPETITION FORMAT**
Racing is Open Handicap Round Robin Format. Running Order is x4 Round Robin at 3 Heats. Total of 24 races, x12 races per team (36 Heats).

Points are awarded for each race (i.e. a team must win two out of three heats OR three out of five heats to win the race and hence the race points). The points will be tallied, and the team with the most race points will win the division.

**COUNT BACK**

In the case of competition points being equal, the tie will be resolved as follows:

Count back based first on head to head RACE wins during competition, where more than two teams are tied and count back for each team shall be the total RACE wins scored against all of the teams that are tied (the combined number of wins).

If two teams are still even the teams are compared on head to head heats.

If two teams are still even - then fastest heat time head to head decides the winner.

**BREAK OUT RULE**

The break out rule will apply. In case of a combined division round robin, the breakout that is relevant to the team’s division will apply.

The break out time for a declared seed time in handicap format racing will be 0.5 seconds faster than the team’s declared seed time. Where manual timing is used, the breakout time is 1.5 seconds faster than the relevant seed time.

A team will forfeit all subsequent heats and the right to place at the race meeting after breaking out twice or if its first breakout is by 0.5 seconds or more (major break out). A major breakout means that a team has finished a heat in a time 0.5 seconds or more faster than its breakout time.

All normal rules of racing apply to a breakout team except that:

* False starts do not apply to the breakout team, and before each heat, the EJS must be set up with a false start for the breakout team.
* A dog may not run again after a fault

A team scheduled to run in a race against a breakout team

* To earn race meeting points for a win in the race must run the required number of heats and finish at least one of those heats
* Is otherwise subject to all normal rules of racing.

**CHANGE OVER TIME**

The Change Over time is set to 3 minutes.

**MEASURING**
At the discretion of the team, dogs jumping less than 14 inches may be measured by the measuring Judge and a second official (Judge, AFA Representative or an experienced official appointed by the accredited AFA Representative) during times designated by the host club. A dog must be entered in the competition in order to have its height recorded on a Height Card Application (Form C.8).

**VETERINARY SERVICES**

The nearest veterinary services are:

* Pet Universe Veterinary Centre

71 Hampstead Rd, Manningham 5086

Ph (08) 8266 4666

Open Saturday 9am – 1pm

* Walkerville Vet

142 North East Rd, Walkerville 5081

Ph (08) 8344 2000

Open Saturday 9am – 1pm

* Adelaide Vet Prospect

318 Prospect Rd, Prospect 5082

Ph (08) 8169 9733

Open Saturday 8am – 4pm

**TEAMS**

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| Team | **Para Doggy Dashers** | Declared Time | **22.00** |
| Captain | Rebecca Knapp |  |  |
| **Dogs Name** | **CRN** | **Jump Height** | **Handler Name** | **Breed** |
| Sasha | 2817A | 10 | Scott Cousins | Border Collie |
| Gracie | 3346A |  | Jessica Stroet | German Shorthaired Pointer |
| Rumble | 657C | 10 | Rebecca Knapp | Australian Shepherd  |
| Alegra | 3218B |  | Jeremy Ellis | Bergamasco Shepherd |
| Cea | 3460A | 10 | Belinda Shepley | Staffy Mix |

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| Team | **Sailed Over** | Declared Time | **22.50** |
| Captain | Melissa Jolley |  |  |
| **Dogs Name** | **CRN** | **Jump Height** | **Handler Name** | **Breed** |
| Tona | 3359A |  | Virginie Bajut | Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever |
| Loki | 3358A |  | Jordan Hutchesson | Border Collie Cross |
| Jimmie | 3360A |  | Daina Hayles | Kelpie x fox terrier |
| Presto | 909B |  | Timothy Hall | Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever |
| Ben | 3368A |  | Ron Butler | Australian Shepherd |
| Arlo | 3508A |   | Elizabeth Eichner | Border Collie |

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| Team | **Parasailers** | Declared Time | **23.30** |
| Captain | Carmel Nottle |  |  |
| **Dogs Name** | **CRN** | **Jump Height** | **Handler Name** | **Breed** |
| Shelby | 2984A | 10 | Brett Thomas | Australian Shepherd |
| Dusty | 2984B | 12 | Brett Thomas | Australian Shepherd |
| Pickles | 2740B | 11 | Karen Walker | Australian Shepard –Blue Merle |
| Eddie | 2507C | 11 | Carmel Nottle | Labrador Retriever |
| Zoe | 3434A |  | Karen Mingham | Rough Collie |

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| Team | **Para Barking Brigade** | Declared Time | **24.00** |
| Captain | Julian Stokes |  |  |
| **Dogs Name** | **CRN** | **Jump Height** | **Handler Name** | **Breed** |
| Loki | 754B | 12 | Julian Stokes | Australian Shepherd |
| Jess | 758B | 11 | Christina Dalla Valle | Australian Shepherd |
| Treble | 2166B | 12 | Alex Stapledon | Australian Shepherd |
| Quill | 2166C | 11 | Alex Stapledon | Australian Shepherd |
| Lily | 3520A | 6 | Wendy Muir | Moodle |
| Avonanne | 3433A |  7 | Kerrie Merrett | Shetland sheepdog |

**Training in the Ring**

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| **Club** | **Handler Name** | **Handler CRN** | **Dog Name** | **Dog CRN** | **Under 12 months?** | **Ring Usage** |
| Dover Gardens | Melissa Jolley | 2706 | Missy | 2706C | No | Shared |
| Dover Gardens | Melissa Jolley | 2706 | Ruby | 2706D | No | Shared |
| Para District Obedience Dog Club Inc | Karen Mingham | 3434 | Georgie | 3434B | No | Shared |
| Para District Obedience Dog Club Inc | Sarah Muir | 3520.A1 | Charli | 3520B | No | Shared |
| Para District Obedience Dog Club Inc | Steve Olive | 3523 | Tux | 3523A | No | Shared |
| Para District Obedience Dog Club Inc | Donna Palmer | 3221 | Dash | 3221B | No | Shared |
| Para District Obedience Dog Club Inc | Christina Dalla Valle | 758 | Baci | 758C | No | Shared |
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