

# RALLY OBEDIENCE

## INTER-REGIONAL SCOTTISH TEAM



THE KENNEL CLUB

Making a difference for dogs

## TEAM MEMBERS WANTED IN ALL LEVELS TO COMPETE AT CRUFTS 2020

Selection events for the Scottish Team will be held on:-

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> September: 2pm – 4pm  
Carluke Leisure Centre  
135 Carnwath Road  
Carluke, ML8 4EA  
Closing date: 31<sup>st</sup> August

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> October: 2pm – 4pm  
Carefree Canines  
Midroad Ind Est  
Prestonpans, EH32 9ER  
Closing date: 19<sup>th</sup> October

**The competition will be held at Crufts in Birmingham on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

*Applicants must commit to attending Crufts, competing in their level and acting as a reserve for the level above. Individuals will need to pay their own expenses for the trip and take part in team fundraising activities.*

*Full training is given in a fun and friendly atmosphere – team members will be required to attend at least four out of five training sessions (locations will be determined by where the majority of the team are based).*

*Competition experience is not a pre-requisite. We are looking for enthusiastic people who use reward-based coaching and are team players, who will support each other throughout training and the competition itself. We aim to represent our country and promote force-free partnerships within the sport.*

*Please read the KC competition guidelines overleaf (subject to change by KC).*

ENTRY FEE: £10 per dog

To attend a team selection event, fully complete an entry form and return with your entry fee, by the closing dates above, to Elaine Miller, Scotland Team Manager.

Email: [corryisledogtraining@gmail.com](mailto:corryisledogtraining@gmail.com)

Post: 6 Milton Green, Dunfermline, Fife, KY12 7PS

*Cheques should be made payable to 'Elaine Miller'*

*Bank transfer details available – please don't make payment to Corryisle Dog Training!*



## **COMPETITION GUIDELINES**

This is an inter-regional Rally competition between 7 teams, one each from:

Scotland

Northern Ireland

Wales

England: North, Midlands, South East & East Anglia & South & South West

Each team consists of:-

One dog per Level 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 plus a Level 1 reserve, making a total of 7 travelling dogs per team.

Each dog must be capable of moving up to the next level, should a dog withdraw from the competition.

In each team, there will be no more than:

2 Border Collies or Working Sheepdogs

2 Crossbreeds (one of which must not be a Collie/Working Sheepdog type)

2 of any other single breed

Obedience Champions, competitors in the Crufts Obedience Championship 2020 and Inter-Regional Obedience Competition 2020 cannot compete.

Handlers should be resident in the country/region that they represent.

In each Level, scores will be awarded to competitors depending on the placing given by the judge. The team with the highest score at the end of the competition shall win.

In the event of a scoring points tie, the competitor with the quickest time will receive higher points.

In the event of an overall competition tie, the Level 6 dogs will run off to decide the winning team.

Medals and an Award will be presented to the winning team and the runners-up. In addition, prize cards will be presented to the first 4 places in each class.

Competing levels will be decided by the Team Manager, however cannot be below the level that a dog/handler team are qualified for in KC competitions, on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2019.

All tests will be as defined under Kennel Club Rally Regulations (S) in force on the date of the show.

(These guidelines are subject to change by the KC)

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### APPLICATION FORM

Please complete a separate application form for each dog

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HANDLER's NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
TELEPHONE NO:	
HANDLER's DATE OF BIRTH & GUARDIAN's NAME (if under 18)	
DOG's PET NAME:	
BREED:	
KC REG NO:	
DATE OF BIRTH:	
DOG/BITCH	
HEIGHT (in cm):	
ANY HEALTH CONCERNS (dog or handler)	
ESTIMATE MONTH OF SEASON (for intact females)	

*If your dog has any Rally Competition achievements, please list them over the page.*

